

January 9, 2024

Aberdeen PAC Agenda
Attendance: Mindy, Alycia, Bethany, Michelle, Mr. Tjernagel

1. Welcome/Call to Order/Land Acknowledgement

We acknowledge that the Abbotsford School District is located on the traditional and unceded territory of the Semá:th First Nation and Mathxwí First Nation. With this, we respect the longstanding relationships that Indigenous Nations have to this land, as they are the original caretakers.

District Commitment: The Abbotsford School District acknowledges historical and ongoing injustices that Indigenous Peoples endure in Canada, and we accept responsibility as a public educational institution to contribute toward revealing and correcting miseducation as well as renewing respectful relationships with Indigenous communities through our teaching and community engagement.

2. Approval of agenda

3. Minutes of last meeting -

4. Correspondence – Flavr Ice Cream pricing and options remain the same for this year as last. Bethany will get this finalized on Munch-A-Lunch.

5. Reports

- Chair - No report
- Vice-Chair – No Report
- Secretary – No Report
- Treasurer
 - Gaming: \$2,218.96
 - Main: \$19,596.27
- DPAC – No Dec meeting

6. Old Business

- Jess Dance Update
 - \$3500.00 (Michelle will check into whether this includes tax or other fees.)
 - The days planned to have them at the school are February 3,5,7,10 &12 to do Afrobeat dance during Black History Month. Mr. Tjernagel encouraged having a performance even just for the kids to perform for each other, but those that don't want to perform will not be forced to. Michelle has a schedule made up which she will pass on to Mr. Tjernagel to look at and confirm or adjust.
 - We motioned to spend up to \$4000 and it passed with all in favor.
- Foam Party Update: how do we want to price this? did they have any suggestions?
 - They didn't have any suggestions. At this point Mindy's suggestion as treasurer is that we charge \$12-\$15 for a wristband that allows children to participate. The foam part will only be for the kids.
 - Date: June 13th as they no longer had the 6th available.
 - Food – Pizza will be available for pre-order and Mindy will look into having a Dessert Food truck come as well.

7. New Business

- Movie Night
 - The volunteer form is ready to be posted. Michelle will post this closer to the day

- Date: Feb 27th
- Bethany & Michelle will come up with some more action filled movie suggestions for the kids to vote on.
- Staff appreciation lunch
 - Date: March 6th
 - Michelle will be in touch with Reel Wrapps to see when they need the orders and will get the menu out to the teachers to place their orders.
 - We can offer them a base-sized meal this year – not just the wrap.

8. Principal's Report

- Mr. Tjernagel is enjoying being at the school. Great kids and staff.
- Focus – How do we want to operate?
 - Positive Behavior for Learning
 - Social Emotional Learning
 - Working on getting everyone at the school using the same terms and language with the kids.
- New LSS teacher, Sualeha Syeda, has been great and should be staying through the end of the year.
- Alexis Siewert will be covering Mrs Parkinson's mat leave in her K/1 class.
- Nicole Kennedy will be returning in February.
- Working on Maintenance around the school
 - Gravel between playground and forest
 - Re-filling the sand in the long-jump pit
 - PAC is requesting that we ask about getting one way signs put in in the front parking lot (as people have started driving the wrong direction again) and, if possible, to get some of the cupboards in the kitchen fixed.

9. Date of next meeting – 7pm, February 13th

10. Agenda items for next meeting - Nothing to note at this time

11. Adjournment—7:37pm