1. **In Attendance:** Chelsea, David, Zara, Cheryl, Tanya, Angela, Meghan
2. **Meeting commenced at 7:01pm**
3. **Approval of February Minutes by Cheryl and Zara**
4. **Approval of Agenda by Angela and Tanya**
5. **Principals Report** 
   * School Goal focused on Numeracy and planning for the next year are in the works right now
   * Covid restrictions have loosened a little bit back to all kids on the playground at the same time and all kids having lunch at the same time
   * David is optimistic that as the restrictions loosen that spring activities might be possible such as grade 5 events, track and field and other sporting activities
   * Rapid Tests did go home with the kids last week. If your child did not receive this you can come in a pick them up. Please call in advance.
   * Tennis is booked for June
   * After spring break assemblies may be starting with a couple grades together at a time
   * Saleema Noon Body Science is coming the last week of May
6. **Grade 5 Update**
   * $774 Bottle Depot
   * $293.90 Pasta Polo dinner night
   * Growing Smiles May 5 pickup afternoon and evening pick up orders will open after spring break April 21 deadline
   * Martial Arts Saturday – tickets are still available – 32 tickets have been sold
   * Sushi Night – possibly March 30 (like pasta night)
   * Meeting with Jungle Jacs – fundraiser will be discussed on Monday with Tanya
7. **Treasurer Update**

Treasurer Report March 1 2022 School Year 20201/2022 - Cheryl Gyourov Treasurer

* **PAC DONATIONS**
  + **Please pay PAC donations**, 35$ for one child, 50$ for two or more children. Pay PAC donations by MunchaLunch
    - These PAC donations go toward:

1. funds for each classroom every year to help the teachers
2. a donation to the grade 5 class for the end of the year celebrations
3. helping the school out by splitting the cost of extra activities such as tennis, hip hop week, saleema noon body science talks
4. the pumpkin patch event and the upcoming easter egg hunt
5. in previous years the PAC donates to the field trip fund to help the cost of field trips lower
6. Christmas Hampers
7. Teacher appreciation week
8. Welcome to kindergarten events

And so much more.

We have been doing these extra fundraisers to raise money for the kindergarten playground as it needs to be replaced at the cost of the PAC NOT the school.

* **Operating Budget 2021/2022 Year**
  + Feb 2022
  + Income $4,503.02
  + Expenses $2,438.93
* **Account Balances**
  + Operating Fund $8,541.95
  + Gaming Fund $10,049.76
  + Playground Fund $35,561.47
* **Grants**
  + Awarded TSBC Tire Stewardship Grant for Playground - $17,901.5 (Must be used by Nov. 30, 2022)
* **Upcoming Grants**
  + Spirit of Coquitlam Opens Spring 2022
  + Co-Op Community Spaces Funding – Submitted Feb 28 2022
  + PoCo Capital Matching Projects Grant Spring 2022
  + BC Hydro Grant Program – Applied Feb 28 2022
    - A huge THANK YOU to Carrie Bove for applying for these grants for the playground
* **Recent Fundraisers**
  + $625.70 coffee and donuts
  + $299.86 growing smilies
  + 641 boston pizza
  + 815 little ceasers
  + 117 stripe fees charged for munchalunch

1. **Playground Update**
   * Committee will get together to discuss more plans
   * Grant Applications have been submitted by Carrie Bove
2. **DPAC** – information has been shared on the CRE Parents Facebook page
3. **Chairpersons Report**
   * Hot Lunches for this month – **Please ensure you have received an email reminder to confirm the day prior.** 
     + Boston Pizza – Wednesday, March 2nd (tomorrow)
     + Little Caesar’s – Thursday, March 10th
   * Fundraisers coming up:

**Clothing Drive** – most should have come home with a blue clothing drive flier.

Dates to drop off clothing are:

**Friday, March 11th from 2:30-3:30pm**

**Saturday, March 12th from 10am-2pm**

**Saturday, March 19th from 10am-2pm** – *we need 1 more volunteer for this day*

**Saturday, March 26th from 10am-noon.**

**Clothing items will be picked up at 12:30pm on the 26th. All items can be brought to the school by the K playground.**

* + - Purdy’s Easter Fundraiser – is live at <http://fundraising.purdys.com/1030563-92698>. Campaign code 34772. Order deadline is March 25th & pick up is April 13th
    - Tru Earth Fundraiser – is live at <https://fundraising.tru.earth/CREPAC>

We will eventually do a group buy.

* + - Raise the Funds – **pick up is today, March 2nd from 2:30-3:30 pm at the kindergarten playground.** Please make sure someone can pick up your order as we don’t have a place to store the items.
    - Meridian Meats – starts March 28th
    - Make It Sow Fundraiser – Looking at doing this closer to Earth Day (April). For every 10 seed packages sold, 1 tree gets planted.
    - Palette Posse Paint Kits – finalizing details for Easter
    - Easter Egg hunt like we did Pumpkin Patch will be on April 14 in the afternoon, kids will get treats in the afternoon. Grade 5’s are helping organize
  + Munch-A-Lunch – anyone with credits, please use before the end of the year. You can use your credits on PAC Donations, Hot Lunch, or Fundraisers. Ordering for April – June will open later this week.
  + Silent Auction & Raffle Items – Still looking for donations. Angela and Zara will work on finding the format to use for an online silent auction. If you know of anyone to donate any items/gift cards/gift baskets let us know.
  + Ongoing Fundraisers:
    - **Cobbs @ Oxford crossing** – you can donate your points to the school.
    - **Mabel’s Labels –** go to mabelslabels.ca and click “support a fundraiser” search for our school (CRE PAC) and get shopping. There is a wide variety of labels you can create**.**
    - **Return it Depot** - walk up with your bottle returns in a clear or see-through blue plastic bag and put in the school’s phone number (604) 942-0241 into the express return machine – print out your labels and place them on the bags to leave in the express return area for your deposit to go to the fundraising efforts.
    - **Provincial Spirits –** We have an ongoing fundraiser for **ONLINE orders ONLY.** When checking out type CRE PAC in the coupon section to earn our school **$1 per ORDER.** As we only get $1 per order, please do multiple small orders.

1. **New Business** 
   * Updates & changes to CRE PAC Constitutions and Bylaws at AGM in May.
   * What can we use the gaming fund for – ideas are getting a hip hop dance teacher in for the kids as we have in the previous years, helping with a reading program and repainting the 4 square lines and possibly adding more to the pavement in the intermediate playground area?
   * Munchalunch will open for hot lunch orders from April -June this week. **Cut off for April 6th hot lunch will be during spring break so get your order in before spring break to not miss out!**
2. **Next Meeting –** Tuesday, April 5th at 7pm.
3. **Adjournment at 8:23pm**