



CMS PAC Meeting – Wednesday June 16, 2021
@ 12:00 PM via Zoom

PRESENT: Mr. Ed Neufeld, Wendy Bergen, Angela Brandt, Pam Giesbrecht, Michelle King, Darlene Siemens, Stacey Froese, Tanya Penner, Dawn Gautron, Carla Barkman, Mel Fast, Mathilda Penner, Vicki Clayton, Merilee Plett

1. ADOPTION OF MINUTES from May, 2021:

Moved – Pam Giesbrecht
Seconded – Tanya Penner

2. ADOPTION OF AGENDA

Moved – Michelle King
Seconded – Darlene Siemens

3. TREASURER REPORT – Michelle King

- \$1465.34 account balance

4. PRINCIPAL REPORT – Ed Neufeld

- A) Waiting to get some prices back in regards to the volley ball court
- B) started a 2 or 3 phase process for upgrading sound equipment for the town square area
this is for performance events and assemblies
strong assembly culture – they matter here – intended to celebrate learning
- C) Very restrictive in what we can do
no slurpee walks/picnics/track & field/celebrations
but kids are laughing, smiling and having a good time
- D) Report cards – planning to print and deliver paper report cards
Less than 1/2 report cards accessed from parent portal last time
returning to a ritual of kids bringing report card home to their parents
- E) Next year - in terms of COVID
have been instructed by HSD that we need to plan for level Yellow and level Orange
- F) Next year – in terms of Staffing changes – final decisions made by Friday
Candace Campbell will be vice-principal for next school year
- G) Homeroom teachers/class placements will be available late August division wide.

5. GRADE 8 FAREWELL – Ed Neufeld/Darlene Siemens

- committee met 4 times
- Grade 8 drive thru event – 139 students
 - on June 29 grade 8s will not be in attendance at school
 - each class will get a 30 minute time slot for the drive thru event
 - a few details to work on regulation wise
 - summer survival kit handed out during the event
 - drawstring backpack with Trailblazers motto & logo
 - filled with local business gift cards, snacks, vouchers
 - handed out during the drive thru event
 - planning to provide a frozen treat for students during their last week of school

6. PROVINCIAL SCHOOL COMMUNITY COUNCIL MEETING (Bill 64) – Wendy Bergen/Ed Neufeld

- Town hall meeting with MLAs; people from the committee working to create the school community council
- Committee asked parents how PACs ran, what could be done better, what do the schools need?
- Not a lot of detail given yet, because the bill has not been passed into law yet. That will be done in September.

7. PAC POSITION UPDATE FOR 2021/2022 YEAR

Wendy Bergen (Chair) 2 years remaining

Darlene Siemens (Vice Chair) 1 year remaining

Michelle King (Treasurer) 1 year remaining

- Michelle is not returning

Angela Brandt (Secretary) up for re-election

- Angela is not returning

Elections take place at AGM in September

8. FAREWELLS

9. NEXT MEETING SEPTEMBER 2021

- email will be sent out