

Parent Advisory Council Meeting

Minutes

Tuesday October 27, 2020 -Virtual Meeting Online 7:00 pm

1. Call to Order:

Teena Billey called the meeting to order on Zoom at 7:00 pm

2. Welcome & Introductions:

Teena Billey (chair); Birgit Allen (Treasurer); Michelle Wellingham (Secretary), Rob Cadden (Sullivan Principal), Steve Drapala (Jackson Principal).

Visitors: Tammy Koroluk, Claudia Koch, Roseanne Cooper, Jennifer Reed, Darcy Calkins, Gabe Niewenhuiz. Aquil Alahmad, Allie Tyssen

3. Adoption of Minutes:

Motion: to adopt the Minutes from both September 29, 2020 (Moved by: Birgit Allen; Second: Michelle Wellingham) Carried

Motion: to adopt the Minutes from October 8, 2020 (Moved by: Birgit Allen; Second: Michelle Wellingham) Carried

4. Treasurer's Report: Birgit Allen

Report on File from October 27th, 2020, and essentially same as previous, save for Service Charges

 Birgit reported Gaming Branch had approved \$10,820 funding for Sullivan, inadvertently missed making application for Jackson but this is now submitted and await response; approximately \$35K to spend this year, noting that about half of funds from last year were not spent due to COVID

5a. Principal's Report – Principal Sullivan Campus: Rob Cadden Report on File

PATHWAY TO GRADUATION

1. Grad Movie Night - postponed

- 2. Grad Capstone Presentations
 - Term 1 Career Life Connection Classes, Thursday November 5 and Friday November 6
- 3. Grad Clothing Order
 - Online, samples at Office, due November 2 with 2nd order in January 2021
- 4. Transcripts & Grad Credits Thursday & Friday this week
 - a. Provincial Transcript Request(s) NEED HYPERLINK
- 5. Numeracy 10 Assessment in November for all still needing to write
- 6. Literacy 12 Assessment after term student has completed math class
- 7. Literacy 12 Assessment omitted for current Grade 12s

EVENTS & ACTIVITIES

- 8. Fall Sports
 - 70 students in cross-country, volleyball & football
- 9. Halloween
 - Activities spread over 2 days
- 10. Cafeteria
 - Amazing stuff! SEE Instagram: @sasculinaryarts
- 11. Walking & Talking Stick Club with Chris Hyrniw
- 12. Computer & Robotics Club with Brad Hampel
- 13. SAS Wellness Centre
 - Up and running again! https://sassullivanwellness.com/
- 14. Remembrance Day Ceremony
 - Online in classes

5b. Principal's Report – Principal Jackson Campus: Steve Drapala Report on file

- 1. Leadership
 - Orange Shirt Day
 - School Store
 - Remembrance Day (planning)
- 2. Common Spaces & Cohorts
 - Trying to find solution for where students can go over lunch hour
- 3. Student Schedules
 - Counselor(s) making final changes before sending to students/families
- 4. Graduation Assessments (Tuesday November 3 & Thursday November 5)
 - Grade 10 Numeracy & Literacy assessments written by Grade 10 students in Math/English (Tuesday, November 3 and Thursday, November 5)
- 5. Completion Day (Monday, November 16)
 - Students attend school by invite or request to complete courses not finished

6. DPAC Report – Tammy Koroluk, Christy Wright

Report submitted to Teena Billey - October 13, 2020 meeting was also AGM

- Discussed survey from prior year, concerns re. use of IEPs; overall, felt need to increase LRT time, counseling and specialized support
- Exclusion Tracker Database
- Parent Education Workshops last year 3, including 1 on vaping
- BC PACs given 2 Zoom licences
- Corene Greyson continues as DPAC President
- DPAC gave presentation to Board

7. Old Business

- a. Election of Secretary: Michelle Wellingham accepted position
- b. Election of DPAC Representative: Tammy Koroluk previously accepted nomination
- c. Funding Request Presentations by Zoom Tuesday November 3rd 5:30pm: presentations to be made to Executive, as per previous years
- d. Date for Executive Review of Funding Requests: Executive to review at date TBD, but prior to November PAC meeting

SEP 8. New Business

- a. Signing Authority & Banking: Scotiabank needs signed Minutes in order to add new Executive members as signatories; Birgit will email Kelly at bank
- b. Signing of Code of Conduct for all Executive Members: Teena Billey to send this to Michelle Wellingham for signature
- c. Community Gaming Grants 2020 Program Guidelines: Teena will review this; felt may be difficult to allocate some/all funds due to COVID restrictions; some discussion about criteria/eligible uses, which includes all extracurricular such as field trips, presentations, and leisure activities
- d. Call for other new business: No other new business

Adjournment 8:17 pm

Date of next PAC meeting: November 24, 2020 via Zoom

Michelle Wellingham: Secretary October 27, 2020

Name/Title Date

Signature

Teena Billey: President October 27, 2020

Name/Title Date

Signature