# Terry Fox Secondary School PAC Meeting Minutes September 21, 2023 7:00pm Held in Library, TFSS



Attendance: PAC Executive & Committee Members

Chair Andrea Howorth Present
Vice Chair Kelly Cooper Present
Treasurer Jamie Manchester Present
Secretary Andrea Jabour Present
Fundraising Coordinator Lisa Currier Absent

Social Media Coordinator open
After Grad Liaison open
DPAC Representative open

Members At Large (Dee) Asmund Absent

Jimmy Fung Present

School Administration David Starr Present

Members Present: Karen Last

Other attendees: Chantal, Kerry, Mary, Maria, Darian, Sigal, Paulina, Gabi

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Meeting called to order by Andrea Howorth at 7:01 pm.

#### 1. Welcome & Introductions

## 2. Additions to Agenda

None

| Approval of Agenda |               |         |              |         |
|--------------------|---------------|---------|--------------|---------|
| MOTION:            | Andrea Jabour | SECOND: | Kelly Cooper | CARRIED |

**3. Review and Approval of Minutes** from June 15 2023 meeting. Distributed via email prior to meeting.

# 4. Committee Reports

## a. PRINCIPAL'S REPORT: David Starr

- i. Overview of how the school APL (action plan for learning) works and review of curriculum and student demographics.
- ii. @1,500 students for 2023-2024 school year. @76 teachers. @50 support staff.
- iii. APL overview school aligned with staffing and budget
  - Intellectual development goal schoolwide STEAM with school programming and resources. Goal is to be more accessible for all students. Math bridge - supplementary instruction to fill in gaps. Solar Max project - solar eclipse project trip to Dallas in April 2024, 35 kids.
  - 2. Human social development enhancing culture and well being.
  - 3. Indigenous Learning enhancing indigenous learning and advancing reconciliation.
- iv. Athletics are now in full swing.
- v. Grad Activities Senior Sail next week. Winter formal to come Dec/Jan, date TBD. Dinner/Dance June 1 @ VCC. Aftergrad is organized by a parent committee, school is not involved. Commencement June 22 @ Orpheum.

#### **b. PAC EXECUTIVE REPORTS**

Chair: Andrea Howorth

- Thank you to David, TFSS Staff and students for Open House last night.
   Great turn out and well organized.
- ii. PAC had a booth at the event and answered questions.

Vice Chair: Kelly Cooper

i. Nothing to report.

**Treasurer:** Jamie Manchester

- i. Report distributed prior to meeting via email.
- ii. Gaming \$25,000 grant but has restrictive use. Balance as Sep 14 GE \$11,090. Gaming \$9,145. Total \$20,236
- iii. Teacher's wish list has been received. Proposed budget will be presented at October meeting for approval. October 10 pre-meeting via zoom to go through requests. Andrea H to send out meeting invite.
- iv. Gaming license requests please send to: treasurer@dpac43.ca.10 weeks notice please.

**Secretary:** Andrea Jabour

Nothing to report.

# Social Media Coordinator: position open

i. Nothing to report.

# **DPAC:** position open, Andrea H./Jamie reported

i. Meeting October 4, 7pm. Register via eventbrite. Free to attend.

# **Fundraising:**

i. See New Business, Craft Fair, below.

# Grad Liaison: open

- i. Kelly Cooper will be the liaison.
- ii. First meeting is Monday, Sep 27 @ 7pm

# Members at large: Jimmy

i. Nothing to report.

# 5. Business Arising from Previous Minutes / Old Business:

- a. Craft Fair November 4
  - i. Vendor application was sent out the end June. 167 vendors applied. (128 last year). 122 vendors confirmed to date.
  - ii. Craft fair committee. Leadership team to run bake sale and will be awarded funds.
  - iii. Dry grad committee will run 50/50.
  - iv. Concession operation has been awarded to Football team. They will use funds for their purposes.
  - v. Goal is to raise \$9,000+

#### 6. **New Business:**

## **Voting of Executive:**

- Paulina Larrain put forward her name for the position of DPAC Representative;
   Kelly Cooper seconded, all in favour, Carried.
- Karen Last put forward her name for the position of Social Media Coordinator; seconded by Jamie Manchester, all in favour, Carried

## 7. Next meeting date:

a. Thursday, October 19, 2023 in the Library.

# 8. **Meeting Adjournment**

a. Meeting adjourned at 8:21 pm.