## Cloverdale Traditional PAC Meeting Jan 19, 2022

Meeting Started. Esther said the Land Acknowledgements

## Principal's Report -Amy Newman

- Amy started off thanking the PAC for supporting hot lunches. Staff and kids so appreciate it they look forward to the hot lunches.
- CTS technology replacement of \$6,000 thank you to PAC. Laptop upgrades is where most of the funds will be used
- Ms Kaushal 4/5 class on Wednesday with Ms. Lagore who will be here until June
- Mr. Simonus 6/7 Wed sharing with Ms. Lyne
- K registration for 2022 Jan 24- Feb 10
- We had an opening as a couple of families moved etc. A parent came to school today had been waiting for 3 years to get in, she was so excited.
- COVID: seeing a rise in staff and student absences, approximately 1-3 teachers absent.
- Teacher absent no TOC but we have been able to fill. This has been happening since we opened.
- Kids seem to be missing in pockets
- Most classes have 1-5 kids absent
- Fraser Health can't keep up with contact tracing
- Have to share with Health and Safety when someone is not there. Ms. Staite/Ms. Van Dyke/Ms. Haze and myself(Mrs. Newman) We are the people that know who are away and why.
- So common now everyone that's away, assume it is due to Covid
- Fraser Health is looking at attendance very closely.

- CTS daily health checks in place: if kids have any of the symptoms are unusual, please keep the child at home
  - o Unwell/nauseated
  - o Headache
  - Scratchy throat
  - o Runny nose
- Air purifiers
  - Medical Health Officer indicated that they cannot be deployed at this time
  - We will just have to wait
- Isolation was 14 days, then 10, now 5 days self isolation or until you feel well to come back to school
- Robust three layer mask recommended but seeing more KN95/94 masks being worn.
- Rapid tests (2) are coming for every staff member
- Functional closure only if 25% absent that means 4 teachers for CTS. In this
  case a call is made to the Superintendent and they investigate, before
  deciding on functional closure

## **Calendar of Events**

Jan 27	Communication soft launch of 100 years
Feb 2	Wear any two of tie dye, tutu, or tiara
Feb 14	Spirit Day wear red pink or white
Feb 16	PAC Meeting
Feb 21	Family day no school
Feb 23	Pink shirt day anti- bullying
Feb 25	Non instructional day. 2 courses are being offered that day: Babysitting course for age 11, and stay safe for ages 9-13 for staying home alone.
Feb 28	Life Touch for entry (Kindergarten) and exiting (Grade 7) grades composite photos

Mar 4 Progress Reports

Mar 9 Early dismissal parent teacher conference

March 14-25 Spring Break

Esther – discussed movie night for Feb 24 either from Netflix or Disney +

Snack packaging will look into pricing. Rani will do the Snack packaging something with chocolate, popcorn, candy etc.

Prize ideas – perhaps gift cards, or extra 15 min of recess for their class?

Question from parents: possibility of samosa fundraiser at the end of March, will need to review. Veggie samosas only.

Vaisakhi - April 14

## Satvin

- Basket Raffle \$4,974.75 Revenue
- Munch a lunch Profit approximately \$1900 for Fall and Winter terms

Munchalunch update: Any orders for which payments are not received automatically does not get added to the list sent to the vendors (a new feature added by the MunchaLunch system). Due to the time crunch, no reminder emails will be sent for the orders for which payments are not received by the hot lunch order closing date.

Will send reminder in newsletter as well as social media

PAC meetings will be held on Wednesdays

Feb 16 @ 6:15 April 20

May 18 AGM

June 15 fundraising for next year (tentatively in person meeting)

Meeting Ended 7:38 pm