

**Chief Maquinna PAC Meeting Minutes – February 20th, 2019-6pm**  
**Number of attendance: 10**

- 1.1 Call to order**
- 1.2 Welcome & introductions**
- 1.3 Agenda- approved**
- 1.4 Meeting minutes - approved**

**2.Principal's Update (Ross Cassie)**  
**Please see pdf attached ("Principals Report")**

**Mid-Year Report Cards**

**PAC members feedback regarding new report cards:**

- Very detailed, more information**
- Hard to understand**
- Sliding scale confusing**
- Survey will be send out, other languages?**

**Seismic Mitigation Project**

**Please see Long Facilities Plan**

[https://www.vsb.bc.ca/District/Planning\\_and\\_Facilities/Long\\_Range\\_Facilities\\_Plan/Pages/default.aspx](https://www.vsb.bc.ca/District/Planning_and_Facilities/Long_Range_Facilities_Plan/Pages/default.aspx)

**3.Treasurer's update:**

**Main Account Balance (current):**

CHEQUING: \$10,181.01  
 SAVINGS: \$10,083.76 (Emergency Savings)

**Gaming Account Balance (current):**

CHEQUING: \$11.29  
 SAVINGS: \$16.96

- Continue to receive late 2<sup>nd</sup> Cycle Hot Lunch Orders  
 Collected and deposited: \$304.50 Total

Jan. 22, 2019	<b>Deposit:</b> Hot Lunch Late Orders \$135 + \$110			\$245.00	
Jan. 22, 2019	Cheque #519 for Pizza Hot Lunch	519	\$297.50		
Jan. 24, 2019	Cheque #520 for Sushi Hot Lunch	520	\$196.60		
Jan. 29, 2019	Cheque #521 for Pizza Hot Lunch	521	\$297.50		
Jan. 31, 2019	Cheque #522 for Sushi Hot Lunch	522	\$204.30		
	<b>Balance as of Feb 04, 2019</b>				<b>\$10,470.51</b>
Feb. 04, 2019	<b>Deposit:</b> Hot Lunch Late Orders \$59.50			\$59.50	
Feb. 05, 2019	Cheque #523 for Pizza Hot Lunch	523	\$292.50		
Feb. 07, 2019	Cheque #524 for Sushi Hot Lunch	524	\$203.80		
Feb. 12, 2019	Cheque #525 for Pizza Hot Lunch	525	\$277.50		
Feb. 14, 2019	Cheque #526 for Sushi Hot Lunch	526	\$183.50		
Feb. 19, 2019	Cheque #527 for Pizza Hot Lunch	527	\$300.00		
	<b>Balance as of Feb 19, 2019</b>				<b>\$10,181.01</b>
Feb. 21, 2019	Cheque #528 for Sushi Hot Lunch	528	\$187.50		

**4.Other business**

**Sports Day May 16<sup>th</sup> 2019**

**Future Pac meetings:**

**March 6<sup>th</sup>, 2019**

**April 10<sup>th</sup>, 2019**

**May 8<sup>th</sup>, 2019**

**June 12<sup>th</sup>, 2019**

## Principal's Report for the February 20, Maquinna PAC Meeting

Presented by Ross Cassie – Acting Principal

### Mid- Year Report Cards

We are hoping to find out from the parents their perceptions of our new mid - year reports. What I am hoping to hear from those in attendance tonight are the following 3 things:

- What did you like about the new reporting format;
- What would you like to be considered for changing;
- Any further questions or comments

### Seismic Mitigation Project

Late this afternoon we received word the VSB will be releasing the Long Range Facilities Plan on Friday, February 22. Apparently a section of this plan will be dedicated to the Seismic Mitigation projects in the district. Hopefully this report will be able to provide answers to the many questions that our school community members have had regarding the anticipated seismic project at Maquinna in the future. It is my understanding that the Maquinna Seismic Project Advisory Committee consisting of school admin, staff and parents has been constructed.

### Hoop Teams Doing Well

Our two school basketball teams – Senior Boys and Girls teams are both having successful seasons. In speaking with their coach, Mr Sabbagha, the student's skill levels have really improved as the year has progressed. Their seasons end this week and hopefully many students will continue playing in their high school years.

### Here 4 Peak Program

Recently former Maquinna students currently attending Van Tech came back to the school to provide a presentation to the students of Divisions 1, 2 and 3 on the topic of mental health issues. Great to see our former students coming back to Maquinna to work with our students on such an important topic.

### Bow to Your Partner!

Starting on Monday, February 25 for 3 days all of our students will be participating in a Square Dancing Program with their classmates. This is a great social activity as well as a fun fitness activity for our students to participate in.

### Science Inquiry Celebration and Science Fair for Div 1 to 4 Students

On February 28, from 1-3:00, the students of Divisions 1/2/3/4 will be displaying their science inquiry projects that they have recently completed. Parents and students from the other divisions will have the

opportunity to see the student's projects and also hear from the students about what they have learned from the work they have done.

On March 2 and 3, the students will also be participating in the VSB's Science Fair at Science World. Students from many other schools in the district along with Maquinna students will have their science projects on display and sharing their knowledge with the public at that time.

#### Student Led Conferences

Our Student Led Conferences will be held on March 12/13 from 2:00 to 7:00. Students will be dismissed at 2:00 on both of these days. Student led conferences are a great opportunity for our students to celebrate what they have learned at school with their parents. I have always enjoyed watching the dynamics between the parents/students when these conferences are occurring. Hopefully we will have 100% turnout for these conferences.

#### Spring Time Sports

In April our school badminton team will be participating in the Elementary School League and then in May to early June our track team will training hard for their meets.