



Bayview PAC Meeting Minutes

Date: Tuesday, November 17, 2015, 6:30 – 8:30 PM

Location: Bayview Library

Attendance: Nanci Farrell (Principal), Carmen Lange, Joe Damiani (treasurer), Victoria Kroh (chair), Chris Kerslake, Christina Larson, Dianne Sankey (VSB), Ebru Montagano, Susan Jung, Marja Bulmer, Gordon Glaze (Secretary).

Agenda Items

1. Introduction

Victoria: Let's all introduce ourselves... [members of the executive and substitute principal introduce themselves and their roles to all attending]

2. Christmas Hampers

Dianne: VSB is happy that Bayview is participating in Christmas hampers. Hampers is a program to help children from Hastings elementary. The program couples a wish list from children from Hastings elementary to be gifted by parents and kids participating in the Hampers classes. Bayview has named seven classes to participate.

Susan: in the past parents were called into "balance" the boxes. I suggest a rubber container instead of throwing out the box.

Diane: Each class can decide if they want to contribute that we need parents to help load on December 8.

Nancy: thank you Diane for coming to present this.

3. Halloween Howl update:

Joe: we got 1300 at the door plus 1070 presales for tickets. One third goes to JKC but to be confirmed. Sold 800 in pizza but cost was 550 so profit was 250 also a bigger float at the pizza stand is required also pop drinks should be sold next time.

Nancy: The haunted house props continued to be in the boys change room and are a fire hazard.

Carmen: I'll help you replace those things back into the PAC room

Joe: we earned 500 on the Scholastic book fair

Chris: historically earnings from the fair were divided between the teachers and the kids

Nancy: we will have an additional book fair. The next one's profits will go exclusively to the teachers.

4. PAC budget requirements - Postponed

5. What we have been doing

Ebru: I collected a list of activities from the teachers [list in appendix below]



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My division will be going to Camp Summit in Squamish we are collecting \$260 dollars per child participating we may be in need of more money.

Joe: we will provide if needed

Nancy: the VSB has a “no child denied” policy

Susan: the policy indeed exists but the school pays

Nancy: I will check if the fund for no child left behind still exists

Chris: who paid for the iPads?

Nancy: it’s a purchase

Marja: I thought it’s a three-year lease

Chris: leasing was the VSB option but I’m not sure it was implemented. The bottom line is that there must be an overall plan

Joe: we’ve got \$7500 dollars of PAC money unencumbered. Last year we spent 900 on technology.

[Joe to supply excel file] but we have \$9000 in the gaming grant we don’t know what to spend it on.

Chris: this money is from the provincial lottery and has rules it cannot be spent on instructional material.

If we can spend the gaming grant correctly we can divert unencumbered funds to the iPad project

6. Christmas market

Another email blast should be sent for a coordinator for the Christmas market

7. PAC meeting adjourned

Appendix: Teachers’ Report - What We Are Doing

Library

Working on write up for PAC website. New books coming in! \$3400 from Scholastic fair.

Parent volunteers much appreciated Tues or Wed afternoons – also for covering books.

Div 1: Gina

Twitter on iPads. Poetry unit. Creative samples of poetry in personal books.

Political cartoons! Fun stuff.

Div 5: Holly

Investigating the life and works of Leonardo da Vinci

Div 6: Mel



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Starting to do experiments on sight + sound. Going ice skating twice

Div 7: Cynthia

Going to science world to see the “Animal Inside Out” and body exhibits to supplement big unit on human body. Soap stone carving artist will visit to teach kids how to carve their own 1st nations animal

Div 8: Laurie

Studying solar system – going to HR MacMillan space centre on Wed. Nov 18th. Making NW coast raven masks for our study of aboriginal people

Div 11: Susan + Div 12: Teri

Continuing with partnership with SPEC. Our 6th year. Our class garden. In churchyard across the street. Educator from SPEC teaching.

Div 12: Teri

BATS. Will focus on clay – extra art \$ towards glaze (div 3,4,6 already done).

Grade 6/7

Camp June 13-15