

Baker Drive PAC Meeting September 10, 2018

Agenda

Approved by Cheri

Seconded by Michelle H.

Minutes from last meeting

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Action Items

- 1) Mrs. Deck and parents to continue following up regarding slide repairs and to discuss playground
- 2) Mrs. Deck to talk to school librarian regarding Fall Book Fair
- 3) Teresa will talk to community members regarding Halloween Fireworks
- 4) Juliet to check in with Christie regarding Movie Night in November
- 5) Terri to send email looking for Grade 5 Parent Rep and Homeroom Parents for divisions that still need Reps

Introductions

Welcome to all and introductions

Role of the PAC

****Please see attached notes on this topic****

Principal's Report

- What has Been Happening in our Learning Community - School
- **Have been supporting our APL goal**
- Self-regulation skills
- Increase social emotional vocabulary
- Solving problems peacefully
- Self-reflection/Core competencies
- **Working on Foundation skills in all academic areas** – literacy, numeracy and technology
- Teaching staff update
- New teachers – Celine Lai, Sherry Rudden, and Leah Drewbrook
- Technology - increased focus on digital literacy
- District Plans
- School Cash on Line – 'new' School Policy Forms
- Office 365 – everyone has own account
- BYOD and Student Laptops
- Coding – computational thinking
- School Plans
- Devices – Laptops/iPads

- Digital Literacy – Research skills, cloud storage
- Playground Update
- Mrs. Deck has contacted company regarding slide repairs – waiting for reply from Playspace Adventure Ltd.
- District staff has replaced some pieces from spare parts
- Mrs. Deck has researched District requirements and procedure for playground installation
- Mrs. Deck is looking for direction – regarding either removal of slide and focus on improving ground or replacement of slide
- Stairs to the playground are on list for replacing – district cost
- What is Happening in our Learning Community - District
- Supreme Court Ruling has brought a focus on teacher retention, attracting new teachers to the District, mentoring
- Opening of Smiling Creek
- School Board Elections upcoming

Treasurer Report- Michelle C.

- ****Please see attached reports****
- Juliet and Michelle have worked together on Budget
- Items of note:
 - School performances has been increased to 2
 - Emergency Supplies to be replaced 2018/2019
 - \$5000 extra since budget put together because of Spring Carnival and expenses under budget
 - Following up on gymnastics equipment purchase
 - Total profit last year was about \$27896 - \$14656 of which was Hot lunch. Carnival was \$3688
- Michelle Hunt won 5 yards of soil from Garden Works – look at possibly using at school or selling as a fundraiser

Fundraising – Cheri

- Cheri and Nikki taking on fundraising this year
- Want to build up fundraising in areas other than the fantastic Hot Lunch program
- With playground equipment being top of the list
- Financial fundraising history was presented
- Goal of \$15000 for this school year
- Focus:
 - on offering a variety of fundraisers throughout the year for families to participate in
 - Maintain and continue to build strong community relations

- Picked items based on what thought it would do for school, perks, realistic and what people would be receptive to
- **Looking into the possibility of the following ideas to run in Sept-Dec. dependent on vendor availability and parent volunteers**
- BC Lions game – forms will be going home with students soon
- Entertainment Books
- Meat Craft – Turkey or Hams
- Gabi and Jules Handmade Pies
- Scholastic Book Fair Oct.
- Halloween Dance with dinner possibly offered
- Halloween Fireworks
- Movie Night
- Wine Raffle
- Purdy's Chocolates
- Small Business Night and Wine Draw
- Christmas Market
- Possible Pub Night

Hot Lunch

- Orders are coming in

After School Programming

- Andrea is looking into booking things to start possibly at the beginning of Oct.
- Will look into room availability

BOKS

- Registration is open Grade 1-5
- Tuesdays and Fridays 8:00-8:45
- Free Program run by Charles Best Leadership students
- Active Program

Fruit and Veggie Program

- Program is running with first delivery (peaches) going out to students today

Fall Book Fair – need lead

- Mrs. Deck to talk to school librarian regarding helping out
- Zoe is happy to pass on info to fall leader

Fireworks – need someone to take this on

- Need to receive shipment
- Need a team to run it and organize
- Teresa will talk to community members

Communication

- Michelle H. is looking at taking all the variety of emails and consolidating information in one piece
- Has set up a Baker Drive Facebook page
- Will work with Sue to have events and dates on the webpage

Homeroom Parents

- are a liaison between classroom and parents
- help with staff appreciation lunch and door decorating
- several parents volunteered for specific divisions – call will go out to divisions still needed

Possible School Wide Art Project

- Karen has been talking to Mr. Rumohr regarding a project
- Possible Aboriginal focus

Motion to Adjourn – Cheri

Seconded – Michelle H.

Next Meeting: October 22 at 6:30

Attendees:

Cheri Keenan

Karen Bagayawa

Andrea Dawson

Kathy Campbell

Julie Gomm

Juliet Mohlmann

Laurie Head

Margaret Mary Deck

Michelle Hunt

Michelle Chan

Terri Besworth

Zoe Sanborn

Teresa Hageman

Georgina Havelka