

COUGAR CREEK ELEMENTARY PARENT ADVISORY COUNCIL

GENERAL MINUTES OF THE MEETING

Location: School Multipurpose Room

DATE: April 25th 2023

Time: 1:30 pm

1. Welcome and call to order:

Members in Attendance:

Tamela Davison Manery (Principal),
Harneet Kosa (PAC President)
Ramandeep Gill (PAC Vice-President)
Amandeep Kaur Bakshi (PAC Secretary)
Sukhwinder Kaur (PAC Hot Lunch Co-Ordinator)

2. Adoption of Agenda: Fund raising activity discussion. Implementation of allocated funds.

3. Adoption of Minutes: As the last successful meeting held on 25th January 2023, for the execution of various activities planned. Today's meeting discusses successful utilization of allotted funds and amount of fund raised by various activities.

4. Reports:

a. President Report:

1. Considering Parents' advice PAC allotted funds for Gaga Ball \$10,000 to school from **Casino Account**. The construction will begin in summer holidays.

2. PAC also gave \$200 per class for various activities or items required in class or field trips to class teachers to use as per their requirements. Total of \$3600 from **PAC Account**.

3. For Fund raising PAC did the following activities from December, 2022 to 31st March, 2023

- Hot Lunch 16th Dec, fund raised \$ 413.94
- Samosa Treat on 20th Jan, fund raised \$ 285.98
- Movie Show on 27th Jan, fund raised \$ 1,190.73
- Frozen Yogurt Treat Day 23rd Feb, fund raised \$ 211.56
- Magic Show 9th March, fund raised \$ 282.00
- Clothing Drive 6th April, fund raised \$ 377.50 (deposit yet to come)

4. Following activities are ready to go in the calendar for coming months:

- Hot Lunch (Pizza) 28th April
- Welcoming Kindergarten parents, introduction to PAC on 2nd May
- Frozen Yogurt Treat Day 12th May
- Zumba 16th – 19th May where, The afterschool Zumba on the 18th will be paid by PAC as a complementary to Parents to join. There will be concessions from 2:30 to 4:30 pm.
- Sports day Hot lunch and Freezes 9th June
- AGM between 1-2 PM on 14th June
- Free Movie Show 22nd June only concessions will be charged.

5. PAC also will apply for Grant for Casino money.

b. Principal's Report:

- **Gagaball** – set to be installed this summer (Thank you, PAC!)
- **Indigenous Mural** – the Indigenous Design that Rain Pierre (seen below) is set to be painted on one of the main walls as you enter the school. COMING SOON!
- **Dance Festival showcase** was April 5th – students from K-7 went to the Bell Centre to share their dances with other schools around the District. o Thank you to Ms. DySalvador, Ms. Rawlick, Ms. Sidhu, Ms. Closter, Ms. Ding, Ms. Seera, Ms. Howes, Ms. Anderson, Ms. Paille and Ms. Buchannan for all their hard work with our dance performances this year!
- **Interim #2/Early Dismissal** is May 9th (1:30) - students show parents their learning
 - If you want a progress report/interview, contact the classroom teacher.
- **Tamazing Race** – Gr. 7's are heading up to Tamanawis for a fun event to help transition them to gr. 8. They do these types of activities 3-4 times a year.
- **Zumba** (paid by the school) will be during May 16 – 19
- **Book Fair** – May 15 – 19 (Students can purchase items at lunch and after school. Parent volunteers are needed)
- **Sports Day** planning is under way (June 9th) - students will be in house teams (BLACK, BLUE, RED and WHITE) and these teams will be K-7.
 - PAC Parents are needed to run a station from 9am to 11:30 handing out freezies ▪
 - PAC will purchase, freeze and distribute
- **Music Talent Show** (May 26) - classes working with Ms. Loewen will share out
- **Whole school Beach Day** (thanks to Rosemary Heights PAC!) - June 15
 - We will need parent volunteers to help with supervision at the beach
- **Pickleball** – 4 lessons per student (last two weeks of school)
- **School is requesting that PAC purchase 30 Pickleball racquets and 30 wiffle balls**

c. Treasurer's Report:

PAC has two accounts **General Account** and **Casino Account**,
Closing Balance As on 31st March, 2023

PAC Account: CAD \$ 5713.75

Casino Account: CAD \$ 1937.16

Adjournment: 2:30 pm