

Agenda
WL McLeod Parent Advisory Committee
May 3, 2023

President: Heidi Tanninen	✓	DPAC Rep: Paula Wylie	✓
Vice President: Mandi Davidson	✓	Principal: Libby Hart	✓
Treasurer: Anna Manwaring	✓	Vice Principal: Candace Lawrence	✓
Secretary: Dannilee Marttinen	X	Members at large:	NONE

1. Call to Order: 5:09pm
2. Introductions and Explanation about PAC: **N/A**
3. Review of last meetings minutes

Accepted as read: Anna

Seconded: Paula

4. Review of agenda

Accepted as read: Paula

Seconded: Anna

5. Executive Reports

Chair's report:

Chaired Last meeting!

Vice-Chair's report:

-Teacher cards w/ Anna - Minutes from April meeting/ Agenda for tonight (trying something new for attendance - feedback?) - Play was amazing!

Secretary's report:

-NONE

DPAC Representative Report:

Meeting tomorrow, May 4. Missed the Townhall meeting we spoke of last meeting - pre registration was required, but we were unaware of this. Childcare survey asking for input went out. It is really short, encourage as many people to do it as possible. NVSS will be hosting a Mental Health Fair on May 11. There is also a written resource being released for parents titled

"Pathways to care" and will provide general health information. Other PAC reported they did not receive gaming grants this year because they failed to submit the reports in the timeframe required. Burns Lake expressed interest in attending the McLeod play -other schools that attended expressed great reviews. New Report Card Reporting Requirements are being implemented. Grade 7, 8 & 9 will evolve to have more meaningful comments to better communicate with parents on individual student progress. This will eliminate a letter grade and percentage. There is also the addition of a reflection component for all students through grade 12.

Treasurer's report:

Farm to School Account:	Opening \$13,540.59	Closing: \$15,435.99
I	Income: \$5643.00	Expenses: \$3747.60

PAC Account:	Opening \$4,739.65	Closing: \$4,317.34
	Income: \$975.80 (Purdys)	Expenses: \$1398.11 *Hot Chocolate day and Teacher money

Gaming Account:	Opening \$17,594.64	Closing: \$17,594.64
	Income: \$0.00	Expenses: \$0.00

Principal's Report:

Play! It was amazing. Clean up went well. At Risk Interim reports go home Friday.

Vice-Principal's Report:

Nothing not listed below.

6. Old business:

- a. Computer Lab - Keep in old business.
- b. Year end BBQ/Watermelon/Other - Kitchen has been asking.
June 26, PAC will pay for lunch with fruit. Lunch item TBD - Hot dogs likely.
- c. Early Learning Program - ***Starting May 30! 8 days pilot program. Tuesday and Thursday for 4 weeks. 2 hours per day. 3&4 year olds. Sign up is First Come, First Served. Max of 10 registrations due to 1 ECE staff available. \$56 for the month of June. very reasonable.**
- d. Farm to School - Seeds and what kitchen wants planted ***Matthew is on this. Things are going. Little Greenthumb Greenhouse donated tomatoe starts.**
- e. Growing Smiles - Changed date - Delivery May 31 - Orders due May 17

7. New Business:

- a. Grade 6 year end - No solid plan yet - ideas of PG, exploration place, bowling, art gallery, escape room. **Send email vote to fund \$60/student (based on educo number) to be paid from gaming. 42 students, plus staff. Estimating \$3,000.00**
- b. Echo Lake or Alternative - Inquired with ELBC - boats, lifejackets, archery, targetry, use of cabins. Nick Meads has offered to champion the organizing. We have lots of lifeguards available. Last year Gaming Funds paid for ELBC trip \$3978 and life guards were an additional \$480+\$120**
- c. Final Fun Day Food (June 26) - Monday. PAC will pay for lunch and fruit. Kitchen to shop and serve. They can let us know if they need helpers.**
- d. Indigenous Day Food - Bannock on a stick -fire ban pending.**
- e. Missing and Murdered Indigenous Women MMIW - Friday. Raising of flag, Canada flag will still be on display as required by School Act. School wide age appropriate activities.**
- f. Share the Love - May 17 - similar to last year. Carla Mitchell (Superintendent) will provide a pre recorded address, activities include sidewalk chalk, books and discussion on kindness/caring/inclusion (same as every day!), kids have the opportunity to take a kindness pledge.**
- g. Open Floor**
 - Outdoor Refridgeration unit - Darren Carpenter allocated \$8,000. PAC committed \$1,500 but paid \$2,000 (\$500 to shelving?). Will be placed between SeaCans for security and adding roof.
 - Year Book is coming along. Lots of great photos off the drive. Lots of baby pictures in. Surveys have gone out and are coming back in. Will be adding pictures from Play and Echo Lake and last two months of school activities.

Meeting Adjourned: 6:09pm

Next Meeting: Wednesday, June 7@5:00pm