5th Dec. 2019 PAC Executive Meeting Agenda

Date: Thursday, 5th December 2019 **Time**: 8:30 AM – 9:30 AM **Location:** G T Elementary School – Staff Room

Open Discussion/Question – 8:30 am to 8:45 am

- 1. Call to Order: 8:45 am
 - a. Welcome by President
 - b. Roll Call by Secretary

2. Action Items

- a. Approval of Minutes of PAC General Meeting held on 1 Nov 2019 (See attached Page 2-4)
- b. Motion(s):
- c. Hot Lunch(s): Friday 20th December 2019, - Friday 24th January 2020
- d. Other Fundraising Events:
 - Parent Free Night / Bowling Evening -

3. Information & Proposals

- a. Treasurer's Report
- b. President's Report
- c. Principal's Report

4. Future Business

- a. Items for Future Discussion
 - Funky Monkey Fun Evening TBD

b. Future Meeting Date

• Thursday ?? January 2020 (8:30 am)

(Subject to Availability of Executive Members)

5. Adjournment

Meeting will be adjourned at 9:30 am

1st Nov. 2019 PAC Executive Meeting Minutes

Date: Friday, 1 Nov. 2019

Time: 5:00 PM – 6:30 PM

Location: G T Elementary School - Library

Present:

Executive:

Mrs. Hardip Virk
Mrs. Mandeep Mundi - absent
Mrs. Ritika Babuta - absent
Mrs. Amandeep Sekhon
Mrs Tuneja Singla - absent

School Representative: Principal:

Ms. Lise Schrag

Members / Guests:

Mrs P Rao, Mrs P. Kaur (Non-Member)

Open Discussion / Question Time - 5:00 pm to 5:15 pm

1. Call to Order: 5:15 pm

- c. Welcome by President
- d. Roll Call by Mrs Virk

2. Action Items

e. Approval of Minutes of Regular PAC Meeting on 10th Oct. 2019.

Moved by: Mrs Virk Seconded by: Mrs Sekhon

That the Minutes of Regular PAC Meeting held on 10th Oct. 2019 be approved as circulated with agenda.

Result: Carried

f. Motion(s):

g. Hot Lunch: - Friday 20th December 2019

Possible Ideas: Chinese, Vietnamise, Mexican – PAC will be finalizing the details and will forward notification to the school.

Hot Lunch - Tuesday 12th November 2019: GURU NANAK DEV'S BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION:

Once again parents will be celebrating Guru Nanak's Birthday on Tuesday Nov 12th by providing free hot lunch to the whole school. This is the 6th year parents will be organizing this lunch. Hot Lunch will include Pizza, Chips, Juice & Cupcakes.

Notices will go on 6th November & then message will be posted to the website

Reminders on the PA announcement system all week. Admin to talk with staff about reducing food wastage.

h. Other Fundraising Events:

- Parent Free Night

No Discussion

- **Donation to the School**– PAC is requesting Admin to provide possible items which would benefit the future of the whole school which might be taken to the community. There may be some possible members of the community willing to make legacy donations to the school.

3. Information & Proposals

a. Guest Parent Information – Spoke about Introducing School Uniforms in our school

From the community there was a request to hold a referendum of the possibility of having a school dress code.

- Guest Mrs. Rao was present to look at the district of dress code and the possibility of having a uniform. Discussion following the idea took place
- There would need to be a series of information evenings to have consultation on having dress code. The hope would be that this would be a way to establish a sense of community, a sense of pride
- Goal would be to have several evening presentations
- Mrs. Rao offered to help craft the notices discussion followed about the possibilities
- Discussion followed about the importance of building the PAC community and educating the parent community and engaging parent participation.
- Possibility of having an evening dinner at a hall with special guest speaker... as a way of getting some of the communities feedback on the interest and issues
- Speak with the District regarding possible tax receipt protocols.

b. President's Report

Hot Lunch – 24th October 2019

Totals Orders: 296 & Net Profit approx. \$ 900.00

Halloween Night – It was very successful event, everybody had fun, lots of good feedback. It was well received by the community. We had 473 people attend this night.

c. Principal's Report

Door Decorating - Both Mrs. Joo and Mrs. Brebeck would like to thank the PAC for the prize funds for the door decorating contest. They plan to use the funds to do some activities with students.

Dance – Thank you to the PAC for arranging such a successful PAC Event at the Halloween Dance. Families had a great time.

Remembrance Day – we will be having our Remembrance Day assembly led by several students in Mr. Brugger's class. It will be a bit shorter than last year as we have 1 class presenting but it will be memorable non the less.

School Plan – Staff continue their work with outdoor education and we are looking at strengthening vocabulary fluency. Teachers are working with District Helping Teacher Mrs. Feuz and are introducing a variety of activities at the primary level

Programs - running in the building at present include; Yo Bro/Girl, Friends of Simon, Go Girl, Enver Creek tutoring, Volleyball

Scholastic Book Fair – will be the week of Dec 2 – 6th. Students will be able to browse the fair at early dismissal on Dec 5&6.

Reporting – Early Dismissal for Parent Teacher meeting are Dec 5&6 – Students will be out of the building at 1:27.

Hampers – We have no hampers this year. – Mrs. Dhillon continues her work with students on the "We Scare Hunger program"

4. Future Business

Items for Future Discussion

• Funkey Monkey Fun Evening – 30th April 2020 (planning to begin in February Meeting)

Future Meeting Date

• Thursday, 5th December 2019 (8:30 am) (Subject to Availability of Executive Members)

5. Adjournment

Moved by: Mrs Sekhon Seconded by: Mrs Virk That the Meeting be adjourned at 6:15 P.M.

Result: Carried