

# Baker Drive PAC Meeting

February 8, 2020, 7 pm Zoom Call

## **APPROVAL OF AGENDA**

Tina moved, Michelle seconded

## **APPROVAL OF MEETING MINUTES FROM OCTOBER 5**

Michelle moved, Colleen seconded

## **COVID UPDATE - Jill Reid**

- Everyone should have received the letter from the superintendent last week, updating on school protocols. Changes include masks for all adults, but our school has been consistently doing this from the start.
- A new mobile K-12 Health Check app has been developed for students and families to support daily screening for COVID-19 symptoms. The app is available for Apple and Android devices and may be accessed at [www.k12dailycheck.gov.bc.ca](http://www.k12dailycheck.gov.bc.ca).
- Baker families have been doing an awesome job at keeping kids home when they are sick, and are asked to keep vigilant and keep doing what they're doing.
- Reminder that parents should wear masks on school grounds, and should not gather in groups at drop off/pick up times or after. .
- Parents are invited to email Jill with any questions or concerns.

## **EARLY INTERVENTION FOR READING - Sue Sabourin**

- Sue gave families an overview on how Student Services support literacy development in the school
- Student Services is made up of Sue Sabourin, Alexa Romilly and Tracy Tong
- Highlighted that each child learns at a different rate - particularly in K-late 2/3
- Student services - are there to give a boost to those that need it: Sometimes kids need more practice on something - Student Services are there to help support them
- The purpose is to give the kids a boost, and is specific and targeted. It might be 10 mins every day. Or three times a week for a longer time.
- At the moment it's particularly looking at those who did gradual entry and the start of the school year.
- Student Services work directly with teachers, and it is the teachers who use their professional judgement, as well as teaching standards, to identify those that need the help.

## **FUNDRAISING REPORT - Erin McKinley & Colleen O'Connor**

- Valentines cookies
  - 142 sold for students and raised \$690 PAC.

- Jill Reid bought 30 grams for the staff at the school Cookies are heat sealed and quarantining
- Every child will get one
- Looking at gluten free option as there are 2 children flagged as an allergy in the school
- Pink shirts
  - 115 sold including from before Christmas and January sales
  - \$345 CKNW Pink Shirt Day fund donation
  - \$594.65 for PAC
- Mini family photo shoots with Mary Delghandi booked for April 17/18
  - Families will get three photos for \$40 can buy additional images
  - Maximum 20 families per day
  - 50% of money goes towards pac
  - Will happen on Baker drive will find good location
- Flipgive - ongoing
- Art cards
  - Thank you cards and birthday cards
  - Will be made available after Spring Break
  - Artwork will be created in class
  - 40% of sales will go back PAC.
- Plant sale
  - Think we are going ahead in time for Mothers Day, and have contacted Catherine Hubbs, an alumni parent who helps coordinate for local schools.
- Safety Fair and Covid Movie Night - Volunteers needed to organise.
- Baker Bear Wear
  - Ordering beginning of March with clothing arriving after Spring Break
  - New products include - ball caps, shorts, charms
  - Feedback on types of product: we cannot order in small quantities efficiently so need to find things that everyone wants. A poll will go out to parents to see what they are interested in.

## **GRADE 5 - Tina Papa**

- Only 3 families that have not submitted photos to yearbook
- Mary Delghandi will also be taking photos for the yearbook in coordination with Tina
- Tentative dates and plans are made to celebrate graduation, but they are all dependent on Covid restrictions.

## **TREASURER REPORT - Terri Besworth**

- Desperate need of a Treasurer still (Zoe S will be nominated for the role at the AGM in May and made that known after the meeting)
- We're in a good position, mostly money coming in and not going out
- Terri and Jill have started to have conversation about replacing and improving the playground equipment as it is now 20 years old. Looking into the grants available so we know how much we need to fundraise and plan going forward.

## **PRINCIPAL UPDATE - Jill Reid**

- Jill shared a video on Global School Play Day
- Jill shared a video on Self Regulation in the classroom and how the school approached it, including
  - The new Self Regulations room, where kids will be invited by their teacher, to visit when needed, with a focus on tactile activities.
  - Ms Ward's work in creating workflows with her class so the children know what steps they need to take for a task and what they need for each step.
- Jill shared a video of what has happened in the school this month.

## **UPCOMING PARENT EDUCATION - Terri Besworth**

- Will be hosting the Raising Body Positive, Sexually Healthy Kids, parent talk via Zoom on March 10 at 7 pm.
- There is an opportunity for speaker Corrine Underwood to work with Baker teachers. Teachers will be invited to attend the Parent Talk by Jill and then decide. Jill has spoken with local schools to understand what others do, and it is very varied.

## **ANY OTHER BUSINESS**

- It was voted to move future PAC meetings to Tuesday to encourage more attendance. Next Meeting will be April 13.
- A new chair for the PAC will be needed for the 2021/2022 school year. If interested, please contact bakerdrivepac@gmail.com

## **ADJOURN**

- Motion to adjourn - Michelle, Zoe seconded

## **Attendees:**

Cheri Keenan, Gill Tempest, Jill Reid, Julie, Pierre and Marianne, Michelle Hunt, Michelle Hunt, Sue, Sabourin, Terri Besworth, Tina Papa, Zoe Santorum, Colleen O'Connor, Erin McKinley, Michelle Wilson, Juliet Mohlmann, Brian Vandegriend, Mary Delghandi

## **Board Members:**

Terri Besworth, Chair | VACANT, Treasurer | Gill Tempest, Secretary | Jill Reid, Principal | VACANT, DPAC Representative