Riverview Park Elementary – Jan 9 2023 @ 7:00 PM

Teams

PAC Agenda

Regrets: …..

1. Welcome - Anita, Courtney, Jen, Jennifer, Tanya, Jermin,

**Adopt-a-Family**: feedback from Jen & Jen

* What worked well this year

-very successful

-families very grateful

- many gifts and monetary donations

-gift cards are great for older kids and adults in the family

-we had many last min donations – more money to add to hampers

-team had a google doc so that wouldn’t duplicate purchases

-ongoing list of what we had and needed for each family

-use of family affordability fund to add grocery gift cards for families

-many volunteers for wrapping night, everyone had a station with materials to wrap for each family and checklist

**Spirit Wear update**

-waiting for last 10%

-press the last few

-bundling by division

**Fundraising & Social:**

**Movie night:**

* Reach out to families for volunteers to then lead this effort going forward
* Jennifer Raptis, Ashley Edgington, Jen Jensen
* Anita- info re: special licensing
* Streaming service onto big screen
* Kids on mats/ can bring blankets and pillows etc..
* Family presale tickets on hot lunch site
* Snacks, drinks…possibly pizza or Frozen Yogurt?
* NOT a drop off. Parents required to supervise children
* Require Parent volunteers
* Focus on community building and something fun for the kids
* Possible dates Friday FEB 3rd OR Friday FEB 10th. TBA

**Financial:**

* report of the account balances in Feb when Zarna returns
* TD bank not the easiest work with. Will ask Zarna if she would like to switch bank
* PAC agrees that Zarna should look into a different bank ot have access to online banking

**DPAC: nothing to report**

-next Mtg. end of January/ info willl be shared at Feb PAC mtg. and in Feb PAC minutes

**Hot Lunch/Fundraising**

**-Tanya Adams-** orders out on hotlunch site for Winter

- possible Frozen yogurt day

-look into other pizza fundraisers

-Grade 5 frozen yogurt fundraisers after spring break

-student to bring a LUNCH BAG/KIT to school even on hot lunch days to have a place to bring home uneaten lunch and recyclables

**Principal Report: Anita Young:**

* -second submission of student enrollment
* District tracking enrollment
* Enrollment is up in lower mainland and in the district
* RVP- full- a few spots open in K-3 (2 in K, 1 in Grades 1,2,3)
* May be getting new students
* Less cross catchment students accepted
* ***Student Led Conferences- Feb 9th***
  + Early dismissal @ 1:45
  + Student Led conferences 2- 7pm (with dinner break for teachers at 5-5:30 pm)
  + No sign up required/ families come during this time and students show them to class, through portfolio and to other areas of the school
  + **BOOK FAIR** will run during this week
  + After school and during the conferences
* Challenges in Middle and secondary schools with consent (older school age students)
* Sexual Health and Child Abuse Information and resources provided by district
* District will provide updated resources and materials in print and online for schools
* Programs: Safe Body Strong Kids K-3 & Kids in the Know 4-5
* Will be RVP Jan 30 Pro D Day focus
* PAC to look into outside speaker – Saleema Noon
* New Counsellor- Jaqueline Delchoux- will facilitate and collaborate with staff
* HOT LUNCH- parents wanting to know what children have eaten, student to bring items home, bring a lunch kit on hot lunch days to return uneaten food / recyclables,
  + Want to work on disposing items properly/ can be a lot for the custodians to manage
* EDI- K teachers complete questionnaire about each student/ child not identified
  + Early development Index- partnership with UBC
  + MDI- Anita will facilitate with Gr. 4 students this year
* Programs – lunchbox theatre starting at lunch for those that signed up
* Looking into afterschool gym programs for students
* Possible Martial Arts program (TBA) 7 weeks afterschool program
* Look into programs for the Spring
* **HIP HOP- FEB 27-MAR 3- all students will practice during PE classes/ performance on Friday Mar. 3rd**
* **Performance will be RECORDED**
* $10 per student
* **New GOAL for 2023/2024 school year = NUMERACY ( MATH) APL Goal**
* **Student survey indicates this is an area they feel more difficulty**

\*\*\* Next PAC Meeting **February 6, 2023 at 7 PM**  \*\*\*

Suggested wording for reaching out to Families

\* please edit as you see fit

We are looking for volunteers to bring back social activities to our RVP community such as movie nights, bingo/game nights and similar events. Please let us know if you are interested and we expect that you would work in a team. Ideally this will form a group to lead these activities longer term.