

Chief Maquinna Elementary School - Parent Advisory Council – Minutes October 20 2021-- 6:00-7:00 pm – Virtual Meeting

1. Standing items

1.1 Call to order at 6:01 by Scott

1.2 Motion to accept September minutes made by Scott, seconded by Judy

-No objections

-No abstentions

1.3 Motion to accept the agenda made Scott, seconded by Deanna

-No objections

-No abstentions

1.4 Attendance- 13 present

Scott Kaminski, Deanna Kadatz, Ryan Theoblad, Yuly Lau, Judy Stoyko, Lily Lougheed, Bruce Sallee, Winnie Ng, Tina Kaminski, Raja Sabbagha, Adrijana kokic, Christine Lockhart, Mika Khatiri,

2. Principal Update

2.1 Swings: Coming across some hiccups with the cost for the swings. Needing to find out what the cost would be for VSB to only oversee the install as opposed to doing the whole install and purchase.

2.2 (Raja) Crossing guard program has been organised and will be implemented at the end of October.

2.3 Still finding and dealing with deficiencies from the construction such as no heat in the basement classroom.

2.4 Goal setting: Was done virtually again and was really successful. Teachers are finding more parents are being able to be present and less time is taken doing them virtually.

2.5 Request #1 Lily Lougheed presents an ask for funding from the PAC for guided reading books in order to help meet the teachers goal of increasing students reading comprehension.

2.6 Request #2 Raja Sabbagha presents an ask for funding from the PAC towards supporting the grade 6/7 initiatives. Approximate amount of \$5000-\$10,000 with it being likely to be closer to \$5000 with more of the costly activity options not able to happen right now. Parents then subsidize for the activity beyond the PACs contribution. Would like to confirm funding in the new year.

2.7 Outdoor Space No further update yet

2.8 Legacy Tree Cost for the tree would be \$400, then \$300 for install. Decision made to no longer do this gift as funding for it is not available.

3. Fundraising update

3.1 Hot Lunches: Will be going ahead with this supplier starting Nov 2. Cost of \$6.50 a meal with about \$1 from each going to the PAC

3.2 Pudy's: Set up and ready to go out Nov 1. Can do distribution at the school in covered area.

3.3 Frozen Foods: Will do in February through Neufeld farms

3.4 Spirit Wear: Set and ready for launch right away

4. Officers reports

4.1 Chair Report PAC 101 meeting happening Thursday Oct 21 @ 7pm. Met with facilities committee. They provided feedback about a plan and the ministry providing funding for this.

4.2 Treasurers Report Chequings: \$2039 Savings \$10,191 Gaming \$4250 Also have a few hundred from online donations, and the additional gaming account amount for this year.

4.3 DPAC Report Motion being made for the VSB makes no planning changes that are irreversible. For example, selling or leasing out school land such as at 41st and Clark.

5. Funding Disbursement

5.1 Request from Bruce for the annual funds donated to the school for class and field trip funds. Teachers are willing to forgo the funds for field trips. Amount requested of \$500/classroom for a total of \$5000.

5.2 Motion made to provide \$6600 for school classroom funds, including \$500/per class, \$500 for end of year, and min \$1600 for reading resources made by Scott, seconded by Judy

-No objections

-No abstentions

5. Future Meeting

5.1 Wednesday November 24, 2021, 6:00-7:00pm online