

# Baker Drive PAC Meeting

November 12, 2024, 7 PM Zoom Call

## Called to Order - Corinne Hansen (Chair)

Corinne welcomed all to the meeting and said the Land Acknowledgment.

## Approval of Meeting Minutes From October 15, 2024

Tamara Davidson moved to approve the minutes, and Christy Dirks seconded.

## Approval of Agenda

Tamara Davidson moved to approve the agenda, and Christy Dirks seconded.

## Treasurer's Report - Mariana Perez-Garcia

- In September and October there was \$28,226.44 total revenue.
- There was \$8,455.90 total expenses.
- There was \$19,770.54 total profit.
- As of Oct. 31, there is \$68,440.49 in the bank account.
- Total assets minus liabilities is \$60,112.30.

## Principal Update - Joe Jamieson

- Thank you to those who attended the Remembrance Day Ceremony; it was well attended. Thank you to the teachers who have been leading the choir, which performed at the ceremony.
- Tennis will be coming up at the end of November for an entire week as a part of gym class. Equipment is provided by the tennis club. The cost is covered by PAC fundraising.
- Rather than holding one winter concert, there will be smaller daily concerts, with two-three classes performing per day. Plus, there will be some general songs that the whole school will participate in. The schedule will be coming out soon.
- There was a very windy day recently, and ten minutes into lunch hour the wind increased, and branches were snapping. Students were called in early to stay safe due to the risk of trees falling. A few trees did fall in the forest near the school grounds, but no one was injured, and the district came in and removed the fallen trees.
- A reminder that Baker Drive gets a lot of snow, since it is located on a snow belt. On very snowy days, caregivers are welcome to keep their children at home if they feel that the road conditions are unsafe.

- Report cards will be ready on December 12. They will be posted online through MyEducation.com.

## PAC Update- Corinne Hansen (Chair)

- Hot lunch ordering closes on the 20<sup>th</sup> of the previous month. You can subscribe to the calendar online, in order to be reminded about things like hot lunch orders closing for the month. It is not possible to add orders after the 20<sup>th</sup> of each month.
- The Christmas Minis photoshoot fundraiser raised \$105.
- Neufeld's and Purdy's Fundraisers are on now. Neufeld's ordering closes on November 25<sup>th</sup>. Purdy's ordering closes on December 2<sup>nd</sup>.
- The Kids Holiday Market will be on from December 4-6. Donations are needed, specifically items like toys, puzzles, games, books, and collectables. No stuffies or clothing, please. Volunteers are needed as well. There was a sign-up link sent in the latest email about the Holiday Market.
- We are looking for a PAC Co-Chair and a Fundraising Chair, beginning in January, 2025. Please reach out if you are able to help.

## Grade Five Committee - Corinne Hansen (Chair)

- The Grade Five Committee meets to discuss Grade Five events for the year. The first meeting was held on October 27<sup>th</sup>, and there were sub-committees formed for hoodies, the baby picture display, and waterslides, and the leaving ceremony.
- Tomorrow there will be a volleyball tournament with a concession, and the proceeds will be a Grade Five fundraiser.
- There is a shared drive for sharing baby photos for the Grade Five students' year-end event. The shared drive for pictures and instructions on how to add to it have been sent out in an email to Grade Five caregivers. Please refer to that when collecting photos for the year-end event.
- At the end of the year, there will be a slip-and-slide for the Grade Five students, as well as a trip to the waterslides. The PAC pays for the bus to the waterslides. There will also be a leaving ceremony for the Grade Five students, with backdrops instead of lawn décor.

## Adjourn

Motion to adjourn. Mariana Perez-Garcia moved, and Tamara Davidson seconded.

## Attendees:

Ashley, Betty Siu, Christy Dirks, Corinne Hansen, Darlene Johnson, Joe Jamieson, Laura, MGuevarra, Mariana Perez-Garcia, Ming Yan, Seyi dada, Tamara D, Thais

## Board Members:

Corinne Hansen, Chair | Colleen O'Connor, Past Chair | Mariana Perez-Garcia, Treasurer | Christy Dirks, Secretary | Cooper Heibloem, Communications and After School Programs | Kimberley McCarthy - Hot Lunch | Christie Nelson, DPAC Representative | Joe Jamieson, Principal