

Monday December 2, 2024 PAC Meeting Minutes

Attendees: Sandra Major (principal), Janelle Danyluk (teacher), Shay (president), Sheena (Vice President), Melissa (treasurer), Kendra (co-secretary), Ellen, Tyler, Jill

Start 3:04pm

Ellen approves last week's minutes, Shay seconds

Principal report

The school logo is being finalized, the considerations are colour (black or grey). The feedback was grey sweatshirt with a dark green logo.

Reminder about collecting soup for the food bank as a Christmas season donation to donate to Second Harvest. Sandra will send an email.

Thank you to everyone for their support for the Stevens family.

Volleyball has ended. There is a staff vs. students game coming up, as well as a basketball meeting coming up.

A picnic table was destroyed by some students who have a plan to fix it.

December door decorating is happening for some fun Christmas spirit.

The Heggae is happening Thursday afternoon at 1:00pm. It will be a pj day with fun activities. Families are invited and it is still being planned. (Ellen offered PAC could help if any help is needed. Janelle suggested PAC could help with finding families to make cookies for the event.)

Thank you everyone for keeping vehicle doors locked to help keep students safe. It has made a big difference.

RCMP is setting up a speed trap due to speeding in our school zone, but there is no "no U-turns" sign in the works. Ellen asked if speed bumps are an option. Sandra will look into it.

The new PA part is back!

The new office is now complete. Kendra asked what the new office is used for. Sandra informed that the new office is being used by the speech pathologist and school counsellor.

Parent questionnaire about our school will be sent out in January. Students will be interviewed. Ellen asked about over grade 8 former students giving feedback. Sandra

will suggest this and provide feedback.

Teacher report

Thank you again for the money from PAC for the classrooms.

Janelle prefers hot lunches on Tuesdays instead of Fridays as there's a lot going on on Fridays. She expressed appreciation for the finger foods as there is less clean up and dishes.

Shay asked about further support for programs in classes for teachers and Sandra and Janelle will discuss further. They are working on their Wishlist and will bring it in January.

Treasurer report

Melissa informed that the gaming grant can be spent on field trips. The gaming grant spending will be determined once the Wishlist is received.

Discussion about anything else teachers need and the difficulty for teachers with spending the extra money and how PAC can help.

Discussion about a ski trip and other things the gaming account can pay for.

Raffle baskets made \$2344.45.

Gaming account balance is \$6932.

The Ukelaleias cost approximately \$800.

Raffle basket money will be used for the area around the slide.

Once the logo is finalized we will purchase jerseys.

Discussion about future plans for swings. They will cost around \$2000.

Volleyball knee pads are needed. Discussion that usually students bring their own, but it may be a good idea for the school to have a few pairs for students that want to try volleyball.

Sandra will find out at the year end pizza party about knee pads.

Discussion about bike club support (bike repair kits, pumps) and how pac can support school clubs equally.

New business

Info board is coming from Spectrum Signs under budget. It is a 4'x5', aluminum, waterproof, high-quality, lockable plexiglass info board and should be complete by the end of the week.

Raffle basket draw is on Wednesday.

Bizarre Bazar on Monday, December 9th. We are in need of items, wrapping paper, tape, and 5 volunteers.

The Kindergarten shelter is still on the list, we will keep being a squeaky wheel to the district.

Ellen spoke to the letter she is writing to transportation about the highway intersection to try to get a traffic light there. She plans to send it in the new year if not before.

The PAC meeting in the new year is on January 13th.

Melissa brought up the Porter Potty. It has been approved. She will call tomorrow and get a lock and key for it. Janelle or Melissa will find out if the porter potty can wait until after Christmas.

Meeting Adjourned

End: 3:55pm