



PAC General Meeting Minutes

Date: February 25, 2026

Location: In person (library)

In attendance: Raelynn Markerth, Sarah Hazelwood, Sheila Howard, Cynthia Lambert, Amy Lamnouar and Kris Sward

Call to order: 7:04 pm

- **Any amendments to the agenda?** -Yes, Teacher Wishlist & Beauty and the Beast Play
- **Approval of agenda** – 1st - Cynthia; 2nd - Amy
- **Approval of January 2026 General Meeting Minutes as circulated** - 1st- Sheila; 2nd- Cynthia

Principal's Message - Kris Sward:

- Land Acknowledgement
- OBOS updates – can we order the books to run this mid-April to May (April 13 - May 8) - Yes PAC will order the books
- Uniform checks – winning class pizza party?
- Joy and Kindness Club is now the Secret Kindness Squad – given away 'you rock' figures and cards to our EAs, a journal for Mrs. Tait and this week are special treats for the teachers
- Playground updates - we will move forward with multiple equipment pieces instead of one large piece.
- Reading Olympics celebrations - March 31st
- Dancers of Damelahamid at school on Tuesday March 31- PAC paying portion (up to \$500 - will get more information from Kris) Voted & **Approved** 1st- Cynthia 2nd- Sheila
- Foam party dates - 2nd to last day of school (June 24th)
- Teacher Wishlist:
 - Books plan from Kiwanis - will be covered by another program (not PAC)
- Dates:
 - March 8 – Daylight Savings – don't forget to Spring Forward
 - March 9 – Dance Party at lunch - \$2 entry fee, fundraiser for Grade 5 year end celebrations
 - March 10 - Fire Drill
 - March 11 – District Reading Link Challenge – our school's winning team represents us there
 - March 13 - Olympics Spirit Day, Reading Olympics celebrations, PAC treat day – Booster Juice, Learning Updates home, last day before Spring Break
 - Spring Break – March 14 –29
 - Monday, March 30 school starts
 - March 31 – Dancers of Damelahamid presentation
 - Easter long weekend April 3-6

New Business:

- **Fundraising**
 - **Pink Shirt Orders** - profits (\$300) will be donated to a charity linked to the campaign (CKNW) Voted & **Approved**: 1st- Sheila 2nd - Amy

- **Created By Kids for next year**
 - Takes just over a month from start to finish
 - Thinking of a spring campaign - Family Day or Spring theme (can order thinking ahead to Mother's Day, Father's Day etc.)
 - Raelynn to look at booking ahead - January next year

- **Fun Fair June 5th**
 - Face painting & inflatables are booked, following up with rock climbing wall
 - Fraser Valley Party rentals - maybe see about renting some carnival games
 - Kona Ice and a food truck booked (Good Burger) - maybe Wingers Food truck as well
 - Concession
 - High School kids to help with volunteering for games etc.
 - Photo booth corner
 - Prize booth like last year

- **Label Fundraiser as an idea**
 - Amy to look into it

- **Gift Card Fundraiser**
 - Not moving forward with the campaign version, but will look into the ongoing option to see if it is more viable

Committee Updates:

- **Hot Lunch**
 - Pizza + Sushi - Friday, Feb. 27th
 - Rest of the year is on Munchalunch

- **DPAC Updates**
 - Link available for Antibullying session, Raelynn to post on FB page for parents (link expires on March 11)

- **Financial Report**
 - Summary - \$27,000 in general account
 - Budget - profit for hotlunch for less than what we budgeted, Raelynn to add one more hot lunch day (Greek Islands on May 1st)
 - Extra-curricular funds for Beauty and the Beast (PAC paying half) - Voted & **Approved** 1st Cynthia 2nd - Sarah
 - Gaming Grant will be used for High Tech High Touch (Science made fun BC) & Planetarium

Motion to Adjourn meeting at 8:08pm: -1st-Sheila; 2nd-Sarah

Next General Meeting - Wednesday April 29, 7-8pm (Virtual)