

Garibaldi Secondary School PAC Meeting Minutes

May 9, 2018

Attendance: Tamara Gardner, Brenda Rubenuik, Patricia Kleine, Pascale Shaw, Darren Rowell, Tom Levesque, Kirsten Urdahl-Serr, Agneta Eikelenboom

Call to Order: 6:03pm

Chair: Tamara Gardner

- Adoption of March 7 Minutes: motion: Brenda, 2nd Tamara

Secretary: Patricia Kleine

- Nothing to report

Treasurer: Brenda Rubenuik

- Accounts:
 - General account: 13201.21
 - Gaming account: 1530.46
 - Kiwanis money will be cashed for Dry Grad

DPAC: Pascale Shaw

- Meeting at Arthur Peake
- Alternative to kids that don't fit into regular high school
- Budget passed
- Shared dry grad car wash on Sat
- PAC appreciation dinner @ MRSS May 24
- AGM elections June 14
- DPAC representative position vacant; looking for replacement

Guest Speaker: Troy Smith

- Math teacher. Coaches volleyball
- Board game club: attracted kids that were finding it hard to fit in with other groups.
 - This may be their only extracurricular activity
 - Mostly 9's and 10's
 - A lot of kids –down a lot with warm weather
 - 15 – 30 kids
- Anime club every Thurs with new Socials/French teacher
 - A lot of international students

Principal/Vice Principal's Report:

- Track & Field (Mrs. Gibbs & Mr. Whitfield)
- Jersey Day in support of the Humboldt Broncos
- FSS Music / Festivals /Fredericton/Concerts (Mrs. Bell, Mr. Pinck, Mr. Watson)
- Grade 8 Spelling Bee
- Robotics World Championships in Houston, Texas (Mr. Skartvedt)
- Photography Club (Mr. Svendsen)
- Student Leadership Conference at Pacific Academy in Surrey
- Fishing club/Salmon Lake (Mr. Gubert)
- Criminology & Law field trip to Police Museum (Mr. Silva)
- Info Items:
 - Early Learning Centre
 - Blue Mountain elem. Over capacity & growing
 - ELC potentially coming to GSS
 - Consultations between SD42 and Ministry of Ed.

- Staffing & Enrollment for 2018-19
 - 180 incoming grade 8s (exiting 135 Grade 12s)
 - Posting 4-5 teaching positions for next year
- Funding to Secondary Schools
 - \$27,000 (\$2,500 per dep't roughly)

Next Meeting: Sept 12, 2018 at 6pm

Adjourned: 7:19pm