

QEA PAC Agenda for Meeting October 14th, 2021

Time: 8pm – 9:15pm

PAC Executive: Susie Outerbridge, Ange Gourlay, Lily Cameron, Lori Ferguson, Ken Su

Meeting conducted via MS Teams online videoconference meeting platform

Attendees:

Age Gourlay, Susie Outerbridge, Lily Cameron, Lori Ferguson, Ken Su, Azadeh Ajamy, Geoff Hodgson, Mallory Legge, Rick Yoo, Lia Gudaitis, Stacy Gerritse, Joanne Chen, Sabine Bosklopper, Michelle Joey, Noelle Forer, Lisa LaFleur, Rebecca Pitfield, Valerie Prime, Alicia Hornsberger, Rebecca Lovell, Nadine Ho, Helene L (surname not displayed), Julia (surname not displayed), Celine (surname not displayed), Kelsey (surname not displayed), 778-235-7725 (name not displayed), 778-994-9642 (name not displayed), 26669687 (surname not displayed), 604 765 0226 (surname not displayed), 604 765 0226 (surname not displayed).

Meeting called to order at 8:07pm by S. Outerbridge

AGM Minutes:

Helene L – motion to accept AGM minutes, motion seconded by K. Su. Voted all in favor. Motion passed and minutes accepted.

Bike to School Week Update:

L. Ferguson provided update of successful bike to school week with positive feedback received and solid participation observed.

Hot Lunch:

C'est Mon Café was used in previous years and also services Jules Quesnel. Consensus reached after discussion on 1x per week with Wednesday being the designated day.

- Can be noted that there was interest in the concept of Pizza days. Potentially this will be added on certain weeks or for certain occasions (in general 2 days a week seemed to be too much to jump to).

Appeal for PAC members at large:

Discussion around volunteers for joining the PAC as member's at large. No volunteers during meeting, left open to either find executive members at school or reach out via email if interested.

Fundraising:

- Reminder on direct appeal drive
- Introduction to FlipGive (discussion on use of email list to push out invitations to parents)
- Discussion about various ideas including:
 - o Rocky mountain pizza
 - o Mabel's labels
 - Multiple comments that labels are useful and would be interested
 - o Book drive/sale
 - Multiple comments that books are available for donation for this effort
 - o Moja Coffee

- Purdy's
 - Noted it required significant effort to execute in previous years
- Christmas cards
 - Positive feedback on experience with cards in the past and expressions of interest in cards
- Julia noted her photography business would do revenue share with PAC (Julia's photography business to be added to the list)

Events:

Halloween Pumpkin Patch:

- Update on plan for on-site pumpkin patch with straw bales
- Multiple volunteers to help set up, bring decorations, clean up

Holiday Craft:

- Discussion on ideas including pine cone craft or other ornament concepts
- Holiday lights on bushes outside back of school

Other:

- Discussion around potential ideas including grouse mountain, VSO, dance play

DPAC Update:

- L. Gudaitis provided update on the ongoing efforts, current status, as well as overview of the process.
- In particular it was noted that at the DPAC General meeting on October 28th, Vancouver PACs will be voting on their level of support for a motion to hold off on irreversible decisions that impact students until VSB plans are transparently updated with the latest data on where kids live now (Canada Census 2021) and where kids will live in the future (Vancouver Plan, Broadway Plan, Jericho Lands Policy Statement, etc.).
- L. Gudaitis indicated that QEA PAC would be voting to support the **No School Closures, Transparent Planning First!** motion. L. Gudaitis also provided a link to more detailed information on the motion:
https://docs.google.com/presentation/d/1KJVNI5fZxJtsxlh5evojWBO8_Jw9TnNZLfXy_1ghOlc/edit?usp=sharing
- Multiple comments thanking L. Gudaitis and N. Ho for their work on DPAC and with the school closure initiative

Meeting adjourned at 9:10pm adjourned by A. Gourlay