

Ocean Cliff Elementary Parent Advisory Council Meeting Friday September 14, 2018 @ 9am

1.CALL TO ORDER: Nealy C, Co-President @ 9:02am

Attending: PAC Executive: Nealy C, Glenna O, Angie M, Cheryl M

Principal: Mr Andy Zadeiks

Parents: 5 parents

2.ADOPTION OF AGENDA: 1st Suzanne B 2nd Kate

3.ADOPTION OF MINUTES: from May 11, 2018 – 1st Suzanne 2nd Kate

4.REPORTS

4.1 Principal's Report – Mr. Andy Zadeiks

Mr. Andy Zadeiks is very happy to be Ocean Cliff Elementary's new principal. He's been very impressed with how polite and kind the Ocean Cliff students have been.

Calendar Update:

Meet the Teacher – Wed Sept 19

Fun Fair – Friday Sept 21

Non Instructional Day – Mon Sept 24

Terry Fox Run – Wed Sept 26

Orange Day – Fri Sept 28

Picture Day – Monday Oct 1

Crescent Beach Clean Up – Friday Oct 5

Non Instructional Day – Oct 19

Early Dismissal – Oct 24

Parent Requests for Classroom Consideration – it was discussed how teachers do a lot of work to organize classrooms, while taking projections, classroom dynamics and parent requests into consideration. Not all requests can be met for a variety of reasons but the time and effort put in to make the best fit should not be overlooked or discounted. Please keep requests non teacher specific.

Parking – reminder of the “kiss and go” lane in the drop off zone. This is a NO PARKING lane.

Crossing Guard – Mr Zadeiks has been at the crosswalk to welcome students regularly.

For safety reasons, volunteers would be helpful in both the drop off zone and crossing guard duty, especially in the mornings.

Information will be given out via weekly calendar updates and possibly a longer monthly newsletter. The link to receive the newsletter will be sent out for new parents to the school.

4.2 President Report – Nealy C

The budget will be available next month at the Oct 12 PAC meeting.

4.3 Treasurer Report – Glenna O for John M

- ACCOUNT BALANCES:

General:	\$ 21,402.60
Playground:	\$ 4,705.83
Gaming:	\$ 12,281.17

5. OLD BUSINESS

5.1 Earthquake Bin

Earthquake bin has been ordered and we are now waiting on the School District.

5.2 OC Alumni Award for Elgin Park

Ocean Cliff annually donates a bursary for Elgin Park Secondary graduates that are Ocean Cliff alumni. The 2018 recipient, Braden Williams, sent OC a hand written thank you note. Elgin Park principal, Jeff Johnstone, also sent a thank you letter.

5.3 Ongoing fundraising

Mabels Labels – ongoing fundraiser since June 2018. Received our first \$50 cheque from Mabel's Labels for sales.

Panago – will be selling \$12 medium pizza coupons. Ocean Cliff will receive \$4 from every coupon sold. Will start to sell at end of September and then again different times throughout the year.

Holding a babysitting course at Ocean Cliff during a non instructional day was brought up as a fundraising option.

Other ongoing fundraisers that need further clarification are:

Ocean Park Cobs

Bottle Depot

6. NEW BUSINESS

6.1 Hot Lunch – Michelle S

Link to order hot lunch has been sent out. It will consist of 2 vendors each Wednesday. Volunteers always needed and much appreciated.

6.2 Bake Sale

Currently no committee, and volunteers will be needed for bake sale to take place. Nealy will discuss with teachers if they want to continue with bake sale. All profits go to the classroom so not a PAC run fundraiser, but PAC will help with co-ordination of classrooms and dates.

6.3 Family Fun Fair

Wristbands are \$25 and on sale now. Volunteers would be appreciated. Possibility of getting high school students who would like volunteer hours.

7.OPEN FORUM

- **Sister School – Malinda A.**

Malinda will continue to head the charitable committee. Our sister school is W.E. Kinvig in Surrey, and they are in great need. There will be another sock drive (last year 1128 socks and tights were donated and greatly appreciated). Sock drive will be held possibly in November, TBA. There will also be another clothing drive as this is very appreciated by the students and families of W.E. Kinvig.

Malinda is meeting with the W.E. Kinvig principal to discuss a wish list from his school.

- A question was brought up about honoring/acknowledgement of traditional lands. Mr Zadeiks replied that it will continue to be done at some of the assemblies throughout the year.
- It was brought up that a new volunteer will be needed to do the “Ocean Cliff PAC Facebook” postings. Malinda will discuss the role with Rebecca and consider taking on the volunteer position.

Meeting Adjourned @ 10:34am