

Alexander Park Elementary School/ Ecole Alexander Park Meeting Minutes- Parent Advisory Council

Location: APES Library- Jan 13 2020

In attendance:

Melanie Grafton
Yuki Endo
Tat Sovio
Nancy Jensen
Nicole Catenaccio
Derek Lum
Laura Shaw
Briefly: Bob Wilson
Sandra Beckett

Proceedings:

1. Meeting called to order 3:30
2. Approval of agenda motioned by Tat, seconded by Yuki
3. Approval of minutes motioned by Tat, seconded by Yuki
4. Principal's report
 - sensory path will be put in Feb 10 (pro-d day)
 - physio therapist came and helped with layout - OT will go through it as well
 - thank you to everyone who helped cut out the path
5. Teacher's report
6. Treasurer's report
 - hot lunch payments have gone through
 - we have paid for Zoe's classes in Nov
 - movie night grossed 195.00 + 164.00 (Yuki will send in the net profit)
 - end of Dec accounts:
 - \$3018.68 checking**
 - \$8089.08 gaming**
 - still have to pay for skating, swimming, Zoe's classes
7. Hotlunches report
 - Hot lunch is in full swing again, pasta was added to menu so we have 5 lunch options now
8. Fundraising report

-successful last year! Gear swap had great reviews.

Upcoming fundraisers:

-West coast seeds - we would earn 40% of packaged price (finding out shipping costs)

-Flower fundraiser - Mountainside Gardens (maybe they will add Westcoast seeds as options)

-kicking horse coffee

- we could get 10 oz bags for \$7.80 (sell for \$11.95)

-and 1 pound bags for \$11.90 - (we could sell for \$14.95)

-Start towards end of Jan, run for 2 weeks

-Movie night - Feb (on a Friday)

-Earthday dance - April 24nd (teacher to get the kids out doing dances they already know)

-possibility of a sports day?

-boxes of fresh Okanagan fruit in the fall - Melanie

-Spring outdoor gear swap market- April 18 - spring/summer gear 2 hours- Shannon Hood offered to partner with us to take care of advertising

9. President's report

-skiing - we are waiting on whitetooth affordable ski program (to see if they will fund half the price). Teachers are supportive to send grade 3s (for 2 days in April). Program costs \$32.50 = ticket, instruction, gear for the day (we are trying to make it no cost to the parents)

-applying for artist in the classroom grant (artstart/cbt) for upto \$10 000 (deadline is in May)

10. AOB - next meeting Feb 3 3:30

11. Meeting adjourned 4:48