



Rosemont Elementary School PAC
Minutes
Wednesday, September 22, 2021
7:00 pm - 8:15 pm
Via Zoom

Present: Toby Hauck, PAC President
Lindsay MacKay, School Principal
Sherri Walsh, Trustee
Emma Stienne, PAC Treasurer
Nona Lynn, Parent
Kristina Little, Parent
Lori Wassenaar, Parent
Sonya Pope, Parent
Aurora Turner, Parent
Sadie Perlstrom, Parent
Cam James, Parent
Kristen Murphy, Parent
Alex Allen, Parent

Regrets: Bill Maslechko, Trustee

1. **Welcome and Call to Order**
7:02 pm
2. **Acknowledgement of Aboriginal Territory**
We acknowledge, respect and honor the First Nations in whose traditional territories the Kootenay Lake School District operates and all Aboriginal people residing within the boundaries of School District No. 8.
3. **Insertions/Deletions to proposed Agenda**
Addition: PAC meeting start time.
4. **Approval of June 9, 2021 Rosemont Elementary School PAC Minutes**
The minutes of the June 9, 2021 Rosemont Elementary School PAC were Approved.
5. **Approval of September 22, 2021 Rosemont Elementary School PAC Agenda**
The agenda of the September 22, 2021 Rosemont Elementary School PAC was Approved.
6. **Reports**
 - a. **Principal's Report**
Staffing
 - K/1 – Wendy Maslechko
 - 1/2 – Robyn Simard/Meredith Eaton
 - 2/3 – Sheila Ryan
 - 3/4 – Robin Sims/Alix Ius (Fridays)
 - 4/5 – Eli Geddis
 - Music – Teryn Chee
 - Library/ELL – Lindsay Robertson

- Inclusion Support teachers – Alix Ius, Meredith Eaton, Lindsay Robertson, Robyn Simard
- Custodian – Sheila Hopkins
- EA Support Staff:
 - Krista Brackett
 - John Ryan
 - Steve Hornby
 - Marilyn Zak

Salmon eggs Thank you to Sheila Ryan for taking on the salmon egg project at Rosemont again this year. The eggs are now in place in our fish tank. It will take some time before we see any action there but our kids are very excited about the whole project!

Strong Start – starting back up in person after Thanksgiving.
Wednesdays/Thursdays in the gym 9-12pm

Nuts are allowed – for now. There are no current nut allergies at Rosemont Elementary.

5Cs – Calm, Caring, Commitment to Learning, Creativity and Common Sense.
Month of September is CALM.

Picnic Tables – the new picnic tables have arrived. Thank you PAC.

SWAG – a Rosemont swag list has been put together for review.

FSA – FSAs will take place for grade 4 students during October.

Communication Protocol – shared the SD8 communication protocol with PAC.

Upcoming events:

- Terry Fox Run – Thursday Sept. 23
- Pro-D day – Friday Sept. 24
- Orange Shirt Day – Wednesday Sept 29
- Day of Honoring Truth and Reconciliation – Thursday Sept. 30
- Picture Day – October 5

b.

Treasurer's Report

Chequing Account - \$5583.

Gaming Account - \$1055 (to be spent before October 11)

\$1896 has been spent from gaming account for picnic tables and bike rack.

MunchALunch Account - \$344 (includes roll over funds and refund cheques not yet deposited)

The Rotary Grant that PAC applied for in June for a new structure outside was not successful.

c. Secretary's Report

Secretary role still vacant.
If anyone is interested in the secretary role, speak with Tobi.

d. DPAC Report

DPAC Meeting - September 16, 2021 - 6:00 pm
Next meeting: October 14, 2021 - 6:00 pm via zoom

Trustee Walsh shared an update from the September DPAC meeting: -

- Everyone was able to meet Superintendent Smillie.
- AGM will be in October.
- Meetings will stay on zoom.
- Parent advocacy seminars are coming in October.
- Reminding all PAC to get executive information into DPAC.

e. Chair's Report

Bike Rack Update - a new bike rack has been added to the school grounds.

New picnic tables have been delivered to Rosemont.

7. Unfinished Business

a. Remainder of Gaming Grant

\$1055 to be spent by October 2021.
Alex will look into outdoor appropriate flooring for the gagaball flooring.

Motion: A motion to amendment of the motion of June 9, 2021 to spend gaming grant funds on lumber - to approve \$1055 to be spent on lumber and outdoor flooring was made by Tobi and seconded by Lori.
Motion Approved.

Principal suggested that PAC could potentially subsidise the cost of swimming for all students at Rosemont in the Spring of 2022.

b. Rosemont Hoodies and Swag

Principal Mackay shared the Rosemont swag order form. It was noted that PAC will still support grade 6 graduation hoddies, and will make them special in some way so they aren't the same as standard swag.

Swag order forms will be on line and will be sent home with parents.
Principal Mackay has agreed to take this project on as a school project.

c. Traffic Safety Signs Made by Students?

The street traffic safety signs are working well.

Lindsay will bring it to a staff meeting to see if any of the classes would like to take this project on.

d. Picnic Tables

Looking for parent volunteers will stain the picnic tables.
Emma offered to stain the tables.

9. New Business

a. Hot Lunch

Munch a Lunch is the system we use for hot lunch.
Friday - Subway - Lindsay/Loreen pick up the sandwiches
Monday - Pizza - From Thors
Thursday - Sushi - Kurama

Kristina Little offered to organize Parent Volunteers.

Volunteers needed:

1 person - sushi

2 people - pizza

No volunteers needed for subway.

Alex and Aurora volunteered to help with hot lunch.

Parent volunteers are now allowed in the schools this year.

Tobi will update MunchALunch to open September 26 for hot lunch to begin October 14.

b. Fundraiser

Fruit Fundraiser - Alex and Tobi will organize the fruit fundraiser.

Purdys - Lexi - Tobi will connect with Lexi

Coffee - Lori will look into Oso monthly coffee

Bottle Depot - bring forward to October meeting.

c. PAC meeting start time

Will try having meetings at 6:30 pm.

Will have a babysitter on site so people can attend in person.

d. AGM

October 2021 will be the AGM

10. Next Meeting Date

Wednesday, October 20, 2021 - 6:30 pm - 8:15 pm via: Zoom and in person.

11. Adjournment

8:26 pm.