

École John Stubbs Memorial Pac Meeting Minutes

December 9, 2015

(Unapproved)

Attending

Sharon Haggstrom, Kirsten Quealey, Cendra Beaton, Darlana Painter, Lauren Wakefield, Jocelyn Edmunds, Stephanie Hedley-Smith, Brian Robson, Cheantelle Fisher, Sherry Richards, Marie Bell

Call to order

- The meeting was called to order at 6:50pm

Approval of Agenda

- No agenda

Approval of Minutes

- Motion to approve: Cendra Beaton. Seconded: Darlana Painter. *Motion carried.*

Principal's Report – Stephanie Hedley-Smith

- Had to cancel France trip; met with staff; it was a tough decision
- Christmas concerts coming up this week and next
- Spirit week organized by Leadership group
- Discussion around French language development in staff meetings
- We have participated in many field trips this month, skating, museum and local walks
- Report cards have gone out
- Kindergarten screening is done
- The Grizzlies came and that was a fantastic day. Thank you so much
- January we have the NID days; 2 days for teachers to help with redesign of curriculum
- Lost "I" (Incomplete) days for middle schools
- Basketball is over and volleyball is starting
- Stephanie and Sandra making a French Canadian lunch for all staff

Presidents report – Sheryl Williamson

- No report

Fundraising Report

- Fatima Sayani and Jocelyn Edmunds to jointly take over the vacant PAC fundraising coordinator position
- Moms Pantry – didn't do as well as we had hoped; \$800 in sales - **Cheantelle Fisher**
- Art cards – Doing them for Mother's Day – need a volunteer to manage this
- Poppin for Peeps – going well - **Darlana Painter**
- Book Fair – **Lauren Wakefield**
 - Feb 15th mostly French book fair
 - ½ price district book fair coming in May

Treasurer`s Report – Susan Plato-McLean

- No report

Emergency Preparedness – Marie Bell

- Looking into costs of bars for bin

Emerergency Lunches

- Going well – **Darlana Painter**

SPEAC report – Sherry Richards

- Jan 20, 2016 - next SPEAC meeting
- Feb 10, 2016 - Sex, Drugs, and Social Media Parent Workshop
- Dec 15, 2015 - deadline to renew BCCPAC membership (\$75)
- Feb27, 2016 – Vancouver Island Parent Conference

CPF – Cendra Beaton

- Need CPF rep
- Jan 12, 2016 - 6:30 District meeting, parents welcome
- Jan 19, - 2016 1st intermediate level French lessons start; every Tuesday
- April 13, 2016 – Concours d'art Oratoire
- March Break – Adam Forest is looking into French Nature Wilderness Camp Programs for ages 8-12 and 13-17; Monday to Friday 8:30 – 4:30
- Program at John Muir School to promote student mental health in class

Library Read- a-Thon

- Library transitioning towards a Learning Commons or Learning Hub of the School
 - Want to eventually bring in IPADS
 - Need to update French collection
 - Graphic novels are a priority
 - Some graphic novels are coming out now that are fiction and non fiction combined
- School House Teaching Supplies store owner Lyndelle has a lot of French books in stock
 - Does book fairs in schools to raise money for books
 - Offering a Read-a-Thon program to raise money for French books
 - Get a 20% discount

New Business

- Is there in the school an Anti-bullying Program all year round?

Vacant Positions

- 2nd SPEAC rep, CPF rep

Next meeting date: January 13, 2015 @ 6:45 pm

Motion to Adjourn at 8:28pm