

PAC Meeting  
Wednesday, January 20, 2016

**In attendance:** Jenn Janetka, Ken Bell, Davinder Dowling, Rebecca Baker, Stacie Graham, Jessie Foreman, Allison Anderson, Jen Vermiere, Chanin Smyth, Alyson Martel, Ann Copp

**Regrets:** Amanda Hauptman, Erin McDonald, Rebecca Ashton, Megan Martin

**STANDING ITEMS:**

**Call to order:** 7:02pm

**Motion to adopt November 2015 minutes:** pass

**Motion to adopt agenda for January 2016:** pass

**STANDING ITEMS**

**Admin Report:** Chanin Smyth/Ann Copp

- There's been a change through the Ministry on how we go about making our School Plan. Chanin outlines the changes. More individualized to each school. SH is in good shape with the new process. A parent volunteer is needed to liaise with the core group of teachers, EA's and administration. Chanin outlines what is required from the parent volunteer.
- Volleyball has started. Grade 6/7 boys and girls all have teams with parent coaches and staff sponsors. Games start next week.
- Most Grade 4 and 7 have started FSA's.
- Chanin reads a note from Jeanie Denault regarding funds donated to the music program at SH and her thanks.
- Deb McCartney sends a huge thank you for the FM system.
- Jessie Foreman thanks the PAC for support.

**Treasurer's Report:** Davinder

- Davinder outlines the balances of each account and the changes from the previous meeting.
- After hot lunch and cheque drive, we will still need to raise \$1700 to meet our budget requirement.

**DPAC Report:** Alison Anderson

- Last meeting was November 2015
- Guest speaker was in attendance discussing online advancements in school
- North Van PAC was suggested to pay \$300 to offer reduced rate Red Cross babysitting courses.
- Next DPAC meeting is next week and Alison will take any questions to the meeting regarding the new curriculum for schools.

**FOS Report: Jen Verriere**

- Jen shared the fundraising ideas SH is delving into
- Jen shares what other schools are doing for fundraising.
- Windsor is looking to raise \$25,000 to update common areas
- World Eye Care Society is collecting glasses to send all over the world.

**NEW BUSINESS****Santa's Breakfast Feedback:**

- Chanin was very impressed by the whole event. Felt like a “warm, happy community event”
- Feedback that there was not enough food and one pancake per person wasn't quite enough
- Thank you to Megan Martin for all her hard work
- A float will be necessary for 50/50 draw for next year.

**Rebate Programs:**

- Ken discusses the different programs and their benefits
- Stacie outlines Two River Meats fundraising (organic, locally owned)
- Tea sales – steeped tea rep (Kelly Pershikt?) for kids to buy loose tea for Mom
- Stacie – Big Brother will pay \$2.50/garbage of used clothing/items
- Christmas Market: parents donate items and kids get to purchase items for parents (\$0.50-\$3.00) – next year
- Ladies Night – selling Arbonne, Stella & Dot, epicurious etc...
- Spring Social
  - -Spelling Bee
  - -Trivia Night
  - -Family Skate Night
- Mother's Day Tea – courtyard, donated baked goods, served tea on trays for moms and kids.

**Floor is open for comments:**

- Alyson Martel would like to talk about the School Directory at the next meeting
- Blueridge Good Neighbour Day is June 5
- Jen Verriere won the \$10 draw for Munch-A-Lunch
- Davinder asks for any ideas for the PAC Newsletter