



Bayview PAC Meeting Minutes

Date: Wednesday, June 12, 2019, 6:30-8:00 pm

Location: Bayview Library

In attendance: Birgitte Biorn, Joss Taylor, Anna Friedlander, Jocelyn Chang, Sandra Thom

Agenda Items

1. Introduction/call for additional agenda items

- Minutes of last meeting were adopted.

2. Principal's update: Birgitte Biorn

- Asked Kent about playground equipment. Birgitte has the name of a playground consultant, but if he'll charge for his time to come meet with us, we might not be able to have a meeting. She will contact him to see if he could come by to look around and give some suggestions, without charging.
- Bricks for fundraising: maybe use salvaged bricks from the old building and sell as keepsakes? Gordon did, and Nelson is doing a similar thing. Problem is figuring out the logistics of actually getting and storing the bricks. Michael (district principal) will look into the possibility.
- Marble and handrails: Michael will check with Anthony, who has crews that come through to retrieve stuff, about the marble. Needs to figure out where to store in the meantime, etc. Handrails are a "no," because it would cost too much to refinish, resize, etc.
- Buses
 - practice run tomorrow; almost all kids' forms are in
 - will divide the school into two groups, with two buses per groups, and do it in two separate runs
 - still collecting bus service registration forms
- The library is being packed up next week; will be moved up to QE portables and crew will help unpack.
- The rest of the school will be moved in the beginning of August, so interior demolition isn't likely to start until September. The school office will be open at QE in the last week of August.
- Hot lunch: continue with Eric or try the QE hot lunch? Let's try continuing with Eric. Birgitte will talk to him about the logistics.
- Fees for next year: supplies fee is going from \$25 to \$35. Performance fee will stay at \$20. Jump Math workbook might not be used next year—teachers are deciding whether or not to use it. Next year is camp for grades 6/7.
- PAC may have paid for a performance/arts fee that was a school cost, so the school will carry the remainder over to next year.

3. Teachers' updates

- Staff meeting circle was held on Monday morning to talk about how they are feeling about the move and demolition. Some are having a really hard time, but overall most felt optimistic that it will get done, we're all in this together
- Keep focused on the big picture and don't get bogged down in details at this point.



Bayview PAC Meeting Minutes

4. Treasurers' update: Joss Taylor

- regular account: \$ 52,570.83
- gaming account: \$ 7,206.35

5. Open house update: Joss Taylor for Emilia Doro

- Still need lots of volunteers.
- Posters have been distributed around various parts of the neighbourhood, and by the West Broadway Business Improvement Association.
- The Lollygaggers will play as of 3:00 in the undercover area.
- The posters for Bayview past/present/future are in Birgitte's office.
- The clock from Birgitte's office has been repaired.
- On Thursday, after the volunteer assembly, there will be a meeting of open house leads to touch base as to what still needs to be done.
- Fundraising goal at the open house will be \$5K for outside furniture; we now have the banner with the fundraising thermometer, to use at open house and Greek Day.

6. Bayview School t-shirts and merchandise: Joss Taylor

- Joss is picking up everything except for mugs tomorrow (mugs were delayed).
- Hilary Morris cards have arrived.

7. Greek Day booth: Joss Taylor

- WBBIA has given Bayview a free booth at the MacDonald end of Broadway, by the gas station.
- We have to man it from 11:00 to 5:00 at minimum.
- Need 12 volunteers, to have 2 per shift in 1-hour shifts for that time.
- We will do the direct-drive campaign there, using the Square for credit-card donations (will test this at the open house); Joss has confirmed the spreadsheet-tracking requirements of the VSB for tax receipts.
- Will sell bottled water.
- Will display the fundraising thermometer.

8. September welcome-back carnival: Joss Taylor for Kelly Ryan

- Kelly has contacted two businesses for quotes on carnival activities/equipment.
- One idea is an inflatable "hoppity horses" for kids to "ride" and bounce around.
- Another idea: a column you stand on, and you have to jump over an arm that rotates and tries to knock you off.
- We need to find out about water and electrical hookup locations and possibilities at Queen Elizabeth. Birgitte will look into this.
- The carnival will probably have to be located on the gravel field to the south of the portables; the grass field to the west is too far away if we need water and electricity.

9. New business

- Yearbooks just arrived, and look fantastic. Thank you, Jocelyn and Allen!