

SMILING CREEK PARENT ADVISORY COUNCIL (SCPAC)

Meeting Minutes: Tuesday, November 29, 2022

In attendance (on Zoom): Rubina Umarji, Brittany Quirolo, Jillian Riederer, Anjie, Allison Johnson, Connie Wu, Crystal Y, Eva Dias, Jenny, Joyce Lawrence, Lindsay Trudel, Mike Toporowski, Stacey Toporowski, Stacey Cruz, Tanya Hassard

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Call to order 7:03pm	
Motion to approve previous meeting minutes	<p>Moved by Tanya Hassard Seconded by Eva Dias</p> <p>PASSED</p>
Motion to approve agenda	<p>Moved by Joyce Lawrence Secondary Eva Dias</p> <p>PASSED</p>
<p>Presenter – <i>Jillian Riederer, Smiling Creek Elementary School Counsellor-role/services, SEL, Growth Mindset</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● School Counseling support <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Individual ○ Small Group ○ Class-wide <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ E.A.S.E should be taught to all students ■ Mood Meter ■ Zones of Regulation ■ Safe Bodies ■ Social Thinking ■ MindUp ■ Restorative Circles ○ School-Wide <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Restorative conversations/conflict resolution ■ General emotional support ○ Referral process <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ School Based Team ■ Parent Request ■ Teacher/school-staff referral ■ Student referral ○ EASE at Home: https://healthymindsbc.gov.bc.ca/ease-at-home-k-7/ ○ Contact: jriederer@sd43.bc.ca

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Principal's Report (Allison Johnson)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Update <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Progress Report published December 8 - https://myeducation.gov.bc.ca/aspen/logon.do <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Parent Portal will be used for progress reports. ■ Login and download the report if you need a copy. ■ Access will only be available for 1 month. ○ Illness/Absenteeism <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Very high absenteeism ■ 100 kids out in the last week ■ Request for parents to complete health check and err on the side of caution and stay home ○ Winter Concerts - In person <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Afternoon and evening performance options for both Schedule A (Tentative Dec 14 at 1:30-2:30 pm, 6:15pm-7:15pm) and B (Dec 15) - UPDATED: 1:15 and 6:30 ○ Book Fair - Open 11/29-12/1 until 5pm <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ School receives credit for books ■ Virtual Bookfair Link: https://virtualbookfairs.scholastic.ca/pages/5188482 ○ Grade 5 year end planning <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Looking for parent volunteers for the Grade 5 Ceremony Committee: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Need a parent volunteer for yearbook coordinator ● Need parent volunteers for the leaving ceremony and pancake breakfast ■ Teachers will organize the Year end field trip - Cultus lake or Sasamat Camp ● Questions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ No questions

<p>Treasurer's Report (Tanya Hassard)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. Current Financials & Bank Balances <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Link to budget: https://www.sd43.bc.ca/School/smilingcreek/Parents/Pages/PAC.aspx#/= b. Not much change on expenses in the last month c. Income: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. Movie night - \$1,200 ii. Clothing Drive - \$76 iii. Neufeld - \$1,200 iv. Card Project - \$1,775
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<p>Old/New Business</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. SECTION XV.5 AMENDMENT (passed Oct 25) - Call for SCE families and local business owners willing to provide customer discount and support SCPAC with a percentage of sales ii. PAC updates – hub, social, volunteer opportunities, ongoing fundraisers: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Cobs Bread b. Mabel's Labels c. Return It depot recycling d. Moe's e. Chapters Indigo f. Nellie's (POSTPONED TO 2023) g. Link to ongoing fundraiser hub: https://sites.google.com/view/smiling-creek-pac/fundraisers/ongoing-fundraisers iii. Issue with SD43 teachers to receive gift cards from FlipGive - workaround is to have the gift card sent to your personal email and then forward it to the teacher. UPDATED: SD43 IT has whitelisted FlipGive GC email address to allow giftcard delivery to staff accounts iv. Playground Update - <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. donor recognition thank you plaque is in process, b. Share ideas for outdoor space adjacent to playground to Ross Jacobsen v. Community Values books - <i>Crystal/Stacey S- class ice cream party to be determined. Thanks to all our SC families for the continued support.</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Reminder: If you haven't returned the books please do so or submit payment for them vi. Fundraisers closing - Purdys, Wednesday, November 30th <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Looking for parent volunteers vii. Future fundraising options <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. (if parent coordinators volunteer to organize) - Shopping Night (closer to Mother's Day), Provincial Spirits, Corporate Kickbacks etc viii. Movie Night at Excel Martial Arts on January 7, 2023 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Drop off event b. Limited # of spots available! ix. January 7th Bottle Drive, 11am-2pm <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Looking for parent volunteers x. Parent questions / feedback <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Backpack buddies program - https://www.backpackbuddies.ca/ b. Suggestion for events for children to give back to the community
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Committee / Executive Updates	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. DPAC (Mike/Stacey T) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Next Meeting November 30 via Zoom. b. See PAC email for login information c. Links for DPAC meeting minutes, agenda, etc on the Smiling Creek PAC hub site ii. Hot Lunch- Term 2 ordering opens December 12th, 2022- closes January 6th, 2023 iii. Fundraising Committee Volunteers Needed - Purdys volunteers/coordinators to distribute are needed iv. Grade 5 year end - parent coordinator/volunteers needed v. Spirit Wear - parent coordinator/volunteers needed <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Design in progress vi. Year End BBQ Committee- parent coordinators/volunteers needed ASAP <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Need to start planning this in January
Reminder of current/upcoming events:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. DPAC meeting 7:00 pm - Nov. 30 ii. Early Dismissal Wednesday November 30- Group A 1:39 pm Group B 1:54 pm iii. December 16th- Last day of school before winter break iv. Next SCPAC meeting- January 17, 2023 - 7:00-8:00pm v. Open Coordinator/Committees <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. CORP DONATIONS / GRANTS COORDINATOR: Open b. Fundscript: Open c. Additional Fundraising Ideas: Open (anyone willing to coordinate can take this on) d. FUNDRAISING EVENT COMMITTEES: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. Movie Night Committee: Open (2) ii. Year End BBQ Committee: Open (6)

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Meeting adjourned	* 8:03pm