

School Council Meeting Minutes

Date: March 11, 2015

7:45 a.m.-8:45 a.m.

Members of the Council Present:	Lisa Desjarlais: Pelham School principal Suzanne Quinlan: Classroom teacher, grade 5 Sarah Frenette: Pelham School parent Doreen Reid: Pelham School parent Ron Mannino: Community volunteer
Parent Pickup	The current parent pickup procedures were discussed. There is an ongoing problem with the mixing of parent pickup students and after-school students at dismissal time. Various solutions were considered. A question regarding parent pickup may be added to this year's Family Survey.
Family Survey	Lisa distributed last year's document: ARPS Elementary Family Survey 2014. Sarah Frenette provided Lisa with a list of suggested word changes to make the questions more meaningful.
Fund Raising	The large number of current fund raisers was discussed and possible solutions were suggested. Suzanne mentioned that at her children's school they have cut back on individual fund raisers and replaced it with an annual parent contribution.
Regionalization	Lisa gave a short summary of the next steps in the School Regionalization schedule.
Prepared by: Ron Mannino	