**January chairs report**

Next Thursday- Jan 30th @ 6pm Miles Ruben Technology and mental health talk is open to the public so feel free to tell parents of children at other schools. A great talk for parents with children of all ages and stages of tech use.

Movie day planned for the upcoming pro d day, not happening - Grade 7 and families were going to run movie, by donation and concession for grad funds but the district no longer has access to the “fun” movies.

Fam Jam Friday FEB 14th Family day weekend- thinking that we do it as a dance. Unless there is a group really wanting to organize the dinner part of things.

Will need to organize DJs (Jamie/ Andrew?)

Tickets can be by donation at the door with suggested family price of $20

Poster will need to be designed soon

Volunteers to set up/take down and run door donations

Bulletin board designer type job - help us make the pac bulletin board look better and stay on using it as a place for communications.

Spring plant sale - if we don’t run through Devon/Phil - do we do growing smiles again (touch base with Chelsea to see if they have spoken and next steps)

**Updates/Questions of Laura**

Sex Education - when is it planned for?

American spelling are teacher noting when Canadian spelling differs from the UFLI American version

Next Literacy talk can we be shown a UFLI lesson?

**Discussion for the group**

*School supplies*- can it be done better? Thoughts on kids owning their own items that stay with them thru elementary school. Other items like pencil crayons, paper, excersize books, drawing books could be bought in bulk for the teachers/ school to have when needed. The current package system stream lines the buying for parents but it creates waste with excess items. The list formulated for the child supply needs is not made by the teacher who will be in the classroom the following fall. (could this even be gaming funds? Quinn)

Bulk items purchased then teachers and or classes “shop” the items needed from the school supply.

These I call the hopes and dreams list.

*Fam Jam* should we do just a dance ? dinner and dance? who wants to take on the dinner?

Spring Fair (Someone will need to completely take the lead on this or it will not happen, which is ok too)

Family Photos (can probably use same photographer as last time, Tara can reach out to help coordinate)

Some kind of parent night? Legion is booked already but maybe the pub or the distillery? Library Commons? Silent auction?

Kid art at the hearth?? Do we still do this? Could we do a gala and auction or something to benefit the PAC?