

PAC Meeting Agenda

Thursday, February 3rd, 2022

ZOOM LINK:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88060995073?pwd=bDY3YW5EN2U2TVJyTGVLckhpTkc4QT09>

Attendees:

Samantha Davey

Miwa Aioki

Carolina Hall

Tara Parkinson

Dave Cyr

Michael Bird

Susnita Lynch

Laurie Leeder

1. Treasurer's Report

Update on finances

- i. General \$875
- ii. Donation \$373
- iii. Gaming \$13,201

2. Chairperson Report

i. Amplifiers – approval to purchase 3 from Amazon last meeting. 3 teachers have been testing with mixed results. One teacher said the students didn't really like it. Good with the 3 we have for now. Will continue to test/trial them.

ii. TCBY in May? Frozen Yogurt – would like to repeat as it did well in October. Will confirm with Ms. Bell and Leadership team there is no overlap.

iii. Purdy's for Easter? Look to run for two weeks starting Feb 28 and closing March 11 (last day of school before Spring Break). Orders would then be available for pick up week before Easter. We are looking for Parents to assist with this fund-raiser. If interested please email us at comolakemiddlepac@gmail.com

iv. Grad gifts – PAC looking to give a small gift for Grade 8s. Suggestions: key chains or frame for certificate. Will investigate and discuss at a future meeting.

3. Administrator's Report

- Opt in for conference for PTI
- Mural – 50% deposit already given – Ruza will give us invoice so this can be PAC \$1350 contribution – total cost that PAC is contributing \$2750
- Garden project – soil is in beds – now adding plants
- Arch carver – may not have enough time after spring break – is a learning experience with kids – because of pandemic protocols might be in September – hopes PAC will support with Gaming with gaming funds 50/50 (carving cost) – no votes taken; price varies with size – ballpark \$5000 all in

4. DPAC Report

Teachers in the District have been given 2 rapid test kits each to be used if they become symptomatic to ensure they do not come to school if positive.

District does not have any information whether students will receive any test kits.

Guest Speakers were regarding bereavement, particularly for 13-18 year olds. This age group will exhibit grief in different ways other than sadness, such as acting out, anger, anxiety.

1/14 Canadians will lose a parent or sibling before the age of 18.

Additional resources:

www.bcbh.ca (support groups and traumatic loss and grief educational training)

Crossroads Hospice Society (services Tri Cities for 13-19 year olds and Lumara Grief Bereavement Care Society in New West for children 12 and under

5. New Business

Will support Susnita's Custom Cakes Fundraiser. Order cut-off is Feb 8 with pick up dates being Feb 12th or 13th. 10% of proceeds from Valentine's Day promotion will be donated back to the PAC.

Basketball program has started. Kids are divided by grade, both genders on a team. Expecting that kids will just play our own teams unless restrictions ease.

6. Adjourn to March 3rd