

Airport Elementary School 2021/2022

P.A.C. Meeting minutes

Date: 12 January 2022 at 6:45pm

Minutes taken by: Heather Matchett

Attendance: Heather Matchett, Danielle Haury, Tracey Croonen, Courtney Barrow, Brittany Renooy, Robert Shirley, Lee Gallagher, Michelle W, Ashley.

Chair: Welcome everyone. I would like to acknowledge that we are on the traditional territories of the K'omoks First Nation. We would like to thank them for the privilege of living on the land, and the gift of working with their children.

Minutes: Minutes of December 1 2021 meeting adopted as read by Courtney, seconded by Heather.

Administrators Report: Tracey Croonen

- Criminal record checks still need to be completed for any volunteers. This is available for free - if you need the code, please email me.
- Paper forms are available for you to take home and fill out, then bring back for Tracey to sign and send in.
- All staff has criminal record checks approved.
- MDIs (survey) will be given to grade 5s in the upcoming month.
- Basketball season has begun. There is a girls team, and a boys team. Boys begin Jan 26 and girls begin Feb 2.
- Coaches are Ms. Schroeder and Mrs. Nolin
- Sanitizing and sign-in at the front door, masks to be worn at all times except when on the court.
- Noticing garbage accumulation over the weekend. Perhaps we can start a weekend warriors club where volunteers sign up and pick up garbage? Garbage can be placed in the school's garbage cans. Any efforts are appreciated.
- Covid protocols are being upped: hired day time janitor (Dustin), teachers/EAs are asking to have products to help quickly wipe down items throughout the day.

- Proper mask wearing, and spacing when possible. Limiting parents allowed in the school. Only 3 allowed in the office when possible. Only 3 in the bathroom at once.
- All meetings online, no assemblies, assigned zones for recess.
- Lunch time: groups of no more than 3 per table, or all at their desk facing forward while eating.
- If positive case in the school, the school cannot relay this information onto other classmates. It's encouraged that parents let the school know if the absence is related to covid. Please also reach out to the teacher to let them know of the positive case so they are made aware also.
- Closures can look like: Class closure, school wide closure, or district closure depending on numbers. Functional closures mean they are short staffed due to illness.
- Skating is booked for early March, each class will go twice.
- Please phone or email me if you have any questions or concerns at all.

Trustee's Report: Tonia Frawley

- Absent

Financial Report: Courtney Barrow

Opening balance: \$13,853.52

Trust account balance: \$9,913.11

Gaming account balance: \$3,940.41

DPAC Report: Lee Gallagher

- Elections held for 3 positions
- First week back saw roughly 380-420 students back. 24 buses ran, 15 were empty.
- Schools to do no contact tracing. If you test positive, you will have to notify close contacts.
- Speaker series coming up
Jan 20th - Moms Against Racism 7pm.
Feb 2nd - Promoting Peer Competence by Christopher Burt
Feb 10th - BCCPAC Understanding PACs from A-Z
Feb 24th - Mothers Against Racism Cultural Appropriation

Safety Report: Katie Pierini

- Absent

Chair Report: Danielle Haury

- Newsletter being sent next week
- Hot lunch for February is now open, and will close on the 25th.
- Each hot lunch going forward will open on the 1st and close on the 25th of each month.
- Smencils fundraiser at Easter

ROUND TABLE:

- Re: Covid - If your child tests positive, and you feel comfortable doing so; inform as many people as you can so we can work as a community to keep our school as safe as possible and up to date. As the school district is no longer contact tracing.
- Seedling fundraiser potential for the spring
- Cookie Dough fundraiser potentially

Motion to adjourn: Move to adjourn by Courtney, seconded by Lee

Adjournment of meeting: 7:38pm

Next PAC meeting: 2 February 2022 @6:45pm