

McKinney PAC Meeting – Minutes

May 5, 2025 at McKinney Library or Teams

Welcome	7:06 pm – Call to Order
Meeting Attendees:	Ivy Ho, Cheryl Neufeld, Eileen Fujimuro, Norman Chow, Anita Sandhu, Rupee Kahlon, Sunny Song
McKinney Administrators:	Monika Sood, Gallit Zvi
Adoption of Agenda	<p>We would like to begin by acknowledging that the land on which we gather is the unceded territory of the hən̓q̓əmin̓əm̓ speaking people.</p> <p>Agenda was adopted as presented. Moved by Norman, second by Eileen. Motion passed.</p>
Chair Update: Anita	<ul style="list-style-type: none">– Movie Night<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Purchased ACF Public Performance Entertainment License.▪ Discussed how parent volunteers would purchase movies for future Movie Nights and ownership of the movie after the event. PAC decided that a parent volunteer will purchase the movie with their personal account and show the movie at the Movie Night. Afterwards, the parent volunteer will submit an invoice to PAC for reimbursement of the cost of the movie. The parent volunteer gets to keep the movie in their personal collection after the event.▪ The April Movie Night encountered difficulties due to conflicting bookings. The District booked the gym on the same day that PAC had booked the gym. The District's booking took priority because it was paid. Going forward, PAC will formally book gym time with the District's booking form. There will be no charge. Anita will review the District's form and invoice (\$0) for the next Movie Night on June 13. Anita and Tara to discuss movie options for next Movie Night.– Welcome to Kindergarten, May 13, 9:00 am to 10:00 am<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ PAC will provide coffee and Timbits.▪ Anita will print PAC pamphlets and Ivy will provide RAM pamphlets.▪ About 40 families expected at the event.– District PAC (DPAC) Representative<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Anita and Tara appointed Ivy to represent McKinney at DPAC meetings. No objections from PAC members.▪ Ivy provided information about the DPAC – a District level PAC attended by attendees from all schools in the district and members of the School Board and District. As McKinney's representative, Ivy will keep McKinney PAC informed of any topics that relate to McKinney.

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Parent/Teacher Appreciation Event <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Anita showed gift bags that she made for teachers, each gift bag has a Keurig cup, a jar of honey, and a vegan chocolate treat. ▪ Anita showed gifts that she made for frequent parent volunteers, each gift has a reed diffuser. ▪ Discussed plans for the Parent/Teacher Appreciation event. Admins and PAC chose Monday, June 9, to hold a luncheon catered by Subway. Luncheon will run from 11:30 am to 1:30 pm. Grade 6/7 student volunteers will help set up and be on hand. Admins and PAC will share cost of luncheon. Admins will send invite to the whole school community and request RSVP to get an idea of attendance. All parents are welcome but only frequent parent volunteers will receive appreciation gifts. - Future Fundraising Ideas <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Anita introduced a new fundraising opportunity for next year called FundScrip. Supporters buy gift cards from participating retailers and a portion of proceeds goes to PAC.
Administrator's Report: Gallit	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Admins' newsletter continues to request parent volunteers for PAC Exec positions. - Each Division has had a special workshop this month, including Yukon Dan, Squash BC, and Young Actors Program. Each division has had a special workshop - Track Meet is on May 12. Students who regularly attend practice will be selected to compete at the Track Meet. - Welcome to Kindergarten is on May 13. - RAM Math Night is on Wednesday, May 7. This session is open to everyone and its purpose is to explore how math is taught in the Montessori program. - Saleema Noon Parent Info Session on May 20 at 7:30 pm on Zoom. Student workshops will follow on May 22 and 23. - Ocean Wise In-school Field Trip on June 4 and 5 will teach students about our oceans. Each Division will get to go through the gym and see a large display. - Sports Day is on Friday, June 6 and all families are welcome to come by. The Sports Day Committee is organizing the teams and events. This Sports Day will be like traditional sports day with 4 colour teams competing against each other. PAC will provide fruit-based cool treats for Sports Day. Gallit will reach out to a contact at FreshCo for a good deal on treats. - Gallit has purchased large thank you cards for Dave and Steve. Students will sign the large cards and they will be sent to Dave and Steve. - Students have been enjoying the new hammock play structure in the new playground, sometimes a little bit too aggressively. Gallit has reached out to Dave about limiting the movement on the hammock. - Planter boxes will be delivered on May 12. After the planter boxes are built, they will be stored in the school courtyard until Facilities can come by to fill them with soil. Gallit will send the planter box bill to Eileen. - Question to Admins: Will everybody who has signed up and wanted to go to track, get to go? Everybody who has gone to practice consistently will get to compete in an event, but it may not be their preferred event.

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Question to Admins: Does McKinney participate in the RCMP's Drug Abuse Resistance Education (DARE) Program? The program is held every other year for Grade 5 and 6 students. McKinney declined their spot last year. This year is McKinney's off year. Gallit has accepted the spot next year. – Staff Update: Mrs Dehnel is retiring, Ms Hafeez is transferring internally, Ms Sahota and Ms Leung are expected to return. Ms Hilborn, Ms Dewson, and Ms Johal's positions are term positions.
Treasurer's Report: Eileen	<p><u>General Account</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – \$3,506.63 income for Food Day – \$95.36 profit from April 25 Movie Night and \$451.50 expense for ACF Movie License. Down \$356.14 but overall, with previous movie nights, still ahead and expected to make up in future movie nights – \$335.74 expense for Classroom Resources. – \$300 expense for Steveston-London Scholarship. – \$1,653.75 expense for Saleema Noon Health Seminar. – \$1,892.71 expense for Stream of Dreams. <p><u>Gaming Account</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – No change <p><u>Training New Treasurer</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Eileen met with potential new Treasurer, they have accounting experience and should be a good fit. – Potential new Treasurers are not available for the AGM PAC Meeting on June 2. PAC decided to move the AGM PAC Meeting to Tuesday, June 3, 7:00 pm. – Eileen will apply for the BC Gaming Grant.
Food Days Coordinator: Sunny	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Grade 7 frozen yogurt fundraising will take place around May 22.
Fruit and Veggie Program: Sunny	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – All good, no updates.
Social Media Liaison: Cheryl	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – All good, no updates.
Other Business	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Spirit Wear <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Norman has not heard from Scott. He will call tomorrow. – Reminder that RAM customized pencil fundraiser is ongoing <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Personalized pencils – pack of 5 for \$15.
Adjournment at 8:10 pm	Next Meeting on Tuesday, June 3, 2025, at 7:00 pm.

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Summary of Actions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><input type="checkbox"/> Anita: Review the District's gym booking form.<input type="checkbox"/> Anita/Tara: Discuss movie options for June 13 Movie Night.<input type="checkbox"/> Anita/Ivy: Prepare PAC/RAM pamphlets for May 13 Welcome to Kindergarten.<input type="checkbox"/> Gallit: Contact FreshCo about treats for Sports Day.<input type="checkbox"/> Norman: Call Beyond Mars about Spirit Wear orders.
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