

PAC Meeting Minutes

Tuesday, September 20, 2022 @ 6:00 pm

Attendance: Louise Desilets, Sarah Black, Jessica Keith, Angela St Amour, Elaine Bonderud, Paul Patterson, Ben Coolahan, Shawna Harpe, Courtney Ball, Vicki Holm, Talita Primdan, Cheryl Stonehouse, Cathy Gorman

1) Welcome!

2) PRINCIPAL'S REPORT:

- To all families, thank you for your patience with class configuration and class placements. Parkcrest continues to be a large school and we had a fair number of new students that came to our school that we needed to fit into classrooms. Mrs. Gorman shared how administration do placements and the spreadsheet used by the district to determine classes.
- Terry Fox Run this week to honour and celebrate the life of Mrs. Hofmann, our librarian assistant, who passed away from colon cancer this summer. We are asking students to wear blue for the run and bring in a twoonie for Patty. (update, our school raised \$534.00 for the Terry Fox Foundation from the run)
- Mug and Muffin, happening Oct. 5 in conjunction with the Scholastic Book Fair. Please come with a mug and see your child's classroom and our school from 8:30-9:30!
- Salmon Run happening Oct. 3 for Grade 2-6 students. Parent volunteers needed to supervise groups. Your child's teacher will indicate this on permission form.
- National Day for Truth and Reconciliation Sept. 30 Orange Shirt Day Oct. 29. Thank you so much to our PAC and to Home Hardware for providing all Parkcrest students with Orange Shirts to wear.
- Remembrance Day ceremony/assembly Nov. 10 at 11:00 Parents Invited
- Thank you to PAC for sponsoring our Primary Choir and our Intermediate/Primary Art club ran by Ms. Quast.
- Cross country run team will be going to three runs this season: McArthur Park, RLC and Dallas. Thank you to Ms. Jensen for coaching and sponsoring this.

3) TREASURER'S REPORT:

General: \$42,707.86

Gaming: \$21,879.00

5,958.40 – orange shirts for 2022

4) DPAC REPORT:

First DPAC meeting of the school year also scheduled for today.

5) OLD BUSINESS:

- Review of PAC guidelines
- Fundraisers
- Snowshoes
- Cookie gram bags from Brock dollar store – Louise spoke to owner to order, see below
- Cookies for valentine grams from Walmart/superstore?
- Increase bus budget
- Every child matters tshirts -- ordered
- Increase Eureka budget to \$1500
- Welcome back bbq? Food Trucks?
- Pumpkins for Ks?
- Teacher requests by Excel spreadsheet

6) NEW BUSINESS:

- X-mas concert/craft fair/couch raffle, gift baskets – Discussed the X-mas concert going ahead this year and including the couch raffle and classroom gift baskets. It was decided that a craft fair would not be held this year. Perhaps look at bringing back next year
- SunOka Apples new fundraiser
- Nominations for open PAC positions:
 - o Vice-President
 - Jessica Keith
 - o Secretary
 - Angela St Amour
 - o DPAC Rep
 - TBD –
 - o Fundraising Coordinator
 - Cheryl Stonehouse

Going forward for fundraising, create a spreadsheet that shows when orders need to be in, delivery dates, etc.

7) TEACHER REQUESTS:

N/A

8) ACTION ITEMS:

Approve budget next meeting

Meeting Adjourned @ 725 pm

Next Meeting: Monday, October 17, 2022 @ 6:00pm