

Blair PAC Meeting Friday,

September 17, 2021 9:00 -10:00am

Meeting Minutes

1) Present

Mrs. Loat	Connie Huang	Andy Chow	Diana Chercover
Reinaldo Cheng	Julia Cheng	Susan Deng	Jeanette Hargrave
Olivia Yen	Kimmy	Orrin Hargrave	Penny Yin
Christine	Cindy	Sarah Zhan	Samea Barcelos
Sisi Zhang	Claire Xu	John Zhang.	Sharon

2) Welcome and Introduction from Mrs. Loat and all parents who were in the meeting

3) Approval the Agenda. Connie made a motion to approve the agenda. First by Susan and second by Diana. All in favour.

4) Approval the June 18th 2021 PAC meeting minutes. Connie made a motion to approve the minutes. First by Susan. Second by Penny. All in favour.

5) PAC mail by Penny

- Email from Jen. She recommended frisbee. Since Mrs. Loat did not get the email, will have to discuss later when she sees the email
- Email from DPAC: they have obtained three Zoom licenses.

6) Administrative Report by Mrs. Loat (please see attached)

- Enrollment & Staffing:
 - o We had 40-45 students on waitlist. Over the summer we lost 30 students so are able to accept some new students. Now waitlist down to 20-25 students. Currently 242 students at Blair
 - o New Teachers: Ms. Thomas, Ms. Bellefeuille. New resource teacher Ms. Quon until March 2022 when Ms. Choo return from mat. leave
- Health & safety reminder:
 - o Masks mandatory for G4+ students
 - o Front door locked. Appointment required for parents to enter school
 - o No lunch drop-off

- Rainy day prep
- Fruits day: Sept 29th
- Foods Day: Oct 29th Pizza Day
- Orange shirt day Sept 30th
- Terry Fox Run: parents can make donations directly from email link
- Parent-Teacher Conference: virtual or in person, more details will be provided
- Communication: Mrs. Loat will be sending newsletters
- Pro D Day: Sept 24
- National Truth and Reconciliation Day: Sept 30 (No School)

7) Book fair by Liuchun:

- Oct 4-7
- Books will arrive on Oct 1
- Will be set up at library
- Students pick the books and teachers give book lists to parents
- Parents can pay outside of library
- Ms. Wood suggested to send books to students on Friday

8) Treasurer's Report by Reinaldo (Please see attached)

- Not much changes as it is September
- Meet the teachers will be virtual. No budget needed for snacks.

9) District not supporting the air purifier for these reasons:

- Our school have very good ventilation
- Not enough school outlets
- Noises from the machines may be distraction to students
- We are practicing safety & health protocols including washing hands, wearing masks, etc.

10) Playground committee by Susan:

- Ideas to think about for fundraising during this Christmas
- Asking local companies to donate monetary or products/packages for silent auctions or raffle draw. We can have a 50/50.
- We can keep everything within the community and support each other

11) There being no other business, the meeting adjourned at 10:30am. Next meeting on October 15th at 9am @ Microsoft Team

