

Environmental Education Meeting
Nov. 22, 2016

Present: Molly Butler, Stephanie Noel, Michelle Gadbois, Janette Vickers, Tara Johnson

Molly shared bookable pro D workshops. Some can be booked in Revelstoke. Share with Stacey?

We are officially a local chapter of EEPsA (our name is on the website, along with our minutes). We are in the process of becoming a local specialized association (LSA). Molly is checking to see if we qualify for the \$1000 fund.

CBEEN Leadership Clinic is Apr. 29 – May 2. We can apply to go in January.

- Stephanie mentioned that Ariel gave her some items to add to the district env ed library, which is kept at RSS.
- Michelle talked with Stella Jones about getting logs for schoolyards. The pile is very muddy right now. It is possible to get longer pieces that could be used length wise for sitting on.
 - Adults only to go to the site (about 4), with trucks. Possibly spring break timing, so they are ready to go after spring break.

Discussed a variety of seating options with the logs. Setting them up in an amphitheater style? Could use larger rounds for small tables.

Discussion: Outdoor shelter progress: Still working on getting a budget/ plan for a shelter. Important considerations: shed snow, not too much maintenance.

Action: Consider using the \$1000 fund from EEPsA for release time to write up a proposal for an outdoor shelter.

- Talk to Duncan about potential grants and deadlines. Also consider local grants. Next step is to write up a plan with the budget and an outline of what it will look like.

Next meeting: Jan. 17. 2017