



Location: Ecole Cedardale Library

Date: Thursday April 13, 2023

Time: 2:00 pm

PAC General Meeting (GM)

1. Call to Order

- 1st - Damineh, 2nd - Monisha

2. EC Administration

- Principal's Report
 - New school logo! ***volunteer needed** to help with coordinating new spirit wear and sales.
 - Chum Salmon release – baby salmon are about ready to be released into the creek.
 - Choir – link to see performance in the upcoming Hawk's Highlights.
 - Lockdown drill – 1st once today since before COVID – conducted with the WV Police Department.
 - Field Trips: Gr.3/4 Aquarium, Gr.1/2 McMillian Space Center, K – TBA
 - Gr.7 Exhibition – presentation of their big projects – Come and see their work on Monday May.15th
 - Gr.5/6 Future City Project – sustainable city ideas involving building and research.
 - Before/After School Programs
 - Dynamo Fencing: User pay, Gr.2-7, Wednesday mornings starting next week
 - Multisport: User pay, Afterschool
 - ***Student Learning Survey** – this is a provincial survey for which **parent feedback** would be very valuable
 - Link is in the Hawks Highlights

3. Treasurer's Report

- Treasurer's Update (details as per Budget Update Page)
 - Fun Lunch has been the main and very successful source of fundraising.
 - PAC has a budget available to cultural celebrations – opportunity for families to share cultural celebrations with the school (ex: Diwali, Lunar New Year, Nowruz).
 - Budget available for gardening.

4. EC PAC Business

- Annual PAC Fundraiser
 - Fun Fete – Sunday June. 4th 1pm-4pm
 - Looking for volunteers to help with planning and festivities.
 - Goal is to bring the school community together for the first time since COVID!
 - ****PAC EXEC SUCCESSION PLANNING****
 - May of the current PAC exec members will be graduating out of their roles and out of the the school, we are looking for amazing parents to join the fun and the planning to keep the PAC

going forward – please reach out to any current PAC exec members of Mme Hayes for more information

- PAC meeting run generally 1 hour virtually twice a month

5. DPAC Report (WVDPAC – West Vancouver District Parent Advisory Council)

- Next meeting: May.3, 9:15am Inglewood Learning Centre (all meetings are on the first Monday of the month)
- **Dr. Hayley Watson Presentation** Monday April.24 at 7:00-8:30pm at Kay Meek Theater \$10 plus service fee
 - i. In this session, you will be taught skills for building mental health resilience in your child, so they can navigate the challenges they face throughout their academic journey.
You will be given a framework for understanding common barriers to student resilience (stress, feeling overwhelmed, perfectionism, low motivation, low self- esteem, unhelpful thoughts etc.) and specific tools that you can use to support your child in overcoming these challenges
- If you would like to attend the DPAC general meeting or stay up to date on the DPAC's latest initiatives, subscribe to their emails at <https://westvancouver.schools.us16.list-manage.com/subscribe?u=434c7d944455d36c9d698ac8c&id=e4048021b1>
- Or visit the DPAC website at: <https://westvancouver.schools.ca/dpac/>

6. Adjournment

- Motion to adjourn meeting 1st: Felicia 2nd: Damineh

ATTENDEES:

Exec: Cintia, Felicia, Alma, Monisha, Christina, Jean, Bill, Damineh

Members at Large: Sean, Meggan, Anousheh, Morteza, Guadawpe, Natalie, Manyam, Celia, Jean, Lindsey, Nicole, Mahsa, Jasem, Ghazal, Farnoosh, Nafiseh, Sanaz, Alirecia

Note: All PAC Meeting minutes are available on the EC website (<https://westvancouver.schools.ca/ecole-cedardale-elementary/parents/pac-resources/>).

** ECPAC recognizes that General Meetings are not the appropriate place to discuss school personnel, individual students, or parents **