GENERAL PARENT ADVISORY COUNCIL MEETING

February 3, 2025

Meeting called to order at 7:07 pm

In AttendanceAbsentPresident:Marisa TucciTreasurerVP:Tanya BurnstadDPAC repSecretary:Sharon FergusonCPF:Angela OliverTotal parents in attendance: 4

1. Welcome / Call to order - 07:05 - Welcome to our February 2025 PAC meeting. Quorum not met.

2. Principal s Report

- Enrolment currently 1,565, projected to be 1,600+ next year. Our current numbers are 100 over capacity so we will continue with the extended day of blocks A to E. Grade 8 & 9 will be predominantly in blocks A through D. E block will be more populated next year. Students are being more creative with their extra block with more hybrid learning. Salish offers multiple hybrid courses. Salish plans on asking what courses students would like offered as hybrid and why. Hybrid is only being offered for grades 10-12.
- February 4th is Grade 8 parent night. 5pm for parents of complex and diverse needs students, 6pm for all grade 8 parents and 7pm for French Immersion parents.
- Thank you to PAC for supporting two recent events. Level UP dance event was last week and LEAP snowshoeing field trip was scheduled for today but postponed until next Thursday due to snow.
- Construction by the school is ongoing. Students are and will be late for school as a result. Admin is open to parent feedback regarding start times. Construction currently starts around 7:30am.

3. PAC/VP Reports

- a. Neufeld Fundraiser- Currently active. This is the last PAC fundraiser for the year.
- b. Grad Committee 2026 Letter to be sent out after March break to the parents of the 2026 grad class regarding a parent committee. PAC will call a meeting and a Grad executive will be elected at that time.

4. DPAC Update

- a. Collaboration and learning for PACs conference/training session to be held on February 8. Tanya will be attending from Salish PAC.
- b. There are going to be changes to Gaming Grants for schools. More information to follow.

6. CPF Update

a. Meeting was postponed. Date TBA

7. Dates of General Meetings for 2023/2024 school year:

September 23, November 22, February 03, April 07, June (AGM)

8. Adjournment 7:27pm