

## Dandelion Family Association

June 6, 2006

### Dandelion Community Mission Statement

We are dedicated to promoting positive development in children by:

- Building caring relationships through positive discipline offered in a safe and enriching environment;
- Providing dedicated staff who engage children in the joy and excitement of learning;
- Offering a quality curriculum using innovative and research-based teaching strategies;
- Establishing strong partnerships with parents/guardians; and
- Nourishing spiritual growth through modeling love and respect for each other and the world around us.

### Welcome/Introductions

*--Parents in Attendance—Deanna and Heather*

*--Staff in Attendance—Janice and Kim*

### Update on DFA Account (see print-out)

*--Current balance--\$1,924.55*

*--Profit from Claire's Gourmet--\$851.25*

*--Funding Factory-Purchased camera for 472 pts.*

*--Remaining pts. 236 pts. or \$94.40*

*--Another shipment of recycled cartridges and cell phones sent out!*

### Finalize Picnic/Bluegrass Band this Friday, June 9<sup>th</sup>, 2006

*--Finalized location of band and food.*

*--Deanna will bring a grill,*

*--DFA will purchase rolls,*

*--Program will purchase drinks and meats,*

*--Janice will donate plates, hamburgers, grill and condiments.*

*--DCCC has 4 tables to use for food.*

### Finalize DFA events and Fundraiser Calendar 2006-7

*--Another Roy Roger's fundraiser night will be scheduled for July/August. (Kim will call to check availability.)*

*--The group voted on:*

*--Canceling the Parent's Night Out for July and August (low participation due to summer vacations.)*

*--Starting Parent's Night Out in September every other month on Saturdays from 4-8 p.m., adding an extra day on December 9.*

*--Canceling the New Student Orientation in August, similar event in September.*

*--Have Wolfgang Chocolates and Gifts as a fundraiser in October in place of Uncle Ralph's Cookies.*

*--Having Joe Corbi's as the fundraiser for March in place of Claire's Gourmet.*

*--May Spring Clean-up will be on May 5 instead of May 19.*

Playground Equipment—set up as a goal to work toward

*--The group decided on setting a goal to purchase a piece of commercial equipment: Little Tikes Playcenter #5 for \$4,599.00.*

*--The goal is to have the equipment by April 2007. Start raising funds in August. Parent donations will be solicited along with other creative ideas.*

Thank You for Teacher Appreciation

*--Presented Heather and Deanna with a thank you card from Dandelion staff for Teacher Appreciation Week. Card will be on display on parent board.*