

KAY BINGHAM PAC MINUTES
WEDNESDAY, November 3, 2010
MINUTES

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PRESENT: Angie Knaus, Erin Felker, Angie Hales, Tracy Robertson, Shawna Scott, Chris Wood, Karen Protasivich, Shaunna Branchflower, Patti Wright, Susan Firman, Brenda Sawada, Alison Steffer, Tami Leggatt.

Co-Chair called meeting to order at 6:35 PM.

1. Review of agenda and previous minutes dated Oct 6, 2010. Minutes accepted as printed. Agenda accepted as printed with 3 items added on.

2. Old Business/Deferments:

- Christmas Concert DVD sale with NorKam Media Dept - still working on getting information about the possibility of doing something with this.
- Cana Bears - Deferred until Dec.
- Have we renewed our BCCPAC membership?
- yes and we have confirmation of membership

3. Treasurer Report:

- Gaming \$ 3941.99 (should be more added from G.H.)
- PAC \$ 11,018.90 (includes \$ 2610.93 from G.H.)
- GIC \$ 5142.15
- Entertainment Fundraiser amount \$ 1862.00
- Patti motioned to do it again next year and it passed all in favor.
- Tracy motioned to accept report as printed. All in favor.

4. Principal's Report:

- There is a need for more parent supervisors for lunch from 12- 12:25.
- contact the school at 250-376-5586
- The bell schedule has changed to better sync with the middle school bells
- School Planning Council needs volunteers to be on the committee
- there will be a workshop on Nov. 25 from 6 - 8:30pm at the Henry Grube Center.
- Nov. 4th - there will be Pedestrian Training done for the primary classes
- Nov. 17th - Cyber Bullying presentation will be given to parents, from the RCMP, in the gym at 6:30pm
- Nov. 18th - there will be Pedestrian Training done for the intermediate classes
- Dec. 8th - this is the date for the Christmas Concert.
- Report Cards will be handed out by Nov. 26th
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5. New Business:

- Will PAC pay the \$50 One-to-One Reading fee - yes. Angie motioned. Passes all in favor
- Holiday Gift Shop - November 30 we will set up and then run the shop from Dec. 1 until Dec. 3 - we think it will be set up on the stage but need to wait for confirmation.
- Hot food days for the new year - we have decided not to do any hot food days. Brenda motioned and passed all in favor. There was a suggestion that we could sell hot dogs

at track and field day near the end of school.

- Safety concerns re: Southills Psychiatric Facility - we were worried about the fact that we had heard that the patients there no longer had to take their medication but were assured that when they choose not to take it they may not be allowed to leave the facility. Shelly Mitchell from this facility is willing to come and talk to the PAC at the next meeting if we are still concerned. Her email address is shelly.mitchell@interiorhealth.ca. Attached with this email will be 2 pages we scanned in telling the community about the facility.
- Uniforms - we have decided to go with 100 shirts from Hansport. Richelle motioned, Shawna 2nd, passed all in favor. We will number 60 of them and put a KB on the sleeve then we can use the rest later and get them numbered then or sell them?
- BBQ - we spent around \$900. There are some leftovers for sale at cost. One dozen hot dog or hamburger buns are \$1.99 each and pre-cooked burgers from M&M Meat Shops are \$0.75 each. Please email us or call the safe arrival line at 250-377-4108 to arrange payment and pick-up.
- Do we want to spend \$135 for 30 compasses for class use - no. It was suggested that we should be getting good quality ones and there is just not the usage to accept the cost.
- Recycling program - \$25.76 goes to Angie. Susan motioned, passed all in favor. Also, we would like information about the program in the next newsletter.
- Do we want to look at getting new pinnies for the gym - deferred.
- Thank the Kamloops Foundation - Mr. Koch is sending an email to all teachers to see if they have time to have the students write thank you's. We will write a brief report of what happened and send it off to them with any letters received and pictures taken at the event.
- New time for PAC meetings - 6:00pm Brenda motioned, passed all in favor.
- We have a Zellers club card, that students family's can link to their card. More information will be coming out in the next newsletter.
- Pink Slips were discussed as a disciplinary action for supervisors to use. The use of pink slips would allow parents to know what is going on in the school yard, and as well as making the children accountable for their actions. Mr. Wood added that the teachers do have a system for coping with negative behavior.
- It seems as though the swing sets are being dominated by the older children and was mentioned that the district maintenance yard has swing sets, Mr. Wood was going to look into that. If they are not satisfactory to use, then we will have to look into the situation further. Bill Koch got an answer back that there were no swing sets at the maintenance yard right now.
- Newsletters for poinsettia's will be coming out soon. If you want any more information please email us or call the safe arrival line (250-377-4108) and leave a message we will get back to you shortly.

Meeting was adjourned by Co-Chair at 8:10 PM.

Next PAC Meeting: December 1, 2010 6:00pm Staff Room