

PAC Meeting Minutes January 13, 2021 - Virtual

Called to order: 6:30 pm by Melissa Da Silva

Agenda Approved

- Principal's Report – Jennifer Gibson
 - Art Start presentation, virtual event a success
 - Foundation Skills for grade 4 and 7 date pushed until Feb 15
 - Student learning survey will be created for students, staff and families to complete
 - For grades 4 and 7 families to complete
 - Emergency water supply
 - Needs to be relocated. They will be cleaned, filled and moved
 - Stoked to have band this term. Kids have the option to wear masks
 - Woodwork and Outdoor Education have started and are running again
 - Angela Young is the Aboriginal role model at John Stubbs and has had 24 role model visits so far this school year.
 - Looking to purchase 2 player board games, specifically for grades 4 and 5
 - Possibly looking for donations as well
 - John Stubbs is on a list for a water bottle filler.
 - Children are discouraged from filling their water bottles up at the fountains and hand washing stations
 - Please send your child with a lot of water for the day
 - One grade 5 class designated meeting place outside of the school has moved.
 - Pylons have been put into place while classes are being dismissed
 - Please refrain from playing on the playground while classes are being dismissed
- President's Report – Melissa Da Silva
 - John Stubbs school is representing at the January SPEAC meeting
 - Parking issues
 - Please follow the rules of the road
 - Please do not park on the crosswalks
 - Please do not block driveways
 - When leaving kiss and drop zone, make that right turn. Please do not turn left
 - Considering kiss and drop even after COVID, as it has made morning drop off a lot smoother and alleviated the pressure on parking
 - Valentine's Day
 - School is waiting for a decision to be made about whether cards will be allowed to be brought to school and handed out
 - Cards may be allowed, if brought into the school early enough to be quarantined. Most likely no treats
 - Another idea is to make cards in class to be distributed in class or even to a care home.

- Treasurer Report – Michelle Brennan
 - Balance forward: \$60,375.44, Current balance \$41,575.48
 - Most of this month's expenses went to pay for school supplies

- SPEAC Report – Melissa Da Silva on behalf of Michele McIntosh
 - December's meeting was social for the most part
 - The catchment review was discussed, Millstream staying FI and FI moving to Royal Bay from Belmont
 - Talk about the possibility of extending winter break due to COVID – likely not going to happen
 - Nominations for outstanding PAC Volunteer are being accepted
 - Jan 20th next meeting

- New Business
 - Metchosin Farms seed fundraiser
 - 30 percent return on sales
 - Supporting local
 - No minimum order required
 - Need to get them out relatively soon as they will need to be planted in the spring
 - Reflectors
 - Come in existing designs, also could create a personalized one as well with the school logo
 - Would need to pay upfront for personalized logo, which would require a minimum order
 - Fundraising possibility for next year
 - Pink Shirts
 - The PAC received 60 assorted pink shirt donations from Staples.
 - May try to sell through the hot lunch site
 - Not sure yet if there are a variety of sizes or a bunch of the same size
 - New play structure
 - There is a new play structure going up on the playground in place of the slide
 - Slide is aging and will be replaced with a climbing structure
 - PAC will fundraise next year to help with a 2nd structure to go next to the spider web that includes a slide

- Meeting Adjourned at 8:05 pm