**June 7th DPAC Meeting**

1. DPAC Business

Each PAC responsible for sending in their new executive list to Abbie, DPAC chair, after their AGM meetings.

Next meeting for DPAC is October 4th at 0915 and DPAC will meet once a month on the first Wednesday of the month.

**Finance Report** – Gaming grants all due by June 30th

**Parent Education**-huge turn out for the Kay Meek event. Considering a change from a large event next year to other ideas.

**Comprehensive health report** - Foundry North Shore will open soon in lower Lonsdale. This is a Vancouver Coastal Health one stop shop for youth in north shore and Sea to sky (includes Bowen). Mental health services and primary care services will all be in the one location. For youth aged 12 to 24.

**Summer school registration** – 700 in district registrations so far and 1000 out of district. Approx. 7,220 students registered in the West Van school district for the fall.

1. Trustee Report

Trustees will host a welcome back luncheon in September. Usually it is the last week of September (Wednesday) and new PAC executive are invited.

1. WVSD Superintendent Report

Overall increase of 10 divisions in elementary schools in this coming year. This is a huge jump compared to the past.

Staffing increased as per previous discussions.

New coding class open at West Vancouver Library

Physical literacy – trying to increase support to elementary school teachers to help teach physical literacy.

**Presentation from Michelle LaBounty (West Vancouver Administrators Association)**

Presentation was about how PACs and Administrators can work well together. She focused on three areas:

1. prioritize your funding
2. Understand the source of your funding
3. Knowing your community

Stressed importance of

-knowing the PAC vision and the school vision,

-balancing both short and long term goals

-ensuring that all partner groups are benefiting (i.e. not just one class)

-ensuring transparency in all planning.

Most of what was discussed in her presentation was exactly the way we are already operating as a PAC at BICS! (Sheila’s opinion ☺) Well done BICS PAC and Administration!!