

# Canadian Parents for French – Portage Chapter

Tuesday October 11<sup>th</sup>, 2011

## Meeting Minutes

Meeting called to order 7:05

May meeting minutes adopted

### Old Business:

Grad Award was presented to Nathan Utioh by Delnora in June.

Immersion help website – Mme Patenaude will put in the next Crescentview newsletter

Financial report was presented by Diane Wing, no major changes compared to last year at this time.

### New Business:

Camp Soleil evaluations – camp was well recieved

Delnora passed out the yearend report that she had prepared for the Provincial CPF AGM.

CPF Manitoba AGM: (highlights presented by Delnora)

- Poster – each chapter was given a framed copy of all the winning posters from the poster contest, we will investigate getting another so we can display at both schools
- Ideas
  - passing the torch, where graduating students meet with kindergarten students.
  - did you know? Box about CPF in newsletter
  - Teacher appreciation night

French Exchange Student – involve in an activity, call the paper

Staff update – mat leaves are causing challenges but staffing is working out

Ideas for Activities/Projects:

- Transition gifts (grade 4) – investigate verb booklets or what else the teachers might recommend
- Magazine subscription for EAMS library
- Advertise French resources in newsletter – be specific name games, music, magazines
- Opera – French Opera on April 21,24,27 invite parents and teachers for a night out
- French Cinema Film Festival in Wpg. Oct. 19-23
- Teacher Resources
- Float in parade

Initiative Fund – need to apply by Jan. 31<sup>st</sup> to get \$250

Invitation to CPF Manitoba for AGM – Delnora will call

Next meeting will be AGM – advertise – Food, Prizes, Fun - Nov. 8<sup>th</sup>

Meeting Adjourned 8:15