

**Madison Elementary School -
Green & Healthy Schools Committee
Wednesday, April 3, 2019 / 4:00pm-5:00pm / School Library**

Introductions: Kelsy Nevlen, Sam Deroche, Lyn Martens, Stacy Foster, Jamie Mollica, Susan Schuller

Agenda Items:

- Smokey Bear - K-2 program 15-25 minutes program. 3-4 grade, 35-45 minutes. Then get the 5-6 graders to use the WCEE Wildland Fire Kit. Mid-May... Look at Zero Day. May 10th. Susan can help with Smokey Bear if on that day and if before 2pm.
- Updates and happenings at Madison from the group --
- Crayola Crayons Boxes - Done!
- Norwex Cloths for all classes in the fall. Concerns from secretaries. Feedback from 2nd Grade. Some teachers do not know what Norwex is. Will need to do a training. These were ordered -- \$699.83 (40 cloths and detergent) Will pass out and demonstrate in September.
- Newsletter segment this month. Thanks Jamie!
- Update on school garden -- (Sam/Lynelle) -- Any update? We will have Kindergarteners plant pumpkins in the 3 raised beds. -- Plant in May. Sam has pumpkin seeds. We will get some fencing and posts.
- Work Days --
 1. Update on Donors Choose -- Cathy gave an update. We put out our project and it seems like it is other vendors for "stuff." There are curriculum resources and educational materials. She put in for it right now.
 2. April 13th -- Shoot for a trail cutting day. One UWSP student replied so far. Plan for the projects of the day. Do we need more volunteers? Lyn will be there. Wood Chips have been requested. Grant and blue bird boxes. Green Apple Day of Service, you had to do a Donors Choose in order to qualify for their funding from USGBC. There is a donation for about \$170 so far.
 3. K and 6 -- Monday, April 22nd -- Earth Day Work Day (23rd is the alternate day) -- Wood Chips on the trails. Ask Don for some chips to be delivered that day. Did chips get ordered for delivery? Jamie submitted a Green Apple Day of Service for the 4/22 event 9:30am to 10:30am -- Lyn will be there.
- Family Walk tied to Anniversary Event in May. Discuss ideas for family walk on this day. Update on seed packets. Sam ordered 200 envelopes. She is cold, moist stratifying the seeds to have ready for the Family Day. Making a smaller label. Jamie is donating the label stickers. Then a complementary Flyer. Update on donations? Stacy will ask Kwik Trip and grocery store.
- Any update on prairie presentations in classes? Susan will follow up with Dan.
- Cool Choices Game for Madison staff? Any Update? Email sent to staff. No responses.
- Bike Rack Ideas -- (Trevor Recommendations) Susan gave an update.
- GHS Energy and Water applications (Jamie) Giving them to Keith to see about filling out these applications.

- Science Fair at Madison next year? (Susan) **Ms. Rachel Gotlieb does this with 6th grade. Maybe talk with her first.**

Informational

- Final report being sent to Natural Resources Foundation for grant last year.
- Natural Resources Foundation Field Trip will include our pollinator gardens.

Budget:

$\$838.54 + \$500 = \$1,338.54$

Next meeting: May 1, 2019 -- Last minute family walk prep.