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**Rosemary Heights Parents Agenda**

Date: October 21st, 2020 Time: 7:30 – 9:00 Room: Zoom Meeting

**Executive Members 2019/2020:**

Co-Presidents: Sharon Geransky, Tara McIntosh.; Treasurer: Miyoung Tereposky; Secretary: Sarah Sutherland; DPAC**:** Curtis Soong; Members at Large: Stephanie Castle, Shayna Dumas, Daniel De Regt, Sasha Dzanic; Past-President: Laura Folino, Joanna Wates.

**Committee Chairs:**

Hot Lunch: Gayla Cook, Jaclyn Finan; Winter Waterland: Vacant; Hand Me Up: Vacant; Book Fair: Cynthia Lin Hsieh and Sarah Autio; Teacher Appreciation: Vacant; Class Parent Co-Ordinator: Sarah Sutherland; Multicultural: Cynthia Hsieh ; Movie Nights: ??; Family Social: ??; Parent Social: ??; Spirit Wear: Sasha Dzanic, Miyoung Tereposky; Cheque Drive: Stephanie Castle, Miyoung Tereposky

**Present:**

Tara M., Sarah S., David D., Miyoung T., Curtis S., Sharon G., Gayla C., Stephanie C., Sasha D., Laura F., Sarah A., Kristy C., Daniel D.,

**Time Item**

**7:30 Meeting called to order (**Tara)

All PAC members gave a brief introduction about themselves

**7:40 Committee Updates**

Cheque Drive update (Stephanie and Miyoung)

* Ask small and large business’ within the community for donations before Rosemary families
* Look to create an easy and simple way to accept donations
* Suggestion to create a fundraising calendar and coordinating timelines, possibly to work with themes ex: St Patrick’s Day
* Focus on keeping philanthropy intact this year, especially with our sister school
* David and Kristy to reach out to sister school to ask what is needed

Spirit wear (Miyoung and Sasha)

* Website is ready to go
* Working out delivery option, direct to homes to minimize contact
* Spirit wear will be same as last year, adult and youth sizes
* Opportunity to be creative and add more product if wanted

Book fair-Scholastic (Sarah A)

* This year will be 100% online, no in-school product
* Nov 16-20, more info to come end of Oct/early Nov
* Still working on ideas and ways to promote within the school, possibly a video from Ms. Leslie, student contest to launch the week, video clips in newsletter?
* Is there a possibility of funds for decorations (bunting, posters etc.) outside school entrance and in classrooms to help build awareness and excitement?
* Possibly looking for a handful of volunteers to create and install decorations, being aware of safety and distance protocols

Class parent (Sarah S)

* Six teachers still without class parents. David D offered to help

Hot Lunch- (Gayla)

* Still uncertain if we will have the Hot Lunch program at all this year due to pandemic
* Using this time to consider switching online platform to Munchalunch. Will try to reach out to PAC from similar size school using the system for more information.
* ideas to investigate include more flexibility to change orders, increasing to twice a week, placing orders quarterly, increasing vegetarian and fresh options
* Suggestion to formally survey parents to gauge interest in changes

Website/FB page (Tara and Miyoung)

* Website domain has been purchased and is being worked on now
* Facebook group not yet created. Will be a quick way to get info but main goal is to direct people to website.
* Suggestion for all PAC members to post an introduction and photo on site.

Health and Safety boundaries/restrictions: portables/modular.

* Is it possible to have portable hand washing stations purchased? The school has not been able to source these.
* Could the blended classrooms be moved to a portable? Moving classrooms mid year is very tricky and is unlikely to happen.
* The district will not be having sinks installed.

**8:30 Principal’s Report**

See attached

Kristy updates that info regarding Halloween at school will be coming Friday October 23.

**8:39 DPAC Update** (Curtis)

* Zoom license for up to 300 people available for purchase if needed?
* Registration fees for PAC to the district and province needs to be sent in soon.

**8:40 Treasurer’s Report /Budget** (Miyoung)

See attached

<https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1xy846QL0bUO0yCFdnkwvXlG3eZ4wTwUFMpZvDPZ0moE/edit#gid=0>

* Suggestion to change from RBC to another bank to save fees
* Miyoung moves to have the budget approved. It passes unanimously.

**8:50 Open Forum** (Tara)

Local farmer offering pumpkins to the school for $2 each.

Could be used as a tie in with food bank donations? But timing is tight.

Offer is declined as teacher Halloween planning is already underway.

**8:56. Tara ends meeting**

Next Meeting: November 18th 2020 at 7:30pm

Principal / Vice Principal Report

Oct. 21, 2020 – 7:30 p.m.

David Dekerf: Principal

Kristy Crnkovich: VP

Michelle Staite: Head Secretary

* COVID-19
  + 4 Exposure letters – self-monitoring
  + One class in isolation
  + School attendance was down 27% for a few days
  + Isolation and self-monitoring complete
  + School attendance return to normal
  + Rosemary now off of the Fraser Health School Exposure List!
* Health & Safety
  + Rosemary has reinforced high Health and Safety standards
  + Stay home when you are sick – Daily Health Checks
  + Wash / sanitize your hands frequently
  + Physical distancing / no physical contact
  + Wear a mask in common areas and where physical distancing is not possible, including in classrooms
  + Mask wearing encouraged and promoted, but not mandatory
  + Students cohorts – single class
  + Separate play zones for single classes during staggered outside breaks (for now, not forever)
  + District Info shared in upcoming Newsletter – standards also to apply to parents / guardians on school grounds
  + Parent questions around band– following District H&S standards
* Regular & Blended Classes
  + A small amount of movement between programs
  + A few students have been dual enrolled at a neighboring schools for Blended
  + Surrey Blended program designed to end in January and then there may be a class reorganization – stay tuned
* Fire Drill # 1
  + Outstanding – quick, quiet, calm, orderly, completed in 7 minutes
  + Will continue with regular required fire and emergency drills throughout year
* Past Events
  + Terry Fox Run (Sept. 25) – all day in class groups with common goal to raise funds for cancer research – on-line donations
  + Turkey Trot (Oct 13) – classes ran around school grounds for fun
  + Individual Photo Day (Oct. 14) – H&S protocols and then mask off for photo
    - Retakes Nov. 21
    - no group class photos, but composites
    - no panorama photos, but school composite
  + Class Screening Meetings – small group meet with each teacher and help identify students with more significant social / emotional / academic needs
    - Ensure that wrap around supports are in place for each child, as needed
* Upcoming Events
  + Oct. 23 – Professional Day
    - Provincial Association ProD for teachers
    - Many CUPE staff doing workshops on supporting students with stress and anxiety
  + Halloween – plans communicated in upcoming school newsletter
    - Pumpkin Run – Oct. 30
  + Grade 6 Immunizations – Nov. 2 in gym
  + Nov. 6 – Professional Day
  + Remembrance Day – Assembly Nov. 10 in Teams
  + Scholastic Book Fair, Week of Nov. 16
* Report Back
  + No Hand Me Up collection bin – due to District H&S Dept.
  + No food events in schools - due to District H&S Dept.
* Students Teachers
  + SFU practicums in 5 Rosemary classes, end Nov. 27
  + UBC practicum in 2 classes