

Central Elementary PAC Minutes Sept. 14, 2026

Attending: Michelle Van Vugt, Maddie Tiessen, Jamie Charlie

Start Time: 4pm

Treasurer's Report:

General: 9,871.60

Gaming: \$401.80

DPAC Updates:

- First DPAC meeting is on September 24th.
- DPAC is working on hosting an All Candidates meeting in early October to help parents learn more about the School Trustee Candidates who are running.
- DPAC is working in September to outline the Action Plan for the school year, at this time we don't have a detailed plan for the school year. We are focused on the All Candidate event.
- Motion by Michelle to appointment Kate as the DPAC representative for the 2026-2027 school year for Central. Motion seconded by Maddie/passed by the Executive present.

Fundraising:

- 1) Created By Kids: Michelle is taking care of this fundraiser, and pick up for parents should be late November or early December.
- 2) Neufelds: Maddie will contact them to set up fundraiser with pick up sometime at the end of November. We'd also like to do Neufeld's in May again in 2027.
- 3) Hot Lunch Dates:
 - a) October 16: Little Ceasar's. Maddie will call to inquire. Maddie can attend this hot lunch and will find at least one other person, ideally two people, to help.
 - b) November 13
 - c) December 4 (There is no Turkey dinner in December, so we will do hot lunch).
- 4) Purdy's: We plan to do this again in the Spring just before Easter: Pick up would be early before spring break, March 8-12, as Easter is on Spring Break in 2027. Maddie will organize this early next year.

Other Business:

-Grade 5's: The PAC would like to propose doing something special for just the grade 5's. More ideas to come. Maybe some walking field trips to the leisure centre with the kids' free passes, or to District 1881 for a special treat funded by the PAC. Possibly something like water bottles with personal stickers they could use for them.

-Inquiries:

Will there be any government funded after-school activities for Central this school year?:

This is up to the Community Closet and whatever they decide after knowing their budget and goals.

Will there be Kyacking this year? IRide?

-IRide circulates through different schools over the years, so doesn't come every year.

We will see.

-Ilena Graham will have information about kyacking.

Staff Asks:

Ilena Graham has asked the PAC for \$350 for wheelchair basketball. She is hoping to do it at the end of October. We will get official confirmation at next meeting.

Staff Updates:

-274 kids, 14 Divisions

-Ms. Lee is back with a grade % split.

-Erin Campbell back and sharing a class with Jane Bicycle.

-Sept. 24: Welcome Back Event. PAC will attend and wear T-shirts. 4:30-5:30pm, more details to come. Half the time inside and half the time outside.

-Bus Evacuation on Sept. 18. Kids need to wear proper foot wear.

-Orange Shirt week on week of Sept. 28. No school on the 30th.

-Sept. 25- Terry Fox Run

Meeting End Time: 4:32

Next Meeting: Oct. 5 at 4:30pm

