

Baker Drive PAC Meeting

May 5, 2025, 7 PM Zoom Call

Call to Order – Rachael Sproston (Co-Chair)

- Rachael Sproston read the Land Acknowledgement and welcomed everyone to the meeting.
- Rachael Sproston voted to approve the meeting minutes from April, and Heba Elsonbaty seconded.
- Rachael Sproston voted to approve the agenda for today's meeting, and Heba Elsonbaty seconded.

Grade 5 Update – Myrandah Swetman

- The Grade 5 committee is doing well. We will need Grade 4 volunteers to hand out refreshments and clean up after the Grade 5 leaving ceremony.
- There is a slip and slide event planned on June 19 at 5:00 PM
- Cultas Lake Waterslides fieldtrip will take place on June 22.
- The leaving ceremony will take place on June 18 and 1:00 PM
- We will need at least 50% participation for a Grade 5 movie night to take place, so if we don't have that by the end of the week, we won't have a movie night.

DPAC Update – Rachael Sproston in place of Christie Nelson

- We need a DPAC representative for next year. There are 8 to 10 meetings per year, and you could share the role with someone if you choose to. Please reach out to the PAC if you would like to volunteer.

PAC Update – Heba Elsonbaty and Rachael Sproston (Co-Chairs)

- Staff appreciation went well. Thank you to all door decorators and other volunteers who helped with the lunch and other parts of the day.
- If you have any ideas for future fundraisers, please let us know as we would like to incorporate some new ideas.
- Hot lunch update from Kimberley McCarthy: Thank you to the volunteers who help out with hot lunch, as it would not be possible without volunteers. Kim is looking for someone to join the hot lunch team and learn the role of how to use the computer system for ordering and coordinating.

- Freezie Fridays will be back starting on May 15. Parent volunteers will hand out Freezies to their class after school, and it is an easy volunteer role that takes ten minutes at most.
- Tamara Davidson updated us on the Excel Martial Arts movie night on June 20, from 6-9 PM, which will be the second Mario movie. Invitations will be out soon and it will be posted to social media, with a link to order tickets through the Excel website.
- We will have an AGM coming up in June, and will need to fill some essential roles for the PAC to function. The DPAC representative is one role which we will need to fill in order to function.
- The block party is coming up on June 12 from 5-8. There will be a barbecue, other food, and fun events. The block party team is looking for volunteers to help with things like selling Freezies, being at the welcome table, or watching the bouncy castle. If you're available, please sign up to be a volunteer.

Treasurer's Report - Mariana Perez-Garcia

- These numbers represent the time period from April 7 to May 4.
- Total revenue was \$3,005.75.
- Total expenses were \$5,353.23.
- Net loss was -\$2,347.48.
- Some of our expenses were to support the Grade Five committee, and we will be reimbursed.

Adjourn

Rachael Sproston called to adjourn. Mariana Perez-Garcia and Heba Elsonbaty seconded the motion.

Attendees:

Christy Dirks, Corinne Mallonga-Hansen, Heba Elsonbaty, Kelsey Keller, Laura, Lil M, Mariana Perez-Garcia, Maryam, Myrandah Swetman, Rachael Sproston, Tamara Davidson.

Board Members:

Heba Elsonbaty, Co-Chair | Rachael Sproston, Co-Chair | Corinne Mallonga-Hansen, 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.