



OSOYOOS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL PAC MEETING MINUTES January 9, 2023

Attended: Dave Foster, Tom Eccleston, Nikki Young, Deanna Dempsey, Shawna Farrell, Jennifer Aitken, Kirsten McLean, Meagan Bento, Bianca Rosin, Grace Agostinho, Crystal Duperon, Allicyn Pyatt

Meeting called to order @ 6:31pm

Agenda adopted Nikki motioned, Deanna seconded, MOTION CARRIED

Minutes adopted Nikki motioned, Deanna seconded, MOTION CARRIED



General Business

- Laura surveyed teachers to see what type of projects PAC could work towards, Sarah compiled results (see attached pie chart for more info) – Library improvements topped list –warmer & more inviting, increased functionality and accessibility, outdoor spaces came 2nd on the list
- Decision made to work towards larger library improvement project - Next step will be to form committee to create plan & budget

Treasurer Report

- General account \$18328.19; gaming account \$7600.00
- Gift cards: Buy-Low Foods \$640.00; AG Foods \$170.00
- Purdy's Fundraiser raised \$1108.00

Osoyoos Elementary Administrator's Report

- Thank you to Nikki, Shawna, and PAC members for the Purdy's fundraiser. Thank you to Laura for the coming to our staff meetings and collating the survey information. Sarah for the pie graph and the spotlight for the Christmas Concert.
- Christmas concert feedback and attendance in the Sonora Centre Gym.
- Kindness Campaign in January/February is changing to a Gratitude Campaign in April/May (after Spring Break) – Gratitude Lunch/Picnic as a celebration. Will PAC support us with lunch for the students?
- School Garden Update:
 - Cloth and wood chips, painting boxes, finish irrigation in the boxes as we plant in the Spring.
- Lunch Program...thoughts and feedback.
- Student Learning Survey – Will be administered to grade 4 & 7 students between Jan. 9 and April 29, 2023
- MDI – Grade 4 and 6 students will be doing the survey sometime in the coming weeks, between Jan. 10 and March 3.
- EDI – For K students/parents and Dental Screening for K students.
- School Plan:

- Literacy, Numeracy, Indigenous and SEL. Resiliency, Regulation and Trauma-Informed Practice
- Grants:
 - Take a Risk Grant – Core Competencies
 - Mental Health Grants – Indigenous (FPPL), Resiliency, Regulation and Trauma-Informed Practice. Social support for groups of students.
- Choir – Grade 3-7, large number of students participating. Kiwanis Music Festival in Penticton
- Winter Activities:
 - Basketball – Girls team practice Tuesday/Thursday after school. Boys team practice Monday/Wednesday after school. Some lunch practices. District Tournaments take place on February 16.
 - Cross country skiing at the McKinney Ski Trails on: Jan. 17 - Mrs. Livera and Mrs. Raposo Group 1, Jan. 19 - Mr. Lewis, Jan. 24 - Mrs. Livera and Mrs. Raposo Group 2, Jan. 26 - Mr. Bayliss.
 - Downhill Skiing or Snowboarding at Baldy Mountain Resort - The Grade 6 and 7 students will each go two times from the following dates (all Mondays), Feb. 13, 27, March 6, 13. Specific days are still yet to be decided.
 - Winter Skating – Primary classes in February. Helmets must be worn, and parent volunteers needed.
- Communication of Student learning
 - Spaces – replaces FreshGrade
 - Information in the February and March newsletters, Newsflash as needed.
 - Parent Teacher Conferences – March 15 & 16, 2023.
 - Paper report card in June to accompany information in Spaces.
 - Tom -presentation to PAC about Spaces.
- Questions?

Board Report

See attached

Additional Items

Purdy's Fundraiser – Pickup in April around Easter

Bottle Drive Fundraiser – Oliver depot offers bag drop-off; Crystal will look into setting up account for PAC

Meeting Adjourned @ 7:20 pm

Next Meeting: February 6, 2023 @ 6:30pm

Location: Osoyoos Elementary School Learning Commons