

David Livingstone Elementary Pac meeting agenda, January 17th, 2018 7:00pm in the Library

Welcome and Acknowledgement-

I would like to begin by acknowledging that the land in which we gather is the unceded territory of the Coast Salish peoples, including the territories of the Musqueam, Squamish and Tsleil Waututh First Nations.

Intention-

I would like to also begin this meeting and the meetings moving forward with an intention for gathering. All PAC meetings are to be held with respect, inclusiveness, and understanding of others. We are gathered to create and share ideas that will enrich the education of our children through community based learning.

Motion to approve minutes from the December 20, 2017 PAC meeting (5min)

Chair Report (30min) - Judy

D-Pac representative, Bindy Kang.

What is DPAC? DPACs are the legislated parent voice at the school district level, representing the collective views of school Parents' Advisory Councils (PAC) in a school district. DPACs advise the board of education on any matter relating to education in their school district. DPACs advocate for parental involvement in the education system and give input into the development of education policy and curricula. Many DPACs are offered seats on school district committees such as policy, finance or budget and healthy lifestyles.

What does DPAC do? DPACs support and encourage PACs and parents in accessing the school system at all levels by providing regular forums for the exchange of ideas and information to ensure that public education serves the best interests of all students.

Check out the DPAC website here for their calendar and more information:
<http://vancouverdpac.org/>

Passage Adventures - End of April
Stream of Dreams - October (Fall)

All submissions, presentations, and new business ideas for the school year of 2018/2019 need to be brought to PAC chair/executives before the April PAC meeting. April PAC meeting will be dedicated to the process of voting on and setting forward these in plan for the next school year.

Car-free Day :) - Needing volunteers to organize and make happen this year if possible.

Walk-a-thon - May 25th. Needing parent volunteers for organization pre, during, and post.

Request for 10 LARGER sized sport jersey's for the gr.7 boys/girls. \$40x10= \$400.

Ms. Geri - The fun and exciting adventures happening in our library. I am putting forward a request

for an agreed upon cash denomination to help in offering an honorarium towards the volunteer speakers and presenters that Geri will have coming in as part of this enriching process for our children.

Treasures Report (10min) - Helena

Committees (15 min) -

Julia - East Van Soiree update

Karin- Fall Fund Drive

Jo Anne- Accounts receivable

Principals Report (20min) - Vital Peeters

Closing intention (10min)

Adjourn 8:30pm

Thank you