

Parent Advisory Council Meeting (Zoom) MINUTES

Tues, Apr 9, 2024 7:00 – 8:30 PM on Zoom

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In Attendance: Heather Schofield (co-chair), Andrea Pieters (co-chair), Kelly Clauson (treasurer), Leora Fenner (secretary), Joanna Lane (Principal), Martine Borak (Vice Principal), Jaclyn F, Brielle H, Sabrina D, Jenn M, Kelly A, Anna S, Karly, Ashley (DL Staff), Sara S, Jessie, Tia, Melanie, Sarah, Leonie H, Pat B, Ali G, Lauren

Regrets: Marissa Ismay (vice chair)

Topic	Comments	Presenter
Welcome	 Call to order 7:01pm Land Acknowledgement Agenda approved by Brielle, seconded by Anna Previous meeting minutes (Jan 15, 2024) approved by Jackyn, seconded by Anna Welcome & Introductions 	Heather Schofield & Andrea Pieters + PAC
EDI Guest Topic	 Body Inclusivity Connect with Jenn on Instagram: @jennthedietitian 	Jenn Messina
Principal's Report	 Mme Borak introduction as new V-P Visioning - where are we going, what's happening in Spring, school planning event 	Joanna Lane
	 Educational rounds and literacy furnishings Fall - where we feel the school is going; focus on literacy for next year and goals that support early literacy 	
	 Fees Track and Field about to start, see April Communique for more details 	
	 School planning process Class placement request form closes May 1st (see March Communique) 	
	Hot lunch is continuing this term	

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	 April 24 is the next school planning meeting with the teacher team; parents welcome to attend; 3:45pm-5:30pm 	
Hot Lunch Update	Hot Lunch open now for spring term	Jen Cram
	 Frozen Fridays open soon for spring orders 	
	 Donation button not open for this term as money has already been collected and shared for this year; donation button will be open again next year 	
	Litter-less school	
	Remember to send cutlery to school	
	No sick people to pick up lunch!	
Community & Spirit Events	 Gym Sense is a gymnastics program for all students paid for by the PAC; all students to get 5 sessions; a big thanks to Ms. Kelly for organizing! 	Andrea Pieters
	 February Family Friendship Dance recap; more than 250 people in attendance; big success; lots of fun 	
	 School staff & teacher appreciation lunch happening in June 	
	 New school admin Meet & Greet. Come out and meet Joanna and Martine (at the doors by the Berry Family afterschool care, facing the park) on Friday, April 19 from 8:30-9:15am 	
Fundraising Update	 Seycove FOS Auction recap; successful event with approximately \$70,000 raised and to be distributed to Seycove and the Seycove Family of Schools; final total of money raised expected shortly 	Andrea Pieters & Heather Schofield
	 Purdy's Easter recap; closed; raised \$379 	
	Grade 7 plant fundraiser; ends April 11; pick up at school	
	 NEW Vancouver Canadians Baseball Sprit + Fundraiser - Sun Jun 2nd @ 1 pm; buy your tickets now! 	
	 NEW - Stapleton sausage; local business; 34%return to the PAC; pick up May 22; order now! 	
	NEW - Nellie's Naturals Cleaning products; order now!	
	 Grade 7 will be at the Deep Cove Market selling Truffle Pig chocolates 	
Other/New Business	 Time to think about joining the PAC Executive, last meeting + AGM on June 4, 2024; this will be the meeting where new exec roles are voted in for the next school year; email us to find out more! 	All
	 Lego Club (Thurs @ lunch); kids are enjoying it; thank you to all the volunteers making it happen each week 	

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	Kilometer Club will go start up again in May; PAC will run three runs/week stay tuned for more details	
	 Ski/Snowboard Club cancelled due to Seymour being closed because of lack of snow; will try again next year 	
	 Windsor FOS Update – nothing to report; next meeting April 10 	
	PAC Survey - April 15th deadline, \$25 gift card draw	
	 EDI Committee meeting April 18 @ 7:30 pm on Zoom, Autism Awareness; email PAC for meeting link; new EDI Committee Co-Chairs for 2024/25 to be voted in at PAC AGM in June 	
	■ End of Year BBQ - June 13, 2024	
	After School programs - spots still available	
Treasurer	Budget Update	Kelly
Report	 We are in a good position and on track compared to our budget (budget available to view on our website) 	Clauson
	 Munchalunch brought in \$24,000 in revenue for the PAC to spend on school programs, classrooms, etc.; so far this year we have brought in \$12,000 for the fall and winter terms 	
	 Budgeting meeting (with teacher wish list items) in May for PAC and MAL 	
	 The 2024/25 proposed budget will be presented at the AGM in June 	
Questions from Parents	 When will anti-bullying policy be updated? Joanna replied that the DL Code of Conduct will be updated soon. Principals in our Family of Schools group have been leading the process of review. 	
Adjournment	Meeting adjourned at 8:11pm	Heather Schofield
	 Next Meeting: Mon June 4th, 2024, from 7-8:30 pm @ Dorothy Lynas in the library 	