



# THOMAS HANEY SECONDARY SCHOOL

## **PARENT ADVISORY COUNCIL**

*Parents Working Together to Connect and Communicate*

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### **PAC MEETING MINUTES FOR: Thursday, October 12, 2023 - 7:00pm**

**1 Call Meeting to Order**

**2 Welcome** to all parents, staff and students

**3 Club Presentations** – some staff/students presented their plans:

\*Mr. Knowles - Soap Club

\*Mr. Bigger and Mr. Goodman - Video Game Club (LAN Party -2 per year), Board Game Club, Friday! RPG Club (LARP event) and a printer for Graphic Design Club

\*Mr. Connolly - Model United Nations Club, 701 Hockey Club and Urban Studies Landscape Project

\*Mr. Rowell and the Robotics Student Led Team Club

**4 Adoption of Minutes** from the September 14<sup>th</sup>, 2023 meeting - adopted

**5 Chair Report**

a) Meeting Dates are posted on the website

b) Executive – Motion to acclaim Brianne Thorne to our vacant MAL position - acclaimed

c) BCCPAC – Membership updated, and fees paid, in good standing.

**6 Treasurer's Report**

- \$38,500 in account as of now

**7 DPAC Report**

-Feeding students is available for all schools (Starfish programs)

-Lots of teaching vacancies throughout the district still

-High school washroom vaping issues across district - safety concerns.

**8 Principal's Report**

-Admin. are aware of school washroom issues

-Grade 11/12 night - post secondary night

-Grade 12 BBQ

-Outdoor Ed. ziplining at Grouse Mountain

-Labelling horse anatomy with the Equestrian Program

-Jr. and Sr. Girls Volleyball

-Annual Terry Fox Run, walk and wheel

-Gratitude Wall

- Gr. 11/12 Post Secondary Day
- Truth and Reconciliation Day
- New School Sign
- Awards Gr. 11-12
- Student Council Elections
- Breakfast Club - Wednesday and Fridays

Upcoming Events:

Oct. 16 -Collaboration Day (late start for students - 9:30am)

19 - BC Great Shake Out

20 - Provincial NID

20 - Nov. 3 Literacy 10 Assessment

Nov. 9 - Student Conferences

10 - Non-Instructional Day

13 - Remembrance Day

9        **Gaming Grant Funding –Allocation of Funds**

10       **Adjournment @9:45pm**

**Next PAC Meeting is scheduled for: Thursday, January 11, 2024**