

Gleneagle Secondary School Parent Advisory Council

Meeting Minutes: October 2nd, 2017

In Attendance: Stacey Plesko (Chair), Jennifer Yolland (Treasurer), Treena Banman (DPAC), Sabrina Henwood, Heather Kahle, Laya Vala, Sharon Luo, Tanya Billingham, Jennifer Manning, Jane Freeman, Georgette Van De Bovenkamp, Katherine Vanlerberg, Claudia Z. Mawji, Jill Raftery, Kirsten Ueland

Recording Secretary: Marsha Mullen

1. Welcome and call to order at 7:07pm

2. Approve Agenda – motion to adopt put forward by Jill and seconded by Claudia

3. Adopt minutes of previous month

- Minutes not circulated, therefore adopting minutes tabled till next meeting

4. Elections

- Motion to elect Jane Freeman for position of Treasurer put forward by Georgette, seconded by Claudia – all in favor, carried
- Motion to elect Tanya Billingham for position of Secretary put forward by Kristin and seconded by Laya - all in favor, carried

5. Treasurers Report

- Balance as of June 30th, 2017 for Gaming Account
 - PAC Funds - \$4,382.84
 - After Grad Funds - \$26.00
- Balance as of May 31, 2017 for General Account
 - PAC Funds - \$1,001.96
 - After Grad Funds - \$7,394.11
- Waiting to hear what our gaming funds will be for this year

6. Executive & Committee Updates

After Grad

- First meeting will be held in the Library at 7pm on Wednesday October 11th

DPAC

- No report

7. Principals Report

Opening

Over 150 new registrations

Appreciate the patience, cooperation, engagement--students, staff, and families

First week activities for grade 9 students--connection, spirit, pride. Dave Jonsson, guest speaker, living with intention.

Organization

1381 students
Includes 390 International students
Grade 9: 260
Grade 10: 239
Grade 11: 217
Grade 12: 275

District support staff

Carrie Clarke (Ab Ed youth worker)
Terri-Mae Galligos (Ab Ed resource teacher)
Summer Xia(Immigrant youth worker)
Angela Jeong (International youth worker)
Hong Yang(International youth worker)
Sabrina Hayward (SHARE support)

Extra-curricular

Clubs day
Wednesday, Sept 20

Athletics: cross-country, volleyball (x 4), field hockey, soccer (boys x 2), swimming

New teaching staff

Daniel Beley
Mike Chan
Zelda Coertze (Clausen maternity)
Robyn Croft
Kim Cuellar
Anna Cullen (Heffelfinger)
Lurenda Gilder (Gunn)
Kevin Henry
Karen Learmonth
David Lee (Kurylo maternity)
Charlotte Lightburn
Anne Lim
Terry Lindburg
Michelle Linde (Vaessen mat)
Nathan Morrisr
Rebecca Norman
Roberto Ramogida
Terai Short (Upton maternity)
Penny Turpin

LIF/EF/"Gleneagle way"

7 blocks
Academic focus--instruction and assessment
Kelly Cooper (En)
Lynn Cecchini (En)
Rachel Vaessen (SS) (x2)
Peri Morenz (Sc) (x2)
Colleen Kennedy (Ma)

Interims

Thursday, October 12

P/T interviews

Wednesday October 18, 4:00pm – 7:00pm

Will be using the new on-line sign up system again this year
(Shaw email accounts not compatible with on-line system; use alternative email addresses)

- PAC casino wish list proposals 2017 – see additional document
- Gleneagle App
- Customized Learning: instructional time; encourage student choice regarding learning activities.

8. Meeting Dates;

- Monday, Nov 6th
- Wednesday, Jan 17th
- Wednesday, April 11th
- Monday, May 14th

9. Adjourn 8:25pm