

# Scott Creek PAC (Parent Advisory Committee) Meeting

### November 20, 2023 @7:00 p.m.

Scott Creek Library

**Attendees:** Teodora Parvanova, Leidy Munorz, Alexandra Chauran, Gillian Campbell, Sabrina Aslam, Leila Harrison, Melissa Fisher, Jennifer Fan, Lisa Rinke, Ann MacLeod

- 1. Call to Order/Welcome and Intro
- 2. Approval of agenda: 1st-Alexandra Chauran-> all in favour
- 3. **Approval of Minutes of Previous Meeting**: 1st-Leila Harrison-> all in favour

## 4. Administrative Report: Lisa Rinke reporting

- -New addition to the school is very exciting- scheduled to be completed for Sept. 2024
- -presentations to the student communities were well received Inclusivity was the message; honoring human rights and all views and values
- -Hilary Chisom is Scott Creek's new head secretary
- communities are engaged in lots of field trips
- -Scholastic book fair and triad conferencing took place
- -Remembrance Day assembly with the Wolves MC'ing and the choir playing a key piece in the success
- -Self-regulation appears to be improving and administration was very impressed with student behaviour during the assembly
- -Squeak and Squawk concert first beginner concert of the year was enjoyed by many
- -Fall athletics are finishing off
- -next set of athletics will be wrestling and basketball
- there will be a grade 6 basketball clinic Monday and Thursday mornings
- -Gr. 8 MDI is a measurement in school that gives feedback as a school. This is overall feedback which indicated that Scott Creek scored low in the connection piece (how connected students feel with several staff members)
- -Middle Development Instrument supports a vision to have more opportunity for connection
- -currently looking at developing student clubs where students can develop connections with other teachers
- -students have requested to have clocks in the hallways perhaps this is an initiative that PAC would support?

#### 5. President's report: Melissa Fisher reporting

- -PAC is hoping to support teachers with some funds for classroom essentials; looking at teacher FTE and considering allocating \$25/day; currently Scott Creek staffing is 39.1 teaching hours which would total approximately \$5000.00
- -currently we have approx. \$2000 in the general account so we will have to bump up the account

### 6. Treasurer's Report

6.1 Accounts Updates

Gaming account balance: \$12880.00

Total Gaming account balance will be \$24, 079.85

General account balance: \$2,382.72

Financial statements: paid this month: Munch a lunch \$336.90; PAC will also need to pay invoices

for t-shirts and Red Robin

## 7. DPAC Report: Alexandra Chandra reporting

Grade free reporting – explanation

Next meeting on November 29 will focus on wholesome nutrition for families.

#### 8. Other Business

8.1 Hot Lunch and Fundraising updates

Next fundraiser will be in January

Some possibilities for spring fundraising – Gardenworks plants and seeds, Growing minds, Kona Ice slushie truck

8.2 PAC puts forward the motion to spend fund in the amount of \$6,127.54 from the PAC Gaming Account to be used to purchase community t-shirts.

1st: Melissa Fisher; 2nd Sabrina Aslam-> all in favour-> MOTION PASSED

## Open discussion

Parent question about parent involvement in book choices, specifically the Read-aloud novel choice for the school-wide read.

Meeting adjourned @7:26 p.m.

Next scheduled PAC Meeting – January 22, 2024