



Parent Advisory Council MINUTES

South Kelowna Elementary PAC Meeting MINUTES

Date | April 16, 2025 Time| 7:00 pm Location | Beaver Lodge and Zoom

Meeting called to order by Ashley at 7:02 |

IN ATTENDANCE

Jasmine Lemon	Jenny Kurnik		
Ashley Bush	Jenn Emily		
Jess Broderick			
Amanda Stevens			

REPORTS

1. PRINCIPAL'S REPORT (*Jasmine Lemon*)

- 1.1 Basket ball hoops got fixed, for free! It was part of the regular maintenance that the school board takes care of.
- 1.2 Numeracy has been a big theme these last few years. Jasmine did some surveys of some children about math, grades 3-6. She has these surveys to share. One struggle most children have is working in collaboration with others in math.
- 1.3 For next year, there will be 11 classes instead of 12. This is due to reduced kindergarten numbers. However, overall numbers (i.e. number of students) will more or less be the same.
- 1.4 Jasmine explained a bit about how classroom placements are chosen. Parents can still request until May 12.
- 1.5 Funding requests:
 - i) for Agendas: \$1805, which is for all the children for September 2025.
 - ii) Spike ball – 90\$ each, so in total would come to just under \$600.

Ashley had idea about other outdoor game: a wiffle ball golf set.

NOTE: as we did not have quorum we will vote by email for the 2 funding requests.

Jess brought up: Kamal would like to know if we can get new sand toys as they are getting destroyed. Jasmine already purchased some around December.

Doubts about doing a call-out due to donations of very low-quality toys. Jenny K has a lot of sand toys to donate.

We will revisit in May whether we have enough quality sand toys.

2. PRESIDENT'S REPORT *(Kay Bowering)*

No report provided at time of meeting.

3. TREASURER'S REPORT *(Ashley Bush)*

3.1 Ashley applied for and was granted a BCeID, which is need to apply for gaming grants going forward.

3.2 Ashley has a reimbursement cheque for Ms Jennejohn.

3.3 Profit from Spring Fling Dance was \$186.16, not including the food.

3.4 Spring Fling Dance Debrief:

Jasmine noted that at the dance there were a lot of parents outside while their children were inside. There were children running around without supervision. Going forward we need a solution for parents taking responsibility for their children. Perhaps a Valentines dance would be better, as no one will want to go outside at that time. We need to find the balance, as kids really push the boundaries at night in a way they never would during the day. We will likely need to strategically plan better for our evening nights. We agreed that one dance around Valentines Day is likely a good idea.

3.5 Unsold Popcorn

We still have some popcorn that didn't sell, maybe Jordana knows how much we owe? Amanda suggests putting it on Munch a lunch. This seems to make the most sense. Amanda will find out from Jordana how many bags we have remainging, and put a line on Munch--lunch.

3.6 Movie Night Discussion

We have the same concerns from Spring Fling Dance, regarding children running in and out and all around the school. Due to logistics and weather, it will be challenging to host the movie strictly outside.

We decide to cancel the Movie Night and focus on the Family Fun Night.

Action Item: cancel Food trucks that are booked for Movie Night.

4. FUNDRAISING COORDINATOR REPORT *(Jordana S. and Jenny K.)*

4.1 Pedalheads flyers have been printed and sent home with kids.

4.2 Upcoming Go Green Fundraiser, this will coincide with Mothers Day.

4.3 Bouncy castle paid for Family Fun night, food trucks are booked. Still in need of volunteers for face painting. Jasmine will need to know how many KSS volunteers we need.

4.4 Movie Night: As noted in discussion above, we decide to cancel, as it would be tricky to do outside, and we will focus on the family fun night. Jenny will cancel the food trucks.

5. FOOD COORDINATION REPORT *(Amanda Stevens)*

5.1 Popcorn will be added to hot lunch.

5.2 May 7 is fry release for FINS program.

6. COPAC REPRESENTATIVE *(Roan Janyk via Zoom)*

Roan sent an email.

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7. COMMUNICATIONS *(Jess Broderick)*

7.1 The earliest that information can be brought to her the better, so she can properly plan, and put out a nice product.

7.2 Jess has decided to not continue with the role of Communications director for next year.

8. GREEN COMMITTEE *(Ruth King)*

8.1 Signs for the garden were put in.

9. HEALTH AND SAFETY REPRESENTATIVE *(Vacant Position)*

- No discussion.

10. KLO REPRESENTATIVE *(Vacant Position)*

- No discussion.

NEW AND OTHER BUSINESS

Old Business

- The anxious generation book club idea- any progress?

Ashley spoke with her friend in publishing and there is not a book tour happening.

Jasmine notes this could be an interesting event for the fall.

MEETING ADJOURNED

Meeting adjourned at 8:04

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