

PAC Meeting – October 5, 2016

- Call to order 6:48 pm
- Agenda Approval – Lauren Wakefield & Sharon Haggstom
- Guest Speakers
 - Brad Hoban – Victoria Grizzlies Hockey
 - Presented fundraising opportunity
 - Sell 100 tickets to game of our choice for \$7 (we pay \$4)
 - All tickets same price (adult and child), significant discount for adult tickets (normally \$14)
 - Can also participate in 50/50 draw
 - PAC would get 40% of total funds raised
 - Sheryl to connect with Brad to discuss dates
 - Kristin Greffard – Sheepdog Self Protection Inc.
 - Offers a safe kids 60 min program
 - Emphasis is on situation dangers and not stranger danger
 - Gave a great presentation to JS parents in May, 2016
 - Would like to offer this program to JS kids
 - Sheryl to discuss with Kristin and administration on how best to offer this
- Principal's report – Stephanie Smith
 - End of year \$9000 spent on chrome laptops for teachers
 - Artstart Grant - \$8100 awarded for an \$11,200 project
 - Kids learning to felt
 - SEVEC youth exchanges to Quebec for grades 7/8 are planned – will need funds for this
 - New teachers visiting school once per week
 - GAGA up and running now
 - One exploratory and band/gardening for middle school students
 - Leadership program run by Stephanie and Sandra this year
 - WITS/DARE program happening again
 - Head shave for Cops for Cancer was successful
 - 160 students from JS ran in district-wide cross-country race
 - Swim team has started
- Vice Principal's report – Sandra Szalipszki
 - Looking at enhancing playground experience for elementary students
 - Loose Parts Playgrounds is the idea
 - Check out this video that gives an idea:
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nqi1KyJJeKg>
 - Would like PAC support to help build a shed to store the items
- President's report – Sheryl Williamson

- Election of open positions
 - Election of 6 Directors at Large
 - Kirsten Quealey
 - Darlana Painter
 - Melissa Maher
 - Nevada Papineau
 - Penny Blanchard
 - Jessica Slinn
 - Election of Sharon Haggstrom as Vice-President
 - Sheryl Williamson & Penny Blanchard (moved and seconded)
 - CPF rep – Nevada Papineau
 - SPEAC rep – Currently open
- Chuck-a-Puck follow up
 - Happened on Sept. 24
 - Profit was \$400 after ticket sales accounted for
- Family Dance – October 20, 2016
 - Takes place on the Thursday night before the pro-D day from 6:30 – 8:00 pm
 - Need people to organize
 - Lauren Wakefield and Jocelyn Edmunds to organize
- Hot lunch report
 - Going well so far
 - Always looking for volunteers
 - First hot lunch made \$455
- Treasurer's report – Brian Robson
 - Will be making reports easier to understand
 - Still transitioning information
- Fundraising report – Jocelyn Edmunds
 - Poinsettia order forms will be going out next week
 - Purdy's catalogs to follow
 - Mom's pantry and art cards will be in the spring
 - Other ongoing fundraisers
 - Co-op number – 68150
 - Thrifty's Smile cards (all kindergarten and late FI children will be given one)
 - Lucky Village – Mention John Stubbs and 10% of bill will be donated to PAC
 - Forrester's Bistro at Olympic View Golf Course – Mention John Stubbs and 10% of your bill will be donated to PAC

- School House Teaching Supplies – Mention John Stubbs and 5% of your bill will be donated to PAC
 - Cobbs Bread Westshore Location – Tell cashier you are “raising dough” for John Stubbs. They will credit a portion of your purchase to PAC account
- Emergency Preparedness Report – Lauren Wakefield
 - Still need to receive blue emergency preparedness forms from parents; important to send those in so that we know your child’s allergies in the event of an emergency
 - If you haven’t paid the \$7 to contribute to the emergency rations bin, please do so now
 - Lara bars will be expiring soon and need replacing
- Poppin’ for Peeps/Emergency Lunches/Coupon Books – Darlana Painter
 - All going well
 - 35 Save Around books sold online alone – better numbers than last year
- Book fair organization – Lauren Wakefield
 - Book fair is October 17-20
 - Hours are 8:00 am to 4:00 pm on Oct. 17-19; 4:50 – 6:45 pm October 20
 - Need volunteers to help setup and run the fair
 - Lauren has posted book fair volunteer sign-up online
 - Scholastic is letting us use credits earned from the fair on French book catalog
 - 70% of money earned comes back to the school in credits
 - Credits will be split in thirds – 1/3 to library, middle school level books, and EAs
 - Motion: To invite Books for Breakfast to use our discount at the fair
 - Melissa Maher & Melissa Da Silva (moved and seconded)
- New Business
 - Just received \$11,800 gaming grant for this year
 - Christmas Shopping Days coming in December
 - Will need volunteers and donations
 - More info to follow
 - Hot Chocolate and Cookies coming in December