

General Minutes



PAC General Meeting Minutes Jan 28, 2021

Minutes taken by: Amber Karnowski

Called to order at 6:02pm

Agenda approved by Colleen, Eva

PRIOR DATE Minutes approved by Colleen, Eva

Topic:
Land Acknowledgement We acknowledge and thank the First Peoples of the həriqəmiriəm (hun-kih-meen-um) language group on whose traditional and unceded territories we teach, learn and live.
Admin Report: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• School update. Finishing installation of projectors within classrooms and resource rooms. Teachers are able to connect devices through Apple TV. This removes the need for carts and cords and makes sharing information easier.• Library has been updated and renovated. Library has a new circulation desk.• Monday is the return of many transitional learners. Many children from the community are returning.• Pro D Day Friday Jan 29 2021. Teachers will be learning about digital learning and google teams. There will also be a webinar on Indigenous Learning.• Gilmore received Friends of the Environment grant. Outdoor space and learning will be supported.
Chair Report: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Grade 7 updates. Yearbook has been started. Grade 7 parents will be contacted for help with the yearbook. Baby pictures will also be requested as well as quotes for the book.• Grade 7 farewell. This year it will look different. There will still be something happening. Updates to follow.
Treasurer's Report: General Account has a total of \$17,161.06 <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Withdrawal total is: \$1,936.28 from Munchalunch refunds, Munchalunch service fees, and teacher allotments• Deposits total is: \$1,548.83. The breakdown is: \$1,148.67 from Munchalunch (\$622.89 and \$525.78) - Laurel to confirm exactly what these are from; \$1,174.93 from winter fundraiser, \$273.90 for additional masks, and \$100 from a Gilmore family donation• In Mail pick-up, I received 2 reimbursements, including the library books. The library books came to \$234.94 which is well within the budget of \$1,200. Gaming Account has a total of \$14,075.33. No changes in this account.

Popcorn Days

- Ideas to use preorder using munch-a-lunch. PAC will re-address after spring break.

RDPA:

- Most of the updates are discussions over parents opinions regarding covid.
- Fogging machines in highschoools are running between cohorts. New janitors have been hired to help clean.

Fundraising:

- Spring fundraiser will be loose leaf tea (Sipology). Fundraiser will be running Feb 1-15. Purdy's will run for Easter Feb. 15-30. Easter chocolates will be delivered before easter. For Purdy's we are hoping to arrange times in the under covered area. If not we will arrange from a PAC members house or deliver.

Food Days:

- No updates.

Old Business:

- None

New Business:

- Inquiry about morning announcements. Due to covid protocols morning announcements cannot take place (schedules are all different and cohorts are doing different things at different times).

Co-Chairs Report:

Jasmin Prasad Ma would like to thank all in attendance. Next meeting will take place in February.

Meeting adjourned: 6:33pm

Members present: Jasmin, Eva, Amber, Colleen, Kim, Lauren, Chaslyn, Melissa, Tara, Jaqueline

Regrets: Anna