



SLE General PAC Meeting
Shannon Lake Library

Attendees

Kristine Vodarek, Aimee Ward, Christen Wilson, Kelly Scott, Shemina Pacini, Lorelie Dournovo, Andrea Pal, Nicole Maura, Joni Hara, Sheri Dodd, Cherie Hauca, Sara Gramiak, Mel Secretan, Sara Cousins, Leah Johnstone, Erin Goward, Shannon Thurstan, Alida Privett, Jessie Bruce.

- 1) Meeting called to order @ 6:07 pm SLE Library.
- 2) Christen Wilson approved and adopted the previous minutes seconded by Andrea Pal.
- 3) Mrs. Alida Privett made note that the new online registration ran well, with a few walk in registrations.
- 4) The new 2014/2015 district calendar was passed around no issues were found with dates set for the new school session.
- 5) Principals report presented by Alida Privett.

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT TO SLE PAC ~ FEBRUARY 3, 2014

Welcome to the year of the Horse – as it gallops by!

The attached proposed calendar for the next school year requires our PACs approval. This approval needs to be emailed to the SD 23 HR department. There are no significant changes to this calendar proposed this year.

A reminder to all parents that registration has begun for the next school year. If you are out of catchment and your letter has directed you to a new home school, you can be confirmed as registered at Mar Jok if you email me by February 10th. If you wish to waitlist here you must register online with SLE as your first choice. All K students are new to the system and must be registered online.

After this registration period closes we will begin to look at numbers for each of the three schools (MJE, SLE and RVE) and make decisions about staffing. We will keep you posted throughout the process. At this point we have no idea how many or which teachers will be moving from SLE.

Our ELFF night was a resounding success – 94 people were here to celebrate early learning.

We offered a new and different outline for the evening which worked well and provided the opportunity for families to participate in an activity in each of our four K classrooms. Mr. MacLeod was there to greet new families and schlep tables with us. Mr. Bruce was the rock star of the evening!

Looking forward to the SLE Olympics. Parents are invited to participate fully. This is turning into quite a production. Don Giang is working hard at creating both the torch and the cauldron and they are going to be outstanding – he deserved thanks and accolades from us all. They will not be revealed until the time, but trust me! Hours of work....

Monday February 3, 2014

Please pass the word that the 3-Way Learning Conferences right at the end of the month are essential for parents to attend. These are not open houses – they are critical conversations about the child's learning to date and the learning goals for Term 3, the last term of the year. There will be early dismissal both days at 12:30. Buses will arrive at that time for pick up.

Respectfully submitted,

- 6) Presidents report presented by Nicole Mauro. Made mention that she is going to invite the new school principal to the next few meetings for introductions.
- 7) Treasurers report presented by Aimee Ward. We now have 2 cosigners Rebecca Ashely and Sara Cousins. Account Balances are as follows.
 - General Account \$22,171.73
 - Playground Account \$25,647.03
 - Gaming Account \$17.90Up to date bracelet sales are \$136.00
- 8) Event Planning
 - * Movie Night Date confirmed March 7, 2014 Bring your own bowl for popcorn!
Can use Walmart for juice up to \$200.00
 - * West Kelowna Walmart is going to apply to head office for a fundraising match grant. to a maximum of \$2000.00 We are to give the store \$2000.00 and in return receive \$4000.00 back. Treasurer will look into tax liability and president Nicole will call Rose Valley to find out a little more information. We will vote next meeting March 3, 2014.
 - * Fun Fair Joni has asked PAC and passed around a volunteer sheet asking for a "Fun Fair team" help, and any ideas... please contact her directly email is jonihara@hotmail.com We can use Walmart for a few items that we need for the fair up to \$200.00. Date has been booked Friday May 23, 2014 rain or shine. 4:30-7:00 Cake walk, Bouncy castles Raffle baskets, etc.
- 9) Fundraising
 - * Dominos Pizza This fundraiser raised \$4109.82 last year. 18 voters were present and all in voters were in favour of starting this fundraiser again. This year it is a bit different, and 100% of the proceeds will go towards the SLE school.
 - * Clothing drive Kristine has made a call to the boys and girls club to confirm and book dates for pick up, still waiting to hear back. Bring gently used shoes and clothing and SLE will receive \$2.50 per bag that is brought in. Possible date is April 3/4th, 2014.
- 10) Nothing to report from Parent Ambassadors.
- 11) Hot Lunch team is looking at bringing in more local restaurants and looking at what profits we are making if any from each venue we currently use.
- 12) SPC has a date set Feb 28 2014 to present all the hard work the students have done, in the last year of the 21 century learning plan. Hoping to start building a new council for the up and coming new school year 2014/2015.
- 13) Winner of the Free hot lunch for the month is.....Christen Wilson!!!!
- 14) Meeting was adjourned @ 7:08 pm.