

Baker Drive PAC Meeting

January 18, 2022, 7 pm Zoom Call

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Terri moved, Michelle seconded

APPROVAL OF MEETING MINUTES FROM NOVEMBER 9

Terri moved, Nikki seconded

TREASURER REPORT - Zoe Sanborn

- Presented the monthly reports for November and December
- Profit for the last two months is \$2433.22 but have not reconciled all the Hot Lunch bills yet.
 - Hot Lunch brought in \$8448.55 in revenue
 - Purdys brought in \$1006.82 in revenue
- Explained that because we raise the money and then spend at the end of the year so it is not clearly representing what we have. But things are looking good.
- Noted that
 - The Christmas ornament was more than budget so will need to be adjusted.
 - “Various revenue” was a deposit that we don’t know what it is right now
 - There is an outstanding cheque for curling - we wrote it they haven’t cashed it.
 - Baker bear wear looks bad on the reports - but it’s because we collected money in June but didn’t pay for them until now.

PRINCIPAL UPDATE - Jill Reid

- Enrolment is high 212 now - was at 195 at start.
- 2022/23 Registration starting
 - Kindergarten registration starts tomorrow, January 19
 - Cross catchment starts February 4
 - Neighbourhood Families that are Cross Catchment and have new siblings joining the school - you do not need to apply for Cross Catchment again.
 - Noted that Staffing is based on registration numbers as of March 30, so if you know anyone who may be coming to the neighbourhood, but isn’t yet here, to register asap.
- Noted that it is overall a positive environment in the school. Everyone is happy to be back. Staffing over all is well, and child attendance is better than a typical threshold.
- There may be some new (positiv) changes coming soon from PHO about the loosening of the restrictions in schools. Seems to be going better than can be hoped.
- Valentine’s Day - we know by end of month if we’re able to run a regular Valentines Day. We are waiting for direction from the district. It shouldn’t be a problem.
- Parent learning survey - coming out again soon.

HOT LUNCHES - Colleen O'Connor

- No real update
- Feb march and April purchasing January 27th
- The next one will be for the rest of the year.
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FUNDRAISING REPORT - Colleen O'Connor

- Fundraising Feedback:
 - Raise the funds - the food was super good and may look into doing it again \$700+ profit
 - Growing Smiles - really good quality and last a long time - there's a spring one for bulbs and planting - made \$400+ from 30 orders so good ROI
 - We raised \$276 for ARC with Black Shirts
 - We raised \$290 for CKNW Kids Fund with Pink Shirts
- Valentines cookies now live until February 6 - working again with Betty Bakes. \$5 per child or multi packs for \$15 available this year too. Will be delivered February 14.
- Spring: Fundraisers
 - Purdys - Easter - not sure of dates
 - Spring Bear Wear - Not had a giant response to the last run and it's expensive to do short runs so may just now do it once a year in September. We have a big stock of the Spirit Wear t-shirt.
 - We will run a survey out to the greater community - to see if there's a desire to do it.

GRADE 5 - Colleen O'Connor

- Big need for Volunteers - need a new Committee Leader as Shereen has had to step away, and need volunteers for the year end activity
- Minutes sent out yesterday (January 17) from the meeting

OTHER BUSINESS

- Covid safety supplies - approval of spend on masks \$202
 - Voted Michelle and Nikki
- Request has been made to Purchase a Pride flag by parents
 - Jill said there are no protocols around a pride flag so don't see it as an issue. Offered to put it on a bulletin board in the school on the main hallway.
 - Amy will look into options and communicate back.
- Parent Talk - Raising Inclusive Children - looks to be scheduled in February or March - via zoom. More details will be sent out in due course.

ADJOURN

Motion to adjourn - Terri, Nikki seconded

Attendees:

Terri Besworth, Colleen O'Connor, Amy Banmen, Zoe Sanborn, Aimee Mitchell, Andrea Sherman, Kimberley Tran, Nikki Shekhtman, Sayo Maynell, Noreen Michielin, J Kinoshita, Chris Anderson, Michelle Hunt, Shadi Elien, Veronica Moulton, Gill Tempest, Jill Reid

Board Members:

Colleen O'Connor and Amy Banmen, Chair | Zoe Sanborn, Treasurer | Gill Tempest, Secretary | Jill Reid, Principal | Corrine Hansen, DPAC Representative | Terri Besworth, Past Chair