McKinney PAC Meeting - Minutes
April 8, 2024 at McKinney School / Zoom

| Welcome | 7:02 pm - Call to Order |
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| Meeting Attendees: | Angie Ho, Alisa Magnan, Ivy Ho, Michelle Li, Anita Sandhu, Eileen Fujimuro, Norman Chow, Cheryl Neufeld, Tara Caffrey |
| McKinney Administrators: | Monika Sood |
| Adoption of Agenda | We would like to begin by acknowledging that the land on which we gather is the unceded territory of the həń q́ əmiń əḿ speaking people. <br> Agenda was adopted as presented. Moved by Michelle, second by Eileen. Motion passed. |
| Chair Update: <br> Tara | - Movie Night <br> - March Movie Night was well attended but attendance was less than the January Movie Night. <br> - Thank you to all the volunteers that helped set up, clean up, and distribute food. |
| Administrator's Report: <br> Monika | Outdoor Education <br> - Information session was well attending. <br> - Some students did not enjoy the one-day trip and felt that the two-day trip would be similar. The one-day trip was too short, it rained, and students did not do many outdoor activities. Information Session was able to address these concerns. <br> - Many families have returned the forms, but some have not. <br> - Gordon is contacting families who have not responded to address any concerns. <br> - Drumming Workshop (April 15 to 19) <br> - Presentation for parents April 19, 1:30, in the gym. <br> - Grade 7 Farewell Committee Meeting is on April 16, 6pm in the Library. <br> - Track and Field <br> - Open to Grade 4 to 7 students. <br> - Interested students are invited to an information session at the gym on April 9 at lunch. Students will be informed of the two-week practice schedule, which takes place at 8am, lunch, and after school. Coaches will gage interest in the events. <br> - Events include soft ball, discus, high jump, long jump, shot put, 1200m, 800m, 400 m relay, 80 m dash, and 200 m dash. <br> - Admins will form teams on May 6-10 with students who attend practices consistently. <br> - Track meet is on May 21 at Minoru. <br> - Parent volunteers are needed to drive students to Minoru and supervise students at Minoru. |

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|  | - Teachers and teacher candidates are available to coach events but additional parent volunteer coaches may be needed depending on number of participants. <br> - Include call out for parent volunteers in PAC April newsletter and Admin weekly updates. <br> - Monika will send out permission forms and volunteer forms. <br> - If additional coaches are needed, Anita may be able to call on some professional coaches. PAC preference is to call on parent volunteers instead of hiring professional coaches. <br> - Talent Show (May 30) <br> - Open to Grade 4 to 7 students. <br> - Sign up sheet has been posted. <br> - Sports Day (May 31) |
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| Treasurer's Report: Eileen | General Account <br> - About \$4096 for hot lunch/food days - includes prepay for April, May, June. <br> - \$100 corporate donation from Canadian Online. <br> - About $\$ 580$ profit from March Movie Night. <br> - Lower profit due to fewer attendance (families travelling for Spring Break). <br> - Pre-sale of tickets vs. entry by donation. <br> - For future Movie Nights, suggestion to return to entry by donation, but limit attendants by handing out tickets. <br> - Eileen made comparison of movie nights and will send to PAC Execs. <br> - About $\$ 179$ for purchase of new cheque book. <br> - No response on Steveston-London Scholarship. Monika suggested email the new principal, A Varghese. <br> Gaming Account <br> - No expenses this period. <br> Playground Fundraising <br> - About $\$ 64,000$ raised to date. |
| Food Days Coordinator: n/a | - No updates. |
| Fruit and Veggie Program: n/a | - No updates. |
| Social Media Liaison: n/a | - No updates. |


| Other Business | - Playground Fundraising <br> - Anita wrote a request for donation letter to various credit unions. <br> - Lisa Bantados, Steveston Coast Capital, committed to donating $\$ 100$. <br> - Anita will send request for donation letter to RBC and TD at Broadmoor. <br> - Discussion whether to extend fundraising for playground until after Capital Grant awards are announced. <br> Defer decision until Norman has had a chance to speak with Gordon and clarify the PAC's eligibility for the grant. <br> Walkathon (May 27) <br> - Discussion around prizes, PAC decided on: <br> i) Nintendo Switch Lite <br> ii) $\$ 75$ gift card to Splash Toy Shop <br> iii) $5 \times \$ 10$ gift cards to Steveston Sweet Shoppe <br> - Include call out for prize sponsors in the April PAC newsletter. <br> - PAC will provide healthy snacks post-walkathon (i.e. mini oranges). <br> - Walkathon will be held between recess and lunch. <br> - Tara will send out form for volunteer sign up for walkathon and cash count. <br> - Discussed pros/cons of having students commit to the number of laps they would do. PAC did not see a benefit to doing this. <br> Welcome to Kindergarten (May 24) <br> - McKinney will hold a combined session for neighborhood and Montessori programs from 9am to 10am. <br> - Anita will represent PAC at the session. PAC will provide coffee. <br> - Ivy/Jacqueline will represent RAM at the session. Ivy/Jacqueline to confirm snacks. <br> - Teacher/Volunteer Appreciation Event <br> - Potential day for week of June 10 to 14. |
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| Adjournment at 7:56 pm | Next Meeting on Monday, May 6, 2024, at 7:00 pm. |
| Summary of Actions | $\square$ Monika: Contact Facilities and schedule a discussion with PAC. Norman: Meet with Gordon about Capital Grant eligibility/application. Norman: Draft April PAC newsletter (include call out for volunteers for Track \& Field and volunteers for Walkathon). Eileen: Send Movie Night comparison to PAC Execs. Michelle: Purchase Walkathon prizes. Ivy: Confirm with Anita whether RAM will provide snacks at the Welcome to Kindergarten session. <br> $\square$ Tara: Check with Sunny whether she is available for Teacher/Volunteer Appreciation Event on week of June 10 to 14. |

