

École Salish Secondary

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PARENT ADVISORY COUNCIL MEETING AGENDA June 14th, 2021

Call to order at 7:05pm

- 1. Administration report
 - a. There will be budget cuts for the 2021-2022 school year
 - b. We're seeing budget cuts impacting Salish with the Youth Care timetable
 - c. We are over enrollment projections by about 100 students for next year. District is saying we will have 1134 students next year, however we have 1240 in the system.
 - d. Finalizing the timetables and teachers in the school likely won't happen until the end of September once the student enrollment has been finalized and we know our student numbers.
 - e. Ecole Salish Secondary was asked to participate in a study on blended learning model. Mme. Hammond is looking for parent participation on a phone interview. Please contact admin if you would like to participate.

Questions for Administration:

- With the recent PHO being announced, how does that impact school opening in September? What changes do we expect?
 What safety measures will be kept in place for September?
 - We are planning for a quarter system and a semester system
 - Currently, we are planning for a quarter system for the start of the year, but we must be ready to start the school year with semesters. We will await an announcement in August.
 - Likely will not need to put students in cohorts
 - Students will most likely be able to move more freely in school
 - Still waiting to hear updates about the daily wearing of masks

- Now that course selection is finalized, are their any changes to the timetable for next year, ie. classes that you are unable to offer due to low enrollment.
 - Timetable has been set for a couple months, and there has been no changes since we finalized it in May
 - We do not know when student timetables will be available for students, as the PHO announcement will be made in August
- How did the Grade 12 FRIM students do on their DELF exams?
 Will the International Language Certificate be included at the commencement ceremony?
 - All Grade 12 FRIM students taking the DELF passed their exams
 - Congratulatory announcement of achievement was in the newsletter
 - Certificates of language credential comes from France, and will not be ready in time for commencement, therefore they will be mailed to families directly
- When will yearbooks be handed out to students?
 - Not sure right now. Yearbooks are being printed right now.

2. President report - Claire

- a. Thank you to the current executive for their work over the last three years together.
- b. Need to recruit a new Executive as all the positions are open
- c. Grad 2020 was hoping to host an event, possibly a reunion, however that didn't come to fruition. Deposits for 2020 event has been gifted as a legacy gift to the 2022 graduating class to enjoy. They also gifted \$2,500 to the 2021 graduating class to help with their celebrations. 2021 graduating students will be gifted with traditional blankets, cards, and lawn signs to celebrate their educational milestone. Thank you to the 2020 Graduating class for their legacy.
- 3. Vice-President report Kelly
 - a. Nothing to report at this time
- 4. Treasurer report Angela
 - a. Please see budget attachment (below)
 - b. Expecting to also need to expense the two scholarship winners

c. Gaming grant deadline is in June, and has already been applied for

5. DPAC report – Andrea

- a. AGM meeting was in June
- b. Discussion around virtual platforms for next year. BCCPAC is not going to resume the ZOOM license for PAC Meetings. Schools/Districts can purchase their own account. Options may be to buy one license for Salish and feeder schools or secure a TEAMS account. Parents like the option to keep remote PAC Meetings.

6. Canadian Parents for French – Mary-Em

- a. Transition survey went out last week to FRIM families please participate
- b. Ministry of Education also sent out a survey last week please participate
- c. Salish graduates did very well on their DELF exams. All students passed
- d. Grade 12 awards have been sent. Lots of awards going to Kwantlen Park Students.
- e. AGM was the week of June 7th, and their may be a new President (from MC Elementary)

7. 2021 – 2022 PAC Elections

a. President – OPEN

- b. Vice President Kelly Grayson, moved by Jennifer Doerksen and seconded by Karri Walsten
- c. Treasurer OPEN
- d. Secretary OPEN
- e. Communications OPEN
- f. DPAC Representative Andrea Ashton, moved by Mary-Em Waddington and seconded by Karri Walsten
- g. CPF Representative Natalie Fulton, moved by Mary-Em Waddington and seconded by Karri Walsten

A new executive will need to be recruited for the September meeting

- 8. Questions from the floor
- 9. Adjourn at 8:02pm

| Ecole Salish PAC | | | |
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| GAMING ACCOUNT 2020/2021 | FUNDS | | BALANCE |
| Balance 2019/2020 School Year | \$9,503.44 | | |
| Gaming Funds (1061 Students@ \$20 each) | \$21,220.00 | | |
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| Estimated Total Available | | | \$30,723.44 |
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| | Amount | Paid | Balance |
| Departments | | | |
| Athletics | \$5,682.00 | \$4,842.89 | \$839.11 |
| Academics | | | |
| Arts/Electives | | | |
| Performing Arts | \$3,200.00 | \$2,989.43 | \$210.57 |
| Clubs | | | |
| Photography Club | \$2,060.00 | \$2,031.69 | \$28.31 |
| Library Club | \$300.00 | \$278.24 | \$21.76 |
| Visual Arts & Textiles club | \$2,000.00 | \$0.00 | \$2,000.00 |
| PAC | | | |
| Scholarship (2 \$500 Scholarships) | \$1,000.00 | \$0.00 | \$1,000.00 |
| Student Grad Committee | \$0.00 | - | \$0.00 |
| Parent Graduating Committee | \$2,500.00 | \$2,500.00 | \$0.00 |
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| Total Funds Allocated | \$16,742.00 | \$12,642.25 | |
| Current (estimated) Bank Balance | | | \$18,081.19 |
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| Budget for approval - February 22, 2021 | | | |
| | Jun-21 | | |

In attendance:

Claire Moore, Andrea Ashton, Mary-Em Waddington, Kelly Grayson, Angela McCormick, Karri Wallsten, Margaret McGee, Susan Steimecke, Jasbir Basra, Julie Sangera, Summaiya Shariq, Ilda Saunders, Jennifer Doerksen, Kemorie Drysdale, Sheila Hammond, Natalie Fulton, Lisa Breure, Hoying Vising, Jessica Galaxy