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PORT GUICHON SCHOOL PAC MEETING

Tuesday, February 11th, 2025, at 6:36pm Meeting called to order by Merrilee

In Attendance

Merilee McCaffery, Stacey Jones, Bonnie Froh, Sarah Kingston, Charlotte Montgomery, Zabrina Labbe, Sarah Reyes, Hilary Walker and Charlene Vuilleumier

Approval of Minutes

The Previous Minutes are approved by Bonnie and seconded by Charlotte

The Current Agenda is approved by Merilee and seconded by Bonnie

Principal's Report – Ms. Shannon Wood

The recent cold weather caused us to shift play a bit but the kids loved it! We are still in need of basketballs if anyone has any or a connection in the community. We had a wonderful Proformance with Brazilian drumming last week as well as a lockdown and fire drill, we are so proud of both the students and staff- they did a great job! The Primary students have been using the Strider bikes, learning balance and road safety. Basketball season is just about finished and went great! We are starting grade 7 to 8 transition. There will be a parent meeting for grade 7 parents at DSS on Feb 27th at 6pm. We are reminding students of road safety when crossing the roads as well as to walk your wheels on school property.

PAC Executive Report

Chair: Merilee McCaffery – Janice will bring the soccer nets next week and show staff how to set them up

Vice Chair: Hilary Walker – Nothing to report

Secretary: Stacey Jones – Nothing to report

Treasurer: Alisa Sayce – Excused: $2736.60 in the gaming grant account and $4000 in the general bank account. Pub night brought in $770

DPAC: Bonnie Froh – the next DPAC is on Monday Feb 24th at Cliff Drive Elementary at 7pm

Member at Large: Janet Kinneard – Excused

Member at Large: Charlotte Montgomery – Nothing to report

Teacher Representative: Ms. Kay – request for new gym equipment for lunchtime activities, the students are getting ready to celebrate Family Day, and a reminder to parents to please read and engage with your kids and their report cards.

Discussion Items

1) Fundraising:

a) Current fundraisers: Neufeld's until March 3, Purdy's chocolate for easter, ongoing: Mables labels, bottle depot, cobs bread
b) March Fundraiser: possible flowers
c) Movie Night: Mar 7 showing Moana 2, and May 9 showing Wicked
d) Hot Lunch Team: Feb Pizza, March DQ
e) Upcoming Events: Spring Family BBQ June 6: BBQ, cotton candy, popcorn, tumble track, classic games, stuffy spin, stuffy riders, bottle table and pony rides. Let Ms. Wood or PAC exec know if you can help.

New Business

1) Designating a Movie Night and Hot Lunch Person(s)- PAC is looking for volunteers to run the Movie Nights and hot lunch program going forward. Please reach out to Ms. Wood or any PAC Exec for more information.
*Reminder that the parents that organize and help with hot lunch, movie night, pub night etc. Are PARENTS volunteering their time. Everyone is welcome to attend meetings, share ideas and help out.

Next Meeting

Tuesday, March 4th at 6:30pm

Meeting adjourned at 7:56pm