

September 2024 PAC Meeting Minutes

September 09, 2024

Welcome: Dana Orrego

Adopt minutes: 1st:

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Principals report: Andrew Furneyhough

- Good start up- Smooth
 - Ms. Lucieer getting us going with a revised breakfast/snack program
 - Re-did the parking lot and the arrows

- New Staff members:
 - Stacey Jacobsen- YFPW
 - Katreena Lowry- Counsellor
 - Nicole Leong- LST (part time)
 - Katie Kiwanuka- Music Teacher
 - Pheobe May- CST
 - Teresa Cameron- Complex Needs
 - Garrett Holt- Grade 2, $\frac{4}{5}$

- School-Wide Events;
 - Terry Fox Friday September 20th at 1pm
 - Orange Shirt Day for National Day for Truth and Reconciliation Friday September 27th

- Child Care Facility- Started pick up and drop off today
- Salad Bar starting wednesday- Caesar Salad
- Wheelie Wednesday TBD
- School Fees due by September 20th
- SafeArrival- New attendance system
- 3 buses; new schedule; They are having some troubles figuring out times. Stay tuned
- Meet the teacher; TBD
- Fire Drill September 27th
- New Picture day date is October 1st
- Swing Sets; Swings are on their way
- If you have any concerns about Arden could you please bring them to myself or Teresa and we will do the best that we can, and then we will bring it to the board office.

Presidents Report: Dana Orrego

- will need new VP, Secretary, DPAC and Fundraising Reps

Treasurer Report: Jacky Minshall

- General account: \$8086.06
- Gaming account: \$1935.36 + reimbursement of \$3000 from SD71 for previously purchased items for the sensory room
- Need to do budget for AGM
- meeting this week with Admin to discuss schools needs

Hot Lunch Report: Nicole Mann

- Looking to start up again in October on thursdays
- Help is always welcomed. No weekly commitment is necessary. Prep and distribution is 11:15-12pm.

DPAC report: JJ Goff

- Need new DPAC
- First DPAC meeting is Monday October 7, 2024

Fundraising Report: Dana Orrego

- Need a new fundraising chair
- \$100 will be allocated from the budget for a family school picnic. All voted in favor
- Will do a premade fundraising calendar with preset dates to make it easier for families to plan and to get volunteers. Will be keeping it simple this year; less sales and more gatherings. ***This calendar is tentative and subject to change***
 - October: Spirit Wear
 - November: Christmas Craft Fair (considering 3rd week of November)
 - January: Movie Night by donation
 - February: West Coast Seeds
 - March: YANA Freezy sale (?)
 - April: School dance by donation
 - May: Penny Carnival

Salad Bar Report: Lesia Wick

- Starts this week
- Start up costs will be covered from previous grants from last year. At a future date a breakdown will be provided on how Salad bar is funded.
- Volunteers are always welcomed. No weekly commitment necessary. Prep is on Tuesdays from 245/315-430pm and is served on wednesday from 10-2pm.

Old Business: Dana Orrego

New Business:

- Wade Wick: Safety concerns about the main doors being locked until 8:40am. All other 12 schools in the Comox Valley are unlocked at 8am.

PAC Parent of the month draw: Uday

Discussion:

Adjourn: Dana Orrego

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