

Aspenwood PAC Meeting – Minutes

May 8, 2024 7:00 PM

Attendance:

PAC Executives	<u>Parents</u>
Jessica S.	Curtis F.
Fiona K.	Jane W.
Corinna W.	Leah K.
Lisa M.	Hannah S.
Ine V.	Mihaela S.
Kathryn M.	Brynna C.
Lara P.	Woojo
Tricia T.	Maryam M.
Geoff L.	Svetlana K.

Call to order 7:20 PM by Chair, Jessica S.

1. Land Acknowledgement

2. Approval of agenda:

Adopted by Lara P. and seconded by Ine V.

3. Adopt Minutes:

Minutes from February 8, 2024 were adopted by Lara P. and seconded by Corinna W.

4. Message from the Chair:

The PAC committee did a phenomenal job this year, hosting many community events and fundraisers, and offering a weekly hot lunch program. Some of our bigger purchases this year were the new ceiling-mounted projector in the gym and the new water fountain upstairs.

5. Admin Report (Provided by by Tricia Tipper)

- The number of divisions will remain the same next year
- Registration for next year is down slightly but expected to grow at the start of next year



- Two Welcome Conversation days are planned in the fall to introduce parents to the new teachers
- Class composition will be available in the fall
- Decision on the new Aspenwood administration position will be made on May 21st; details to follow
- Thank you for the hip-hop classes; looking to book again for next year
- Improvements this year included downstairs painting; upstairs painting is planned for the fall
- Parking lot line painting is scheduled for the summer
- The path from the blacktop to the playground is eroding. Looking at widening the path and securing a retaining wall to contain the rocks from sliding down. We will assess the slope angle as well
- School floors are currently being stripped and refinished and sensory strips will be replaced
- Thank you to the current PAC. They have been so welcoming and I appreciated the willingness to work with me for the short-term.
- Teachers Appreciation Day was very well received. Teachers were very thankful for the efforts made

6. Treasurer's Report:

- All documents are maintained in Quickbooks
- PAC finances and budget were reviewed. Financial materials are available upon request by emailing PAC at aspenwoodpac2001@gmail.com

7. Events and Activities:

- Teachers appreciation day was this week. It was very well received
- Sports day is scheduled for June 7th; sign-up is going out tomorrow. Snacks will be provided on the field

8. Grade 5's Leaving Committee:

- The carnival event will is set for June 14th. All of the carnival planning has been arranged. Volunteer positions have also been filled. Fundraising is ongoing with freezie sales, etc.
- Looking for Chair/Co-Chair positions for next year's committee.
- 9. **DPAC Report:**
 - DPAC sponsored presentation by Tamara Strijack on "Anxious, Aggressive and Shut Down Kids" is scheduled for May 15th



10. Executive Election Results:

- Co-Chairs: Maryam Mukai and Hannah Sherman
- Treasurer: Woojo Jeon
- Secretary: Corinna Wang
- DPAC Representative: Sarah Reece-Robertson
- Members at Large: Melissa Lee, Svetlana Kovaleva and Leah King
- Munchalunch Coordinator: Lara Parafina
- Past Chair: Jessica Suryavanshi

11. Adjournment

- The meeting was adjourned at 8:50pm, approved by Kathryn M. and seconded by Corinna W.
- Next meeting in the fall TBC