

SEPTEMBER MINUTES

Davidson Road Elementary PAC Meeting minutes

Sept 1, 2021 (Time: 2:30pm via zoom)

Executive Members In attendance: Holly F(President), Kristen L (Vice-President), (CO-PAC), Jensine M (Treasurer), Jeannette L (Co-Secretary), Bretta L & Tara S (Hot Lunch), Tara S (Movie Night)

Regrets: Sam B(Co-Secretary), Jill N (Flower Fundraisers), Shelley R (Member at large)

Guests: Gurprit Hayher (Principal), Jennifer Adamson (Vice-Principal), Patrick B, Heather E, Lana S, Misti A, Eunice H, Angelique S, Tristian G, Christine S, Kerri P, Melissa (Health Planning Society)

Item

1. Welcome and Introductions

- Meeting called to order by: Holly F
- Time: 2:30 pm

2. Adoption of Agenda

Motioned: Bretta L 2nd: Jeannette L

3. Approval of Minutes

For June- Motioned: Jensine M 2nd: Bretta L

4. Executive Reports:

4.1 President's Report

- Welcome to first PAC meeting for September 2021 school year

4.2 Treasurer's Report

- Numbers currently unavailable – statement not yet received will update in October

4.3 COPAC Report

- No information available – meeting next week

4.4 Hot Lunch/ Fruit & Vegetable Program

- Currently still postponed

5. Principal's Report

- See attached

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6. New Business

- Covid school plan update – in Principal's Report
- Yearbook- feedback – well done overall, some blurry photos due to the technology used to take the photos, list the grade with the teacher rather than the division number for easier reference, preview cover prior to printing next year
- Fundraiser-school labels – two options
Oliver's labels or Mabel's labels - all to be done online – labels for school supplies and personal belongings to aid in reducing lost and found items
Action: Holly F and Bretta L
- Fundraiser idea-2021-2022 school year
Boxed juice – Angelique S
Christmas Purdy's
Coffee
- Lake Country Health Planning guest speaker – The Lake Country Health Planning Society is expanding its services – see below for Calendar
- Gift Cards for teachers – conversation to be had Shelley, Gulp and teachers regarding the amount – vote to follow

7. Old Business

- Still in need of CO-PAC representative for 2021-2022 school year – Position still available
- Lower crosswalk update/ solutions – District of LC still reviewing options – no update yet
Do need crosswalk volunteers – morning/afternoon – more information to come
- Noon hour supervisors still needed – contact Jennifer A for more information
jennifer.adamson@sd23.bc.ca

8. Announcements

- Next meeting: October 13, 2021 @ 6:30 pm

9. Parking spot draw for September:

- Kristin Landry

10. Adjournment

Motioned: Kristin L
2nd: Jensine M
Time: 3:42 pm

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Upcoming events

October 7th 2021

Angst is a Film with about opening up the conversation around anxiety and mental Health with youth.

October 14th 2021

Big Daddy Tazz also known as the "Bi-Polar Buddha" brings equal parts comedian and motivational speaker. He enlighten, educate and inspire.

November 18th 2021

Dr. Sarah Dow-Fleisner and school psychologist Devon Wolfe will bring education and understanding to parenting thru the challenging years.

January 13th 2022

Painkiller: Inside the Opioid Crisis: a TELUS Health Originals film, tells the human story behind the opioid epidemic affecting Canada

January 20th 2022

Dr. Zach Walsh and social worker Ben Goerner share their knowledge and insight about addiction, helping all of us understand.

February 3rd 2022

Screenagers is a film that explores the struggles with social media, video games and internet addiction among parents and kids.

February 10th 2022

Wade Sorochan is an award-winning speaker, who discusses what you need to know about social media and Mental health.

March 10th 2022

Connie Lupichuk is a registered social worker who specializes in parental alienation and divorce. She will share her insight on how to managing divorce better with our kids.



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PRINCIPAL'S REPORT (September PAC mtg)

1) Thank you

- Operations Staff – summer cleaning and preparing classrooms and site
- Teachers participating in professional development and getting classes ready to welcome our students

2) Opening Week

- Tuesday is our first day back for gr. 1 – 5 students
 - i. 393 students as of today (we were projected for 393)
- Need to alter our Kindergarten plans for Tuesday
- Health and Safety
 - i. Communicable Disease Plan (District Link - [School District website](http://www.k12dailycheck.gov.bc.ca/healthcheck?execution=e1s1))
 - ii. DRE Communicable Disease plan (to be finalized with our JOHSC) and will be emailed out in newsletter later this week with a draft
 - 1. Daily Health Check -
<https://www.k12dailycheck.gov.bc.ca/healthcheck?execution=e1s1>
 - 2. Individuals who are ill or presenting symptoms will go home
 - 3. Staggered and controlled entry through designated entrances
 - 4. Hand Hygiene (Hand washing/hand sanitizer)
 - 5. Physical Spacing – strict physical distancing not required
 - a. Create space and spread people out
 - b. Establish occupancy limits
 - c. Manage flow of people/students in common areas
 - d. Current limit of 50 individuals for gatherings
 - 6. Masks are required indoors and on school busses for adults and students in grades 4 and 5. Students in K – 3 are encouraged to wear masks indoors and on busses. Masks are not required outdoors (not during PE.)
 - 7. Students are not in learning groups
 - 8. Limited entry into the building - Hot lunch and volunteers on hold for now



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3) Outdoor Learning Space

5. DISCUSSION/ACTION ITEMS

5.1. Enhancement Agreement - Davidson Road Elementary Outdoor Learning Space

(Attachment)

STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

THAT: The Planning and Facilities Committee recommends to the Board:

THAT: The Board of Education enter into an Enhancement Agreement with the Davidson Road Elementary School PAC for the Outdoor Learning Space outlined in Appendix B, as attached to the Agenda, and as presented at the September 1, 2021 Planning and Facilities Committee meeting.

4) School Code of Conduct (Jen)

5) April, 2020 PAC meeting we started our conversations about changing how we Communicate Student Learning (reporting) at DRE

- Strengths-based report card (Communicating Student Learning Committee met weekly for 9 weeks to develop our draft document) – Committee included Admin, Kindergarten, gr. 1, gr. 3, gr 6, LAT, and ELL staff.
- April, 2020 PAC meeting we started our conversations about changing how we Communicate Student Learning (reporting) at DRE
 - i. Draft K-9 Student Reporting Policy
<https://curriculum.gov.bc.ca/sites/curriculum.gov.bc.ca/files/pdf/reporting/student-reporting-policy-pilot-handbook.pdf>
 - ii. OTS and PGE use a proficiency scale to communicate student learning
 - iii. HS Grenda will be developing their model to communicate student learning (likely to be very similar to CMS – a proficiency scale)
 - iv. Better align DRE reporting and the competency based curriculum



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6) Upcoming Events

- School Photos – Sept 23rd
- Parent/Teacher Conferences Online Scheduling Opens –Sept. 24th
- Truth and Reconciliation Week – Sept 27th to Oct 1st (September 30th is a stat holiday – National Day of Truth and Reconciliation)
- Parent/Teacher Conferences will be October 6th and 7
- PAC Fundraiser: Artist in Residence – Janice Kirstead (Water Colour Christmas Card Fundraiser) begins with students on October 6th