Organization/Committee Name

# Meeting Minutes

# Tuesday, March 10th, 2020

## In Attendance

## Laura Brandon Lisa Kania Shona Spence

## Valerie Shalay Lorna Harmston Michelle Dunsmore

## Lynda Nelles Jessica White Tiffany Currie

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Pass meeting minutes – Motion: Lynda /Second: Jessica

## Principal’s Report

We have been working on the MDI survey with grade 4s and 7s. A team from UBC collects information (social and emotional) that is tailored to the kids and our context. We should be getting those reports soon.

We have also opened up a Student learning survey from the ministry that is very tailored to student and school specific information that can be collected and as a school and PAC we can see where students feel like they can succeed. There is also a parent and staff component.

We celebrated pink shirt day. We had our “Everything Pink” bake sale that was a huge success. After lunch we had a celebration for Jump Rope for Heart. It was loud but fun.

Kindergarten screening has been done for vision and hearing with the health unit.

Term two conferences and report cards were done last week. Teachers will copy them and get them out to parents.

We spoke about the Sports for Life project. Martial arts just finished. We have Zumba this week and will start softball when we are back after the break.

I want to touch on the Covid-19 information. The information that I found most helpful is the document around handwashing with the kids. We have posters coming and the will go up. We will have posters about coughing and sneezing management. We are trying to manage their concerns when they bring them up. We are being proactive with hand washing and coughing/sneezing into our arm and staying home when sick. We keep it age appropriate.

As a district, we have extra custodial coming around to clean and wipe down high touch areas. Our custodians have also been directed to do those areas but also chairs, sinks etc. It is good practice to keep us healthy from all germs.

Treasurer’s ReportTwo hot lunches last month – Taco Del Mar: Good and bad feedback. The restaurant has apologized for the mess up on their part.

Pizza hut: success. We include sides that are added and sorted.

Carnival brought in an amazing $6000.00. That is the most in the history of Harry Hooge.

Our net profit was $1748.00. We had a budget of $4000.00 to revamp the carnival. It was a success.

Previous years we had $2480.00. We are hoping the word gets out next year that the carnival is new and exciting and fun.

Cash on hand is $31,000.00 which has been mostly allocated in the budget. We will go through to see what needs to be paid out. Cheques will be written.

Year to date: $11,000 left over and new carts will be included.

Christmas Purdy’s Chocolate: 500.00 profit

January

Hot lunch – Carl’s Junior had good feedback and Subway: $530.00 profit

Hopefully hot lunch orders will pick up.

Photo Express - $30.00 This was an after thought. Next year posters will be put up in October. This is an easy event, where parent can go online and book their time at the studio. 8x10 included in the 15.00 fee.

Discussion:

## Emergency supplies still pending.

Laura: The carts we have now open on the side. They have been here for years and are well used. Things are getting broken. The new ones open from the top. They have almost like a magazine holder to hold each device. They are colour coordinated.

Some kids will need training on how to get them back into the cart to hook to the connection ports. The parts are guaranteed for life.

Lorna: Has name for contacts for planters/beatification. Sanderson concrete. – school discount.

Mural: Lynda will ask her contact and Laura will chck with Miss Sandy.

Courtyard needs beatification. We would like to reach out to our parents to see if anyone has expertise that they would be willing to share with Harry Hooge.

**NEW business:**

*Spring Dance* – May 7th 6 – 8pm. Neon theme with budget of 300.00

Dance committee and volunteer sign up sheet is on the PAC board.

Lynda: Needs to put up the black curtains/hooks in the gym.

Pizza pre-orders for dance. No pizza for purchase at dance.

Concession with pop/chips/candy.

Family dance – no dropping of children. All children must attend with an adult.

*Nominations for next year.*

We need an individual to scrutineer.

Ballet box will be in the office. – Jessica White / Tiffany Carrie

Any parent of the school population can be nominated for a position.

All nominations must be in by April 14th PAC meeting.

Committee Sheets will be posted on the PAC board. We need volunteers. Please sign up for any event that you feel excited about.

Ways to get more parent involvement:

Welcome Back BBQ (September) – PAC info table with event information.

Event committees.

Purpose of the PAC – conference days

PAC bucks

## Adjournment

7:54 by Shona.

Next meeting to be held April14