LA Matheson Secondary School

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P.A.C. Meeting

February 29th ,2024

Attendance: **Sunny Deol ( principal) Christy V, Jennifer R, Sarita D, Depinder G, Neha P, Maribel A,Roderick A, Hodan A, Duc H, Parvinder S.**

Welcome to all- Please look over the minutes from last meeting. Minutes read by all- minutes approved.

We didn’t have a meeting in December , close to Christmas break. No meetig in jauary because not much had happened in the 2 weeks back so postponed until this meeting in jauary.

## Principal’s Report( Sunny Deol):

This January has bee busy. Grad 10 and 11 literacy and numeracy tests. There are Middle years assessments ( MDI) they are more of a survey than an actual test.

February is Black history month- we have had some guest speakers

Speaker for grade 8/9’s Jeff Marti on racial equity and bias.

Wanting to build some more elementary connections- assembly with the BC Lions.

Sports:

Most successful Junior boy’s basketball – they are south Fraser champions, went with the quarter finals for provincials- tied with 3 min left. Next year they move up to AAA division

Grade 8 girls and Junior girls – surrey champions.

Music program- they went to the Surrey international Jazz festival. We also had 6 people that were chosen for the various rep bands – only 25 people were chosen for each rep band so to have our school represented as amazing.

Debate team – 5th in ethics bowl

Robotics team -12-15 people, the school hosted the competition but we didn’t win.

We have course selection right now. Counselors meet with grade 10 ad 11’s to make sure they choose proper courses to be able to get where they want to go. University entrance etc. After they have chosen the courses the staff try to organize the classes. See if they have enough teachers to teach them or if they need to hire more staff? Look for class conflicts etc.

Tutoring is available after schools Tuesday, wed and Thursdays in library

Grad newsletter is coming out soon.

Treasurer’s Report (Ashwani Chand)

All committed funds have been paid to the school. A pool table was found and a receipt will be issues to the treasurer to pay for.

Everyone planning on going to the bank for signing purposes.

Depinder to learn how to fill out gaming grant info from ashwani.

## Extra Business

Need to find a new secretary- Neha Pal nominated herself. Nomination seconded by Depinder . Motion was passed unanimously.

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## Dry Grad

Dry grad committee had a bottle drive. We raised almost $1400.00

We also did a donut sale- had ordered 40 dozen only sold 34 dozen so made about $225.

Hoping for another sale next month. We might do another fundraiser?

Tickets will go on sale april 1 to june 7th. Early bird price $100, regular price $120 and after $150 after june 1st.

NEXT DRYGRAD MEETING APRIL 10TH AT 6:30

See you at the next pac meeting April 25th 6:30 pm