

# École Montgomery Middle School

**PAC Minutes** 

Tuesday October 18th, 2022 Held via Teams

#### In Attendance:

**PAC Members:** Danielle Nicholson (Chair), Kim Cameron (Treasurer), Kristine Kirk (Treasurer), Sabine Sengmueller (Council DPAC), Rene Norena (Member at Large), Christine Friend (Member at Large), David Sotelo (Secretary), Jennie Robson, Lingling Liu, Zahra Enami, Jane Hui.

Staff: Sarah Husband (Principal), Rob Heinrichs (Vice-Principal)

## Absent:

## Approval of Agenda and September 2022 Minutes

- > Agenda approved by Danielle and seconded by Kim
- > September minutes approved by Danielle and seconded by Kim

#### Treasurer's report:

- > Gaming funds have been deposited, \$9,080
- > \$505 from parent donations have been received.
- > Upcoming expense to cover BCC PAC membership.

#### **DPAC report**

Next DPAC meeting on Wed October 26<sup>th</sup> at Winslow Centre in-person

## Administrator Presentation

- Rob's introduction.
- > Expos update: STEAM exploration is a new program this year, kids are given the opportunities to work on different activities. Expo rotation will happen by the end of October.
- Halloween activities: Classroom door decoration competition, Howling for Hunger to support the Share Food Bank, pumpkin carving contest, costume contest.
- Volleyball Intramurals program is in-progress.
- > Chess: 40 kids signed-up for chess club.
- Student Government Reps: 1 representative per class, there is balance between girls and boys.
- Change in reporting starting in Sept 2023: As part of the revised curricula, the four-point provincial proficiency scale is used in K-9 to communicate student progress in all areas of learning. The four points on the scale include Emerging, Developing, Proficient and Extending

Hot lunch – Healthier options review

- On Oct 11<sup>th</sup>, A parent requested via e-mail to include healthier options for the hot lunch. The parent volunteered to contact other restaurants, PAC responded welcoming the help and will follow-up on next steps.
- Linda Intihar left a binder with information about how to run programs operated by PAC, the binder may include information about how to operate hot lunch. PAC will look into the binder for information.
- > As of today, there are 152 orders for the hot lunch that will take place on November 18<sup>th</sup>.
- Cookie day: PAC reached-out to the bakery that helped in 2019, they can bake the cookies for \$2.25 each. The price that will be available to kids is \$3.0 each, so the markup will be used to fund programs. In 2019 the order was placed for 300 cookies and that number was used to estimate the price per unit for this year.

**Review/Finalize updates to the Charter** 

> The Charter was reviewed, some changes were discussed. PAC will work on refining the document before releasing it to the community.

Next Meeting: Nov 15<sup>th</sup>, in person.

Adjournment: 8:23PM