

Blair PAC Meeting Friday,

February 22th , 2023 8:00 -9:00pm

Meeting Minutes

- Present

Mrs. Loat	Reinaldo Cheng	Diana C	Susan Deng
Garth J.	Ellie	Ivy	Olivia Yen
Liuchun Yang	Penny Yin		
- Welcome and Introduction
- Approval of Agenda. Liuchun made a motion to approve the agenda. First by Liuchun and Second by Susan and Diana.
- Approval of January 25<sup>th</sup> 2023 Minutes. Liuchun made a motion to approve the minutes. First by Liuchun and Second by Olivia.
- Pac Mail update by Penny:
  - Nominations for open positions on the Board of Directors: anyone who's interested, please contact Penny. Nomination must be received by Feb 28.
- Administrative Report by Mrs. Loat:
  - CSL Conferences: March 2<sup>nd</sup> – 12pm early dismissal
    - Report Cards will be posted on March 8<sup>th</sup> on MyEducation BC
    - Spring break starts March 13<sup>th</sup>
  - On-line safety – age guideline for video games.
  - Blair Wear: Orders due on Friday Feb 24<sup>th</sup>. We will do it every 2-3 years.
  - Student Leadership Pink Shirt Day Feb 22<sup>nd</sup>/Kindness activities school wide
  - SEL focus: Blair Cares framework: Please see Learning Highlights newsletter
  - Blair studio:
    - Next activity: wire structures after Spring Break
  - SEL Family Night – April 12 6-7pm. Come and learn about SEL and experience some of the skills and strategies happening in classrooms
  - Basketball: Burnett Breaker Tournament March 7 & 8 from 2-5:30pm
  - Percussion Workshop for Grade 6/7. Thanks to Mrs. Quan!
  - Student Learning Survey: Gr. 4 & 7 and parents by April

- Treasurer's Report by Reinaldo:
  - Wishlist change:
    - We got some free used ipad carts so we don't need to spend \$1500 on ipad carts. We can relocate the funds on base drums holder- \$700 and fine arts performance – \$800
    - Liuchun made a motion to approve the budget. All approved.
- Chair Report by Liuchun:
  - Munchalunch credit card fee: Are credit card charges included in Munchalunch annual fee? We need to know if PAC is getting the full amount of funds with no deductions. Reinaldo will check and let Liuchun know.
- Playground fundraise committee by Susan:
  - We'll be selling Purdy's chocolates for Easter
  - Will be applying \$2000 neighbourhood celebration grant for Sports Day. We can set up some tables by selling some items for fundraising.
- DPAC report by Ellie:
  - Traffic report: City Bylaw has been issuing tickets to drivers who violated parking rules at schools. Richmond schools will continue to work with City Bylaw for parking issues.
  - Nominations for the Board of Directors for BCCPAC will be accepted until Feb 28.
- Grad Committee Chair Report:
  - Liuchun advised that \$608 was raised for Grad ceremony.
  - Gr 7 parents inquired about decorations, gift bags and the budget? Need some updates.
  - Liuchun suggested to get some pictures and videos for Lindsay to discuss with the grad committee.

- Parents' questions:

Q: DPAC has another lunch ordering system: "Lunchbox". Parents may be able to use this system with their current cashonline's user names and passwords. Can we find out more information about Lunchbox?

A: Mrs. Loat will provide more information to Liuchun to look into it.

Q: With the cold weather coming this and next week, is there any action from school to help students to cope with the weather?

A: The City has spread some salt on the ground. We will send messages to parents to remind students dress warm, walk slowly and be careful with slippery ground.

- There being no other business, the meeting adjourned at 9:01pm. Next meeting on April 26<sup>th</sup> at 8:00 on TEAMS. Have a good spring break!