

Pinetree Secondary
Minutes of PAC General Meeting
Held November 23th, 2021 @ 7:00pm
Virtual Zoom meeting

At 7:00pm via a virtual zoom meeting, the Parents Advisory Council meeting was called to order by the President of the PAC, Janet Thompson. Quorum requirements were met and the meeting was permitted to proceed.

Pinetree staff present:

- Principal – Jeremy Clarke

Executives Present:

- President – Janet Thompson / Nathalie Wang
- Treasurer – Linda Qin
- Secretary – Ivana Dadak
- DPAC Rep— Maria Ledezma

Attendees:

- Ann Teglas
- Pooneh Kraushar
- Anthony Cheung
- Xavier Rebello
- Ericka Romero
- Claudia
- Ts
- Sandy
- Caihong Tan
- Anthony Cheung

Approval of Previous minutes

The Minutes of the Parent Advisory Council Meeting held on Oct. 12th, 2021 were reviewed by the present Council members and parents. It was moved by Janet Thompson and Seconded by a parent to approve the minutes and meeting agenda as circulated.

Meeting minutes:

Principal's message:

- Mid Term Reports – ready
- Can contact various teachers for assistance in accessing the reports
- Parents interviews are being conducted over zoom/MS Teams and over the phone. Emails have been sent out.
- Provincial assessments – 2 in grade 10 => Jan.24 to 28th
 - New assessment – Grade 12 literacy assessment
 - UBC will be considering this assessment. Proficient score of 3 required.
 - No other Universities are looking at this score
- Course change process – started last week. Closed Nov.22
 - Counsellors are reviewing requests
- Extra-Curricular activities – Volleyball Girls teams have done very well. Came in second in the district

- Junior boys came in third in the district
- Basketball starting up. Gas restrictions may impact this schedule.
- Many clubs have started but not all.
- Grade days organized by the leadership committee took place Nov.23
- COVID protocols. Not much of an update. Reminding students to keep adhering to social distancing and masking. More spaces are being made available for students.
- Change in the office – Miss Payne has been asked to help out at another school (Nestor). Still helping Pinetree. Miss Marry Babcock has stepped into the leadership role.

PAC meeting: Review of the Department's wish List.

General meeting consensus of the teacher's wish list.

- After Grad \$6500
- PAC passes to support students in financial need \$2000
- School Awards \$900
- Math Department \$1200
- Athletics \$3400
- Business/IT \$1007.79
- Counselling \$500
- English Department \$300
- Music Department \$4565.97
- Drama and Art Department \$2800
- Social Studies Department \$603
- ELL \$400

Next DPAC general meeting – Nov.25

Dec.7 – event BCIT

Next meeting – Jan.18, 2022

Meeting adjourned @ 8:35 pm.

Minutes prepared by Ivana Dadak
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