

January 12 2026 Minutes

Peachland PAC Meeting

Date: January 12, 2026 | Meeting called to order by Kim Letcher at 9:06 am

Meeting adjourned at 10:35 am

January Agenda Motion to Approve: 1st: Tiera Bellerive 2nd: Chelsea Wilson All in Favour
December Minutes Motion to Approve: 1st: Tiera Bellerive 2nd: Chelsea Wilson All in Favour

In Attendance

Kim Letcher – Co President
Annette Wiebe - Co President - *Sends Regrets*
Briana Rosas – Secretary - *Sends regrets*
Karrie Fehr - Treasurer - *Sends regrets*
Lisa Wilson – Principal
Lisa Guderyan – School Trustee - *Sends regrets*
Tiera Bellerive - Hot Lunch Coordinator
Alejandra Boden - COPAC
Natasa Gotschlich - Member at Large

Parent Attendees:
Chelsea Wilson

Principal's Update

- Grade 5 hoodies have been handed out! Thank you to anyone that helped with Fundraising
- Event News
 - Feb 4 - Westside Warriors
 - Feb 5 & 6 - Student Led conferences 12:30 PM release
 - Feb 20 - Land Based Learning
 - Feb 24 & 27 - Inline Skating
- MDI
 - Survey that goes out to grade 5 families - online
 - Child or parent can opt out of this survey
 - Look at results in a population level not individual
 - Advocate to government if there are concerns in certain areas, related to well-being
- Budget
 - Lisa went through the financial analysis for Peachland Elementary
- No longer need the refreshed audio equipment for the gym! New screen and new projector only - closer to \$5000. To be continued....

Hot Lunch Report - Tiera Bellerive

- January order numbers are the highest we have had all year!
- February hot lunch is open for ordering for two weeks!

Registration is now open for the Free COPAC Parent Education Conference on Saturday, February 28 from 9:00 am to 3:30 pm, in person at the new Learning Center at Hollywood Road Educational Services. This event is open to all parents and caregivers with students in Central Okanagan Public Schools and is strongly recommended for current PAC executives and those interested in becoming more involved. Coffee, snacks and lunch will be provided.

REGISTER HERE: <https://forms.gle/puGapaaJqBxZ3Nqp8>

COPAC Safe Routes to School working group is seeking your input in this survey: Parent Priorities Survey: <https://forms.cloud.microsoft/r/9ZyCe1N6Un>

****Note:** Enrolment for the upcoming school year opens on February 2nd at 7am, and is open until March 31. <https://www.sd23.bc.ca/school-enrollment>

****Upcoming COPAC & Partner Events:**

COPAC Parent Conference Saturday February 28 (9am-3:30pm) in person at the new Learning Center at Hollywood Road Educational Services. Registration is now open! <https://forms.gle/puGapaaJqBxZ3Nqp8>

Paul Davis will be visiting middle schools in SD23 in January with two opportunities for parent learning sessions. **January 19 @KLO & January 20 @CNB** 6:30pm-7:40pm. Registration is requested and fliers are attached to this email. The target audience is parents and caregivers of middle school aged children but any parents and caregivers in SD23 are welcome to attend. <https://forms.gle/Vx5kseTFaMBK1j4t6>

Let your community know that **Science Fair** is returning to the Okanagan-Shuswap region. The Okanagan Shuswap Regional STEM Fair will take place on **March 10 & 11** at UBC-Okanagan. Visit the website for registration details and deadlines <https://region.youthscience.ca/okanagan-shuswap/>

Strategic Plan Public Engagement Opportunities (all sessions are 6-9pm) registration required:
<https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=fm6MqPyOx0uVb-gXBFxeD60HbMpeuFKvbApR2YajUBUOTVNSlpCVVNHTkZEUUM4VUhmWTQ5Q0Y4UyQIQCN0PWcu>

- There will be a COPAC specific engagement opportunity for PAC Presidents, COPAC Reps and COPAC Executives on **January 15 at 6-9pm**.
- There will also be five public engagements held in January and February for public consultation. RSS on Jan 22, GESS on Jan 26, MBSS on Feb 5, KSS on Feb 10, and OKM on Feb 17.

The Kelowna Museum offers opportunities to learn nsyilxcən. The next offering is: Learning a Language: nsyilxcen for Everyone Level 3 – **starting January 20th**.
<https://www.kelownamuseums.ca/event/learning-a-language-nsyilxcen-for-everyone-level-3-4/>

REMINDER: The CARE team is seeking community mentors for SD23 students participating in this program. Share this link and/or the attached poster with your community and friends.
<https://sites.google.com/learn.sd23.bc.ca/care-in-sd23/home>

- January Health Promoting Schools Newsletter <https://www.interiorhealth.ca/sites/default/files/PDFS/health-promoting-schools-newsletter-jan-2026.pdf>
- The Outdoor Council of Canada is offering Field Leader Training Certification that may be of interest to parent volunteers and activity leaders: Sunday February 8th & Friday February 13th - <https://outdoorcouncil.ca/event/field-leader-hiking-2/>

Financial Report - Karrie Fehr + Christine

- Reviewed PAC available funds

Trustee's Report – Lisa Guderyan

- *Sends Regrets*

Spring Fundraisers

- Mother's Day plants fundraiser TBC
- Movie Night in the Gym - TBC - Tentative Date: February 20th at 6 PM (Doors to open at 5:45 PM)
 - Popcorn for sale
 - Bring your own drink
 - Family event - chairs / bring a sleeping bag / blanket
- No Valentine Day Dance this year
- Motion to approve \$100 for 2 popcorn machines - first: Natasa, second: Tiera

Motion to approve \$100 for small popcorn machines

Kim Letcher motioned to approve \$100 for two small popcorn machines

First: Natasa Gotschlich

Second: Cristine Lind

All in Favour yes

Mayor's Birthday Bash

- February 21st at 5 PM
- Money raised goes to PLE and the wellness centre

Motion to approve \$3000 for inline skating

Kim Letcher motioned to approve \$100 for two small popcorn machines

First: Natasa Gotschlich

Second: Cristine Lind

All in Favour yes

Grade 5

- Survival cups for Grade 5 - TBC
- Camp - Booked

Carnival

- Tentative date: May 21st or 28th
- First meeting
 - January 21st at 5:30 PM
 - Pizza will be provided

- Bring your kids if you need to 😊

Open for discussion

- Next PAC meeting Feb 9th!