Minutes

Peachland PAC Meeting

Date: Dec 10th, 2021 –9:06am | Meeting called to order by: René Fulford

Meeting adjourned 10:30am

November Minutes Motion to Approve: René Fulford, 1st: Aimee Maillet 2nd: Emma Webber, All in Favour

# In Attendance

René Fulford – President Parents

Emma Webber – Vice PresidentFrances Smith

Nicole Labrecque - Treasurer (sends regrets)

Aimee Maillet – Secretary

Wendy Briggs –Principal

Moyra Baxter – School Trustee (sends regrets)

# Principal’s Report

Mrs. Briggs presented a slide show illustrating the many wonderful things happening at Peachland Elementary School and the new changes coming.

New strength-based reporting scale for report cards will be coming in September 2022.

The school is focusing on core competencies by building a community of learners, working on communication, creating, exploring together and critical thinking. They continue to develop their social emotional learning through Play is the Way. This month’s focus is “Be Brave, Participate to Progress”.

After scanning the students and receiving feedback in November, the school decided that there will be a greater focus on numeracy and thinking skills in the years ahead.

# Poinsettia Fundraiser

The Christmas Poinsettia fundraiser was a huge success. We made 1,400$ profit for our school.

# Teacher Christmas Appreciation

On Thursday, December 16th the teachers will be treated to a Christmas Appreciation Lunch.

# Future Outdoor Planning

Parents have shown interests in adding some outdoor play features for our students.

Possibly having a rock circle installed.

Possibly installing a Gaga Pit (estimate 3,000-4,000$) Possibly having parent volunteers contribute in assembling it.

# Carnival

We need to assemble a Carnival Committee to plan for this future event.

# Financial Report

We currently have 5,046.00 $ in our Gaming Fund account.

We need to write a cheque for 600.00$ for Artist in Residence (approved last year)

Staff has requested money to go towards field studies this year. If we contribute 12$ per student times 159 students in the school, we could contribute 1,908$ toward school field study trips.

René Fulford made a motion to approve **1,908$ for School Field Study Trips**

**First**: Emma Webber

**Second**: Aimee Maillet

*All in favour*

Leaves us possibly 2,538$ towards a future possible gaga pit. More discussions will come in future months.

# Next Meeting Date

Feb 11th, 2021