

Central Elementary Community School PAC

Minutes for PAC Meeting March 1, 2022

Attendance:

- Devyn Banks
- Krystal Bonnetta
- Vicki McGuffin
- Leslie Waddington
- Michelle Van Vught
- Georgina Charlie
- Maddie Tiessen

Meeting opened at 6:02pm.

Treasurer's Report:

General: \$3409.04
Gaming: \$5925.94

DPAC:

Looking for a representative for the school to attend DPAC meetings. Leslie to add an invitation on the PAC page on school website.

Administrative Reports:

- A new school website has been submitted, just waiting for the district to approve and move that forward.
- Michelle will check the PAC email at least weekly.
- No hot lunch in March because of spring break, but other option: BIA of Chilliwack was granting wishes for kids at school: Hot dog truck before spring break.

Fundraisers:

- Purdy's for Easter: (Doing it this month). Georgina will sign up our school and wait to get info back. "Purdy's Fundraiser Coming Soon" on Friday newsletter.
- Cookie fundraiser: We did this with Neufeld Farms before. Maddie will contact them. This would be for April.
- Vicky: Plant place contacted her about Mother's Day (plants, flowers). Waiting on more information and will send info to Georgina.
- Beef Jerky: Still waiting for info on this fundraiser.

Friday Newsletter:

- Include info for parents who would like to join a PAC meeting or the school PAC page on Facebook.

- Asking parents if they would want to see anything added to Central as we're always fundraising. Start brainstorming. Things we've heard from other schools that we may want to add to our school (ex. Gaga ball pit).

More Admin from Leslie:

- Report Cards coming home just before Spring Break.

- February Anti-Bullying Month. After Spring Break, often need to encourage students to continue in the spirit of kindness towards others.

- A ball team is fundraising for starfish backpacks again.

- Get registering kids for kindergarten if born in 2017.

- Boxes of supplies from the Bookman for Lice: Lice shampoo, a lice comb, some other essentials for hygiene (Laundry detergent, garbage bags). This will be helpful for any parents who need to treat lice.

- Staffing updates: Ms. Turner is back from her mat leave. Student teachers in three different classes until May.

- Update on Donna Arnold: Hubby in ICU in Spinal Unit in VCH. Waiting for a bed at G.F Strong. Donna is off until spring break. Hoping to come back part time after spring break (3 days a week maybe). A teacher has stepped in for now to fill Donna's roles, and Leslie is covering the admin work.

- Chilliwack District is doing "reshuffle" for Principals, Vice Principals, Admin teams.

- Grade 5's. Will be a parent meeting. Leslie been meeting for tea time with kids, assessing and looking forward to middle school, reminiscing and reflecting.

- A few new grants just put in: For special needs sporting equipment and for a reading/literacy program.

Meeting called at 6:42pm

Next Meeting: April 5th, 2022 at 6pm.