



SEYMOUR
HEIGHTS

ELEMENTARY

PAC Meeting Minutes

November 7, 2019

Meeting Called to Order: 7:00pm

Attendees:

Brynn Belisle, Kelly Knill, Tara Mason, Alison Anderson, Mareike & Daniel Grunwald, Alison McMahon, Jennifer Bransten, Joanna, Ann and Melissa Wilks

Motion to approve the financial statements:

Motion: Tara

Second: Melissa

Motion Passed

Motion to approve the October Meeting Minutes:

Motion: Tara

Second: Kelly

Motion Passed

Discussion:

Admin Report Presented by Ann + Joanna:

- SFU students attended the school last month
- Construction on the street is almost complete
- Raised 600 lbs of food for harvest project
- Adding a goal around writing, learned about a writing skill - task analysis
- Small group going to we-day, 2nd year in a row
- Matt is doing a group video and present to CBC
- Ski lessons at Mt Seymour (4:30-6:30) opportunity for kids to learn to ski even when parents don't. Need 20 kids Tara Wilson \$148, child gets a pass. 4 week program. Shuttle / Bus may be available.
- The teachers had a special focus this month ie. Family (K classes); Matter (Kuzik); Seasons (Nichols); Water Cycle (Gondekova); Erosion (Hirose); Microsoft Office visit (Baker); Habitat (Bird/Barrier); Gov't projects / math (Manerino); Evolution in Science / leadership jobs, lunch monitoring (6's/7's)
- Halloween costumes were great, everyone abided by the rules

Treasurer's Report:

- Meat sale - \$1,000
- Card Project - \$738 (over on the 17th)
- MAL to date - \$4,400
- Ipad purchase is pending with the district.
- Primary performance paid, bus booking for Choir at Park Royal

MAL - update

- Trying to replace TCBY with Menchies
- Reach out to Cobbs for snack program

- Vendor taste test day coming up
- Hot dog day coming up
- Foodie always delayed in picking up packaging / containers

School Directory

- \$155 collected in advertising
- Follow up with Katie on status

Upcoming events:

- Need volunteers; busiest time of the school year
- Family photo night (only 3 of 26 spaces left). Will consider a deposit to avoid no shows in future years.
- Friday November 29th - Elf will be playing in the gym. Open to all families. Popcorn, drink and candy bag included in ticket price. Kernels popcorn !) fundraising snack bag (chip bag size) 10% of sales goes to the school \$1.15 cost. Volunteers to bag candy
- Santa's Breakfast - December 7th - 8:30 - 10:00 working on getting donations (pancakes, strawberries, coffee, juice, candy canes, cinnamon buns) toonie jars, cake walk,
- Christmas Market - December 13th - donations to be dropped off after November 25th
- Camp Read - come in your pj's - Friday December 20th, PAC to provide hot chocolate

Spirit Wear:

- Orders to be moved to late January

Grade 7 update:

- Made \$1000 on turkey raffle
- Bottle drive (can take a clear bag and drop at the express - no need to sort) Seymour Heights has an account and can drop off

- Popcorn sales
- Legacy gift - welcome mat

DPAC:

- Former RCMP speaker on bullying - Tad Milmine
- Distinguish between being hurtful, being mean and bullying
- Minutes to be forwarded to the President in due course

Family of School updates:

- Refer to attached minutes from Jennifer

3-Point Basketball:

K- 4 or 1 -4 / \$180 (1hr for 9 weeks) 16 minimum

Meeting Adjourned @ 8:15pm

Next Meeting December 5, 2019

Seymour Heights Elementary

FOS Meeting

18 October 2019 / 9:30 AM / Belmondo Cafe

ATTENDEES:

Nicole - Windsor / Jennifer - Blueridge / Jennifer - Seymour Heights

Not In Attendance : Mandy - Lynnmour

AGENDA:

1. Welcome & Introduction
2. Updates

UPDATES:

- Windsor enrollment this year is just over 900 students.
- Windsor has a Japanese exchange program currently and students from Windsor will be travelling to Japan in April 2020.
- Vaping at Windsor has become a serious issue with student's receiving suspensions for vaping in or around school property.
- Windsor would allow our three feeder schools to hold a vaping speaker/event within the school for parents in order to educate students prior to attending Windsor and to inform parents and students of the science and serious nature of vaping.
- Windsor has a mindfulness training program
- Mother / Father days gifts changed to family day gifts with negative feedback from parents at Blueridge and proposed crafting event for families in lieu of this decision - tbd

- Fundraising options were discussed between the schools and money raised within each school for each of these events. This writer did not have the financial information to share with the group at this time. The writer did share Seymour Heights upcoming fundraising events that the writer has been informed of thus far. The writer did share Heights nights amounts raised from what information she had been provided with.
- Blueridge rep Jennifer proposed a Halloween fundraiser for next year for costumes and decorations. Indicating that involvement from Lynnmour and Seymour Heights perhaps splitting profits.
- Blueridge is doing a fundraiser through the B.C. fruits and Veggies program with a 40% kickback to the school.
- Windsor will not be putting on their annual Gala this year, however will engage with grade 8/9 parents to proceed next year.
- Windsor will be involved in the Interact Club with donations of socks, coats, food etc where 18 tickets for wednesday would be handed to students as incentives.
- Windsor, Blueridge and Seymour Heights participated in toonies for Terry.
- Windsor will have a Halloween Costume contest.
- Windsor had received \$800 in donations
- PST rebates from the district included Windsor at \$1400 and Blueridge receiving approx \$700.

NOTES:

This Year's FOS meeting Dates :

- October 18th 2019
- November 22nd 2019
- January 24th 2020
- February 21st 2020
- April 17th 2020
- May 22nd 2020

ACTION ITEMS:

1. Jennifer - Seymour Heights to inquire about walking maps for both Blueridge and Lynnmour
2. Jennifer - Blueridge to inquire about BCAA Safety Patrol Training
3. Jennifer - Seymour Heights to inquire about Sherwood Park and Dorothy Lynas participation in the FOS meetings.

NEXT MONTH'S AGENDA

TBD By Nicole - Windsor