



Our Lady of Mount Pleasant Catholic School

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OLMP Playground Committee Agendas

Meeting Agenda - April 22nd @ 7:00pm Virtually through google hangouts

Committee Members in attendance: Laura Agrey, Heather Zarski, Janelle Evenson, Javan Stamp, Shannon Bird, Megan Kumar, Tyler Callicott

Start time 7:00pm

Location: Virtual

1. Welcome – Introductions – Review Connection Question
2. Previous action items:
 - Sent group contacts and minutes (the committee members all have access to a google drive with all materials and working docs/contact info/quotes/etc.)
 - Updates in school newsletters - this was completed
 - Research equipment/court options and costs - spent time reviewing information gathered and noted in the playground committee working doc - lots of great options - but pricey - minimally \$100 000+ most likely for the ideal play equipment
 - Vision ideas (discussed after reviewing thought exchange and discussion noted below)
3. Review thought exchange results for parent survey
 - Discussion notes:
 - stay away from one use items (monkey bars, etc.)
 - Make sure we check weight (shannon)
 - Fit core options - similar to par core
 - Consider areas for social interactions
 - Fall material - lucy has a grant in september for the tire material if wanted
 - Pad - \$10 / sq foot
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 - Thoughts shared

- Lots on climbing or active play
- Get it quick
- Need something for 5%
- Consider stuff that is for all seasons
- Need a scope
 - Ideas for scope:
 - Focus on the grade 5,6,7 age group
 - Climbing structure, focusing on physical movement and multi user stations/areas
 - All season
 - At least some inclusivity
 - Reasonable cost for existing economic climate...
 - Scope needs to be defined to include items such as:
 - Vision
 - Costs
 - Preferred options
 - Timeline
 - tasks/roles
- Grant update
 - Ab Blue cross grant - 50 000 - due end of august
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 - Inclusive grant - 50 000 - enabling accessibility grant - likely not to continue due to change in grants
 - There is likely to be some grants changing or disappearing due to Covid-19 - Lucy will monitor and update us on what is available as they situation evolves moving forward.

6. Action items

- Surfaces
 - Shannon will look at size/costs
- Resurface pad
 - Facilities - kristy - what steps and what can they do
 - A letter needs to be drawn up on our side project - (javan)
 - Heather can share a letter with javan - from st pats that can be used as a template
 - Looking in our pad options (all)
 - Write out our scope for a future build playground (tyler) - tyler and shannon can put some costs together

7. Next Meeting

- Meet in a month - send out a poll

Janelle was able to get some additional information after our meeting:

- The existing pad is approximately 25'x40'...asphalt surface. Kirk wasn't sure how it would go to add onto the existing pad...but if that was how we wanted to proceed, he suggested contacting Border Paving. The only thing with keeping the pad is that it has quite an aggressive slope due to the lay of the land and wouldn't be great for basketball. It would just be a waste to rip the pad out as it's fairly new....he figures paved within the last 2-4 years.
- I talked to John Parker of NuEdge Construction and he figures it would roughly cost \$1500-\$3000 to remove the existing pad if we needed to have someone do it.