

**Clayton Elementary PAC Meeting Minutes
Wednesday, 16th May, 2018**

Meeting called to order 6:30 p.m.

Meeting attendees:

Karen S., Danni D., Carolyn F., Tiffany S., Laretta F., Laura B., Maria I., Renata C., Leisau C.

Adoption of Agenda:

Motion to adopt Agenda: 1st: Tiffany 2nd: Carolyn, All in favour: Y(8)

Adoption of Minutes April 2018:

Motion to adopt minutes: 1st: Danni 2nd: Carolyn, All in favour: Y(8)

REPORTS

President's Report (Karen)

- Northbound Traffic/Safety lights are not operating again, southbound lights do not seem to work and that may be that the solar panels do not get enough light there
- Lights were installed as a pilot project for the City of Surrey, our area is not designated as a school zone therefore 50km/h unless the lights flash (morning and afterschool only)
- We are urged to use the Surrey Request app to file a complaint, the more complaints from our parents, the better our chances of having the city make changes for us
- Salish Secondary School for 2018-19 will start at 8:15am to coincide with the bus schedule, this will affect our school traffic situation
- A traffic/crosswalk sign will be installed at the secondary school and a light will be installed at 80th Avenue

Principal's Report (Mrs. Fenrick)

- In Classrooms -
- Salmon Studies - Tynehead Hatchery field trip - 3 classes
- Surrey Museum - coming into the school for Div. 5 & 6 - Aboriginal Studies
- Maple Meadows Farm - Kindergarten classes
- Body/puberty/reproductive system education - info sheet will be sent out to parents
- Two new teachers - Grant Wittal (Coyote Creek) for Grade 6/7 and Christy Van Ieperen (Beavercreek) for Grade 1; Ms. Schieder will not be here next year; everyone else is staying
- Learning Commons - new circulation desk has arrived; furniture will come next week
- Classroom furniture - \$70K of furniture from the District for 5 or 6 classes replacing desks with tables; 2 bean bag chairs; 1 or 2 standing desks per class; rainbow tables and bins and rockers
- PE equipment - \$1500 has been spent for dodgeball (installation outside of Ms. Schnaid's modular), dodgeball balls, pinnies, badminton nets plus \$500 from PAC for hockey nets
- Clayton's Got Talent - went very well, Ms. Nystrom & Ms. Lowey put in lots of work
- Yes Program - went well; would invest in this program every 2 years which costs \$450
- Welcome to Kindergarten - went well

- First Peoples Week - an amazing week of learning; no parents attended which was surprising, hopefully next year performances will be better advertised
- Track Attack - meet at May 29 at Bear Creek (88th & King George)
- Clayton As a Community - Mrs. Fenrick will send the write-up to Karen for posting to FB
- Upcoming -
- Anxiety BC presentation - Dr. Sandra Clark - May 22nd; Safe Schools will have a table; school counsellor might also have a table
- Michael Bortolotto presentation (has cerebral palsy) - May 23 - K - Gr.2 The Truth About Apples and Pineapples; Gr. 3 - 5 Be A Friend, Throw A Perfect Pass; Gr. 6 - 7 Why You Need Social Inclusion
- Staff Development Day - May 28 - building on Clayton as a community; dividing the students into family groups (or houses) with a mix of grades so that they get to know each other better; teach them to work together and problem solve; the school plan should be online soon, Mrs. Fenrick will let us know
- Track Meet - May 29 - need parent volunteers and drivers
- Surrey Public Library - Summer Reading presentations - June 4
- Grade 6/7 Camp - June 11 - 13
- June 22 Sports Day at Clayton
- Clayton School Wide Picnic at Langley Events Centre on June 26 - we've booked beach volleyball area; picnic shelter; 2 play leaders from TOL will lead the children in games; access to waterpark, playground and washrooms; busses will be available for children without a ride
- Spirit Wear online by next week
- School Starts - school supplies company, online purchasing will be available in June and we can order online anytime of the year
- Grade 7 Grade Assembly - June 27 - need more input from Grade 7s regarding ceremony and party

Treasurer's Report (Danni)

- Issue resolved regarding Treasurer's Report; a duplicate mistake that was carried forward from January has been found
- Gaming Account \$4,319.33; funds in hand \$29,416.25

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Fundraising Report (Carolyn)

- Seeds & Baskets made \$228 - 18 baskets were ordered; 8 seeds orders
- Suggestion to go to Milner Gardens (Glover Road & 216) for baskets; they supply Costco
- Neufeld Farms - lot more variety but price points are higher than Western Direct; minimum order was also high
- Suggestion for school fundraiser "Glow Night" with parent DJs and sell glow bracelets & glow sticks and concessions
- Fundraising for next year; possibly asking for \$35 per child so parent doesn't have to participate in fundraising, can ask for but can't be made mandatory
- For next year, keep Gift Card fundraiser, Purdy's, Pies/Cakes from Western Direct for Christmas and a Spring fundraiser
- Coupon books have been a good one for the fall

Hot Lunch Report

- Pricing per each menu item will have to go up next year
- Hot Lunch schedule will need to be organized early for 2018/2019, hot dogs will be benefiting the whole school and not separated
- Hot lunch will start in October; I'll set up MunchaLunch as soon as I can
- Sports Day Hot Lunch - we'll be selling ice cream sandwiches and popsicles, cash only as they were forgotten from the lunch menu; reminders will be needed closer to the date

Fruit & Veggie Report (Renata & Danni)

- June 5 - cherry tomatoes - served in individual baggies
- Re-registered for next year

Grade 7 Representative Report (Karen, Danni, Tiffany)

- Freezie Fridays will start next week till the end of school
- Welches Fruit Freezies and Organic Swirl (dairy free/nut free/gluten free)
- One more Hot Dog Day
- 2 more Kernels Popcorn sales - Kernels Guildford is a franchise; will be able to order all the available flavours and not restricted by quantities

Emergency Preparedness Report

- Mrs. Fenrick still need some supplies

Old Business

- Staff Appreciation Lunch - June 8 - confirmed; need to know about possible food allergies and food restrictions; Karen will lead; gift baskets?

Murray Wickman's Award

- Grade 4, 5, 6, 7 Spirit Award for 1 student per intermediate grade, will this award be replaced as this has not been handed out for two years
- Recognition rather than awards?
- This will be discussed at Staff Development day and Mrs. Fenrick will speak again about this at next PAC meeting

PAC Election Results

President - Carolyn F.

Vice President - Laura B.

Treasurer - Danni D.

Secretary - Maria I.

Fruit & Veggie - Renata C.

Hot Lunch - Leisau C.

Fundraising - Carolyn F. & Renata C.

DPAC - Justyna S.

Meeting adjourned 8:13 p.m.