



Brock Middle School

PAC Meeting Minutes

Monday, November 14th, 2022

Attendees: Tonya Perry, Joy Brown, Carla Oliver, Matthew Zier-Vogel, Krystal Zier-Vogel, Bonnie McBride

1. Meeting called to order at 6:05pm
2. Approval of agenda: motioned by Bonnie, seconded Carla, motion passed
3. Approval of minutes: motioned by Bonnie, seconded Matthew, passed
4. Principal's report:
 - a. Numeracy: marking with teachers Nov 14th. Students learning the numeracy cycle (interpret, apply, solve, analyze, communicate). Next sessions are Feb 27-Mar 2, then May 23-26. Further discussion to come regarding marking, students are to engage & build skills, not race to complete.
 - b. Oct saw a school haunted house which was entertaining; a lunchtime Halloween dance attended and enjoyed by about 300 students.
 - c. Aboriginal family dinner went well, great get together and helped build relationships
 - d. Parent teacher interviews appeared to go well. next time need clearer communication regarding face-to-face vs telephone
 - e. Remembrance Day assembly was really well done, twice (due to space)
 - f. Relationship Building: many groups have been started:
 - West coast boys club network every other week; girls club weekly; Boys & Girls club; after school art; Green club (alternates with boys club); Iron Broncs weight lifting x2/wk; Social groups 2x/wk; Gravitracks club weekly; Bronc buzz lunch activities; newspaper clubStaff encourage students to join and attend, reminders are in morning announcements
? PAC provide gift card each month for attendance incentive draw
 - g. 3C's corner: Compassion, this month's student Destiny shows leadership, energy and positive attitude in her classes

- h. Swim team went to Revelstoke championships, placed 6th out of 24 teams winning 3 gold and 2 bronze medals
- i. Discussions are happening regarding holding a winter dance in December as well as other planned leadership activities

5. Financial report:

- Account update: signing authorities have been changed
- Gaming grant of \$15,580.00 has been received
- Gaming Account: \$34,074.11
- General Account: \$3,101.11
- DPAC registration form to be done, provides support with forms. Carla to follow-up

6. Old business

- Legacy grant: Tonya to follow up
- Stickers/rubber wrist bands for students with school mission statement and values (any extras could be sold as fundraiser)
 - Mission statement and values design mock-up in progress
 - *To be discussed next meeting

7. New business:

- Funding requests received from Library for maker space; drama for show elements; music for jazz trip; music for whistler trip; science for environment exchange program; woodwork for laptop; math/science for balance scale and workbooks
 - Motion by Bonnie, second Carla to approve all requests with following adjustments:
 - a. Tech-ed Glowforge: \$9000 Canadian funds
 - b. Music whistler trip: \$5000

Motion passed

- Requests to come: Gr 9 luncheon at end of year; and medals for yr end awards
- Proposed budget to come next meeting will include requests
- Fundraisers: Sun Valley Farms heirloom tomato plants/seeds and DFS Canada both approved

Joy to connect with both and set up

Help to be requested on Facebook page

8. DPAC report: new exec was elected 4 are new plus 2 new trustee liaisons which means a learning curve, and have already approved the small budget
 - BCCPAC conference, local DPAC will attend
 - Plan to hold district accountable for legacy grants
 - Parent info session Nov 15 re: sex-ed for students with diverse challenges/abilities
 - DPAC is available to support school PAC's
 - Discussion re: vulnerable learners needing district support (held accountable); need to expand alternative opportunities/smaller school spaces
 - 5 school building priorities: Aberdeen Elem; Juniper West Elem; Aberdeen Sec; Bachelor Elem; Subpeak's School; plus, complete Parkcrest Elem
 - Need to have a summit with the city & real-estate re: necessity of schools to recruit essential workers to Kamloops, and provincial capital investment is a must
 - Announcements to come in February
9. No meeting November 28, 2022
10. Adjourned at 7:05pm

Next meeting January 9th, 2023