

**Truro Central School  
Early Childhood Advisory Council; CPC**

**Meeting minutes of January 9, 2012 2:50pm in Preschool classroom** Members present, **Adrienne Burhoe, Stephanie Richardson, Amy Rogers, Jeanne Santos, Erin Silva, Lynne Ready, Nancy Winslow, Deanna, Brian Davis**

**Lynne Ready, Teacher Report:** The Wampanoag presentation was successful. Lynne reports that the next time this is presented Tim Turner will be available to lead an activity. This unit will be presented again in 2 years. \*Special thanks to Eliza for the successful launch of the Pre School website. Eliza was able to get it up and running with the help of Molly and Debbie's support in the classroom. Photos of classroom activity, links to resources as well as CPC meeting minutes and flyers will be accessible through the website. \*Lynne reported on her member status with NYAEC. She has recently ordered new books on construction and block building. \*Lynne reported her recent involvement in providing feedback via a grant funded assessment of services offered in PK – 2<sup>nd</sup> grades on the lower cape. This assessment was facilitated by the Cape Cod Children's Place. \*Lynne is hoping to replace a plastic climber on the PK playground. Several have been researched but efforts will continue to ensure that one that is purchased is not labeled "Not for school use". Heather and Adrienne will assist in these efforts. \*Upcoming events include the "Bed Time Story in the Book Nook" on Tuesday January 17<sup>th</sup> from 5-6pm. There will be childcare available for siblings of Preschoolers and Kindergarteners. The February meeting to be held on 2/13/12 will be a "Media Awareness" seminar with Cindy Horgan from the Cape Cod Children's Place. It will be held from 3-4:30, childcare and a snack will be provided.

**Mr. Davis; Principal's Report**

\*Mr. Davis reported that the school committee will vote on the school budget Wednesday 1/11/2012.  
\*Mr. Davis reported that 3 5<sup>th</sup> and 3 6<sup>th</sup> graders will take part a newly implemented "Senior Reading Buddies" program. Students will read to seniors at Seashore Point in Provincetown. \*Mr. Davis reported on the ongoing efforts of the "Farm to School Committee". This group is committed to bringing organic, locally grown produce into the cafeteria. New efforts intend to include seafood as well. The next meeting takes place Friday January 13, 2012.

**Amy Rogers; Treasurer's Report**

\*The current balance is \$5,500.00. Amy inquired about a current bill from the Food Service provider. Lynne is placing less frequent orders so there is no bill at the present, Lynne will keep an eye out.

**Miscellaneous:**

\*\*Adrienne reported that the Preschool will use Windscreens once again this year for the "Portrait Tee" fundraiser. Lynne will start the portraits with the students next week; Adrienne will start the paper work distribution. \*It was decided that the meeting minutes will be distributed as follows:

- \* A hard copy will be put in each student's mail pocket
- \*An electronic copy will be sent to each member present
- \*An electronic copy will be sent to Heather Fair for posting on the Pre School website

\*The signup sheet for faculty to use for signing up to provide childcare at CPC events needs to be updated to include the Family Involvement Programs that are offered.

\*Adrienne will check with Elena to see if Thank you's were sent to Pie Sale donors.

\*There is a \$122.85 bill outstanding from the Banner for the Pie Sale advertisement. Amy Silva has the hard copy of the bill and will give it to Amy Rogers for payment.

Next Meeting February 13, 2012

Meeting adjourned 3:33pm

Respectfully submitted,

Erin Silva

