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1. Clarice called meeting to order at 5:35 p.m.
2. Roll Call: In attendance were Lisa Sun Rhodes, Leslie Bengochea, Andrea Damm, Clarice White Cloud, Clyde Perry, Joshua Burks, Tessa Rumsey, Mr. Crowder, Maurice Bighorn, and Nicole Bighorn.
3. Lisa motioned to approve last meetings agenda. (6/19/2018). Andrea seconded this motion. All were in favor.
4. We went over the minutes from last meeting (6/19/2018). Lisa motioned to approve these minutes, Andrea seconded.
 - a. Maurice asked about the Native American Studies class that was discussed last meeting.
 - b. Elective options for junior high and high school. Specialist schedule for K-6th.
 - c. Process: Recommendations from committee to have the school board hear about it and maybe get on board with us. We can send them an e-mail or write them a letter.
 - d. We discussed the general curriculum for the proposed Native American Studies class, and for bringing in speakers once a month from different tribes. Which we also discussed last meeting.
 - e. Mr. Crowder is going to look at getting the Native American Studies elective into the Junior High and elementary schedule. We will find out more about this next meeting.
5. Financial Report: \$3,579.53 in the account.
 - a. We discussed sending out a letter that we offer help with school supplies. If you or anyone are in need you can contact Tessa Rumsey. Instead of giving out backpacks full of supplies because not everyone will need one and it potentially could be wasteful if not needed. Reminder: We have \$500.00 set aside for help with school supplies and Tessa is going to get five backpacks with school supplies ready just in case anyone needs one.
6. Old business:
 - a. Start planning for Native American week now.
 - b. We discussed for elementary during specials period we could bring people in to teach beadwork, building skills, and basics.
 - c. Dress up days.
 - d. One day during lunch have a cultural food theme. Ask lunch ladies to have tacos on menu one day and we will supply wojapi, and frybread, for one traditional meal that week. We will have to look for volunteers to help make this. If anyone is interested, please contact one of us!
 - e. Contact Kenny Smoker HPDP to bring someone in to play hand games.
 - f. Ask parents, and students to volunteer and help make wojapi and frybread.
 - g. Tessa will talk to Terri (lunch lady) we will go from there.
 - h. We will do our Native American week the week after. That way there are more volunteers and we will be more likely to get drum groups, etc.... to our school.
7. Recognition of Visitors:
 - a. Josh is visiting.
8. New business:
 - a. After school snack program. Leslie is doing this and will be talking to someone from the state this week concerning it. We need to start looking for volunteers to help pass out snacks for when this program gets approved.

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- b. Needs Assessment: With application for JOM funding. We need to okay the needs assessment. Tessa explained this assessment to committee. Leslie motioned to send this out, Lisa seconded it. No one opposed.
- 9. Comment for non-agenda items:
 - a. Lisa brought up fundraising. We will put it on the agenda for next meeting. We also discussed events and fundraising ideas.
 - b. Tessa brought up serving means at sporting events and getting on the list. She is going to look into this and try to sign our committee up for open dates.
 - c. We discussed giving incentives to get parents and students more involved with our program.
- 10. Date/Time for next meeting:
 - a. Next meeting will be held August 14th, 2018 at 5:30pm in Culbertson High School cafeteria.
 - b. Mr. Crowder mentioned that there would be two lunches for teachers on August 13th, 2018. It would be for approximately 30-50 people. Mr. Crowder will get more information and update us on this matter. If approved our committee can serve this meal. We will meet about menu items before then. Tessa will get back to us by Thursday, so we know more details.
- 11. Adjourn:
 - a. Lisa motioned to adjourn the meeting. Leslie seconded. All were in favor. Motioned carried and meeting was adjourned at 7:25pm.