

# Sands Secondary PAC

## Meeting November 27<sup>th</sup>, 2012

In Attendance: Jeanette Beaulieu, Ann Ford, Laura White, Nimmi Bangert, Diane Hsuing, Olivia Price-Hurt, Pat Lavery

- Call to order: 6:04pm
  - Welcome and introductions: Welcome Pat Lavery. Irene Bowerman not able to attend today. Apologies from Anna.
  - Acceptance of Agenda (anything to add): none
  - Acceptance of Minutes of last meeting (omissions, corrections): Diane, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Nimmi
  - Correspondence (summarized): Thank you from the library, application for BCCPAC,(PAC has voted not to participate in the past).

DCC - emergency preparedness info- Irene will contact the persons. I response from Pat Lavery regarding the Treasurer position (she will take over), Janice Hight says she can help next year. Diane Hsuing will issue a letter informing them of the change in PAC representatives.

Reports:

1. Chair: See correspondence

2. Principal:

### **School Events:**

- Grade 9 “Kids to Work” – 99% of our students participated.
- Remembrance Day Service / North Delta Community Remembrance Day Service
- Me to We students Coat Drive was a big success
- Athletics
- Band Concert
- Post Secondary Night

### **2. Upcoming Events**

- December 4-7<sup>th</sup> One Act Plays
- December 13th Senior Gala
- December 18th Home for the Holidays
- December 21st Christmas Assembly – Formal Day
- December 21<sup>st</sup> Mr. Doug Barham’s last day- Delta school district is looking at hiring some new teachers to fill Mr. Barham’s and other teacher positions within the school.

### **Other**

- “Snow Days”- Parents/students can check the website for updated information and school closures.

- Report Cards- some glitches that were noticed will be fixed and report cards can be viewed online.

Y the new plasma table has arrived and is in the process of being set up.

3. Treasurer:

- ÿ Pat Lavery will be taking over this position which has been vacant. Nimmi has kindly been taking care of business while the position has been vacant and continue to be of support to Pat. Thank you Nimmi and welcome Pat.
- ÿ Adjustment of \$500 has been made to the budget.
- ÿ Emergency Preparedness has more to spend for next year. A cheque for \$988.00 has been collected (\$2 per student). Students will pay \$2 each year for this purpose.
- ÿ Chqs. Are being put through as teachers followup on their purchases. Teachers who have yet to spend their allocated \$\$ will get a reminder from Jeannette.
- ÿ Weight training amount has been adjusted.
- ÿ Plasma table has been bought
- ÿ \$12,000 spent, \$8,000 left
- ÿ Math support will be set up by the concillors, will have tutors who are Sands students
- ÿ Requests from teachers have to be for non-curricular purposes for PAC to approve funding
- ÿ Pat will take the minutes from this meeting to get her signature put on at RBC where all the Sands PAC account is set up.

4. DPAC

5. SPC

6. Emergency Preparedness (E.P.)

Irene checked couple of places for prices of water. Costco has them for \$4.29 for 35 bottles, \$1.05 for recycling, \$1.75 for deposit, total \$7.09 which works out to be 20cents/bottle. Some businesses are willing to donate and Jeanett will draft a letter so Irene can approach these businesses.

7. Dry Grad

New Business

Motion to Adjourn: Diane motions to adjourn the meeting at 6:40pm.

Next Meeting: January 29<sup>th</sup>, 6:00 pm-Sands Library.

**Please remember to use proper meeting etiquette:**

1. *Please signal the chairperson if you would like to speak.*
2. *Listen attentively do not interrupt or maintain another conversation.*
3. *Respect and listen to the opinions of others.*
4. *Matters pertaining to individual concerns or specific teachers should never be discussed at the PAC meeting but should be addressed at a different time with the teacher concerned or the principal.*