



Parent Advisory Council

c/o 1211 Frost Road, Kelowna BC, V1W 5M1

Minutes of CMS PAC Meeting

Date: November 9th, 2021

1. Call to Order at 7:06pm
2. Adoption of Agenda - moved by Jeanette Watson
3. Approval of Oct 20, 2021 Meeting Minutes - moved by Patty Glover, seconded by Terry Marshall
4. Administration Update - Jim Laird, Principal and Carson Tonn, Vice Principal
 - thank yous
 - parent/guardian Info Zoom #1, not the best turnout, will do another one in January
 - Remembrance Day (Nov 10)
 - Pancake Breakfast Planning - need some parent volunteers - Dec 17th (crim checks needed)
 - Band and Drama Performances -limited to only immediate family due to Covid rules of 50 people per show
 - Band Tour Info Zoom (Wed the 17th at 7pm) - intermediate band students to go to a Band festival at Whistler
 - Report Cards - coming

-Enrichment Selection (December)

-before Christmas selection, some of the same options, and looking at some new options

-Teacher Candidates Joining CMS - be here for 6 weeks prior to Spring Break

-COVID Update - only a few single-person exposures

-Admin Update - Ryan moved on, Carson permanent VP

5. President Update - Saskia Battersby

-thanks to Patty for stepping up to manage the hot lunch site

-coordinating Christmas and End of Year Gifts, decided to focus on fundraising instead

-sister school donation, hard to choose schools, Lake Country new school

-Motion to donate to sister school H.S. Grenda Middle School - passed by Kendal Shaw, seconded by Jeannette Watson and Sam Collins

6. Budget Update - Kendal Shaw

-haven't received gaming grant funds yet

7. COPAC Update - Jeanette Watson

-Survey going out to parents soon, Nov 22nd - public engagement session at OKM regarding boundaries

8. Coordinators Updates

a. Events - Darlene Zanni & Rosie Poyntz-Wright

-met with some teachers and Mr. Tonn regarding events

-Pancake breakfast - need servers, will have a sign-up genius per community

-so many rules, hard to plan events, want to work on school camaraderie and community, possibility of having a guest speaker in gym and zoom to students in communities

-May Fun Day - obstacle course, slip and slide etc.

-Teacher Appreciation (February 17th) no homemade food, but catering okay

b. Hot Lunch - Patty Glover

- lots of volunteers, at least two people per community, raised over \$5000 already, watching which days are most popular, December menu coming out soon, sending out email because people not reading WAGG, kids away, parents have to email by 10am to save lunch, otherwise lunches will be sold or donated

c. Fundraising - Sam Collins

- goal for \$35,000 for hot lunch fundraising by end of year, on track compared to last year

- Basil Cooper Nov 14th - \$1050 rescheduled date due to rain

- Purdy and Poinsettia fundraisers - still looking for someone to run fundraisers (not sure if we have time to run these fundraisers, and may not be worth it)

- Spirit Wear approximate value for the year \$3500 approximately

- Goal for the year \$71,000, need to raise about \$17,000

- brainstorm fundraising ideas at next Exec Meeting

9. Other Updates

a. Ask Campaign - Jen Widmer

- launched Friday, going well, solo email, run until Dec 3rd

b. Spring Market - Patty Glover

- will talk about it in the executive meeting

c. Spirit Wear Fundraiser - Jeanette Watson

- keeping it simple, two weeks to order, hopefully here by Christmas

d. Workshops - Patty Glover

- workshops for parents, Marilyn Green (Anxiety workshop - dates to come), IG Wealth Management - Financial Literacy workshop, Digital Wellness (School Board - how to navigate social media)

- trying to get a range of topics, all via Zoom, will open up to feeder schools

- working on the dates, looking forward to restrictions being lifted

10. Adjournment 8:27pm

Executive Meeting - Nov 17th 6:30pm

Next Meeting: Tuesday, December 14th, 7pm, in person, at the *CMS* Library