

Royston Elementary PAC Executive

Meeting Minutes

Feb 10, 2022

Meeting brought to order at 6:30pm

In attendance: Christine VanderRee, Teresa Cameron, Paul Liebenberg, Jasmin Tufnail, Briana Noot, Leslie Dunlop, Amanda Davidge, Mitchell, Stacey Murphy, Sheila Mcdonnell, Lucia Little, Ray Rewcastle, Anna Minaker, Canda Monita, Jennifer Stevenson

1. Welcome & Introductions –

2. Agenda Review & Additions

3. Reports

- **Principals Report –**

- **Christine VanderRee** – Please see attached report.

- **SD71 Trustee Report** – Sheila Mcdonnall. Previous meeting was helpful for them. Not much has happened since last PAC meeting. Hard Decisions. Starting budget process & amending previous budget. Boundary decision is made by majority vote. Sheila will get us numbers on how many people responded to them with opinions.

- **DPAC Report** – Ray Rewcastle. Suggested Zoom meeting with parents and the board. They were not sure if it was doable. Discussed other options to help septic, also making sure kids who are in Royston have legit addresses.

- **Treasurer Report** – Stacey Murphy. Balance Sheet. 12k in PAC Gaming Account – using this account to pay for bussing for field trips. 48k in General account.

- **Fundraising Report** – Hot Lunches – Generally everything going well. Lost a few lunches and parent volunteers (COVID related) this month. No fundraising coming up. Gunters in the spring. Not doing seed order this year.

4. New Business

- **Athletic Wear** – looking at getting new athletic wear. Existing jerseys are in good shape but Christine will count them and make sure we have enough.

Meeting adjourned at 7:37pm.

PAC Meeting Notes

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- Diversity Inquiry – momentum is building as we address Black History and Appreciating Diversity, and work around kindness, buddy bench – involvement by our Elder, Mr. Mercredi
- Valentine's Day – ask that treats are kept to a minimum. Likely will be distributed at the end of the day. If Valentine's are made, please make sure all students in the class are included.
- Field Trips

Div 7, 8 and 9 Mount Washington Tubing and Snowshoeing

Div. 12, 13, and 14 WIP Climbing wall

- Basketball continues with a mixed team of enthusiastic athletes
- Registrations

Currently 39 kindergarteners registered plus 3 new students in catchment for September

- Boundary Consultation – Decision on Feb. 15h
- Cross Boundary Process – open until Feb. 28th
- Spirit Days – Green Bears now in the lead

PAC funds - \$333 to be spent on parent resources by counsellor for school library

Next one is Monday, March 7th – backwards Day

- Dates:
 - ✓ Feb 18 with Family Day Feb 21
 - ✓ Spring Break Monday March 21st with a return Monday, April 4th
- Announcement – retirement in July 2022 CVdR