

**Sprucewood SCC
January 9, 2017
Meeting Minutes**

Attendees:

Lori Jones, Leisa Hansen, Jenni Morgan, Tess Hortin, Anna Swallow, Emigh Lo

1. Cell Tower Funds for Teacher PD and extra hours in the office

Mrs. Jones would like to use some of the cell tower funds to pay for some teachers to attend PD. She would also like to use funds (30 hours) for the office staff. Unanimous approval was given.

2. Internet Safety or Parent Information Night

- Discussed a tentative date in March for a Parent Information night. Discussed ideas for getting parent turnout. Poor attendance is an ongoing issue.
- Discussed the possibility of posting a video online for parents to log in and watch, with an incentive for those who participate.
- Discussed adding internet safety tips to the weekly Falcon Report and the monthly school newsletters. *This is the solution the SCC has chosen for this school year.* Emigh Lo will provide the tips to include on the Falcon Reports, and she will provide tips (Did You Know...) to Mrs. Jones to include in the newsletter. We would like to provide specific details to parents on the latest apps and programs to help monitor their children's internet and phone usage.
- February 6 – 10 is Internet Safety Week. We will have White Ribbon Week; the district is providing the details. Emigh Lo will be out of town. Tess will coordinate with other SCC members.
- Pamphlets will be handed out to parents at the winter PTCs.
- Next school year we will plan on having a short internet safety presentation to parents at BTS night.

3. Amount of Learning at Sprucewood & Promoting Social Emotional Health of Students

Mrs. Jones said that these were two of the lowest scoring areas on the recent school survey from the school district. She asked for feedback from SCC members on whether we feel that there are unaddressed issues in these areas. Parent SCC members feel that Sprucewood does a fantastic job in both of these areas.

4. Newly Edited Mission Statement:

"All students at Sprucewood Elementary will be provided with the skills they need to achieve their dreams, to challenge themselves, and to become high achievers to positively impact the world."

Suggested revision:

“All students at Sprucewood Elementary will be provided with the skills they need to challenge themselves, achieve their goals, and to become high achievers who will positively impact the world.”

We will revisit for any additional wording changes at the next meeting.

5. **Upcoming:**

- School Improvement Plan in February or March
- School Trust Plan