

**Ecole South Sahali Elementary
PAC Meeting January 22, 2024**

In attendance: Madyson CAVALIERE, Allison TREMBLAY, Susie MABEE, Jylece PAQUETTE, Kat ALEXANDER, M. JONES, Jacqueline ELLIS, Gillian REDMOND

Started at 6:31

1. Adoption of Agenda

Adoption moved by A. TREMBLAY, seconded by M. JONES. Motion carried.

2. Adoption of Meeting Minutes

Meeting minutes from November 2023 meeting presented. Moved by A. TREMBLAY, seconded by M. JONES. Motion carried.

3. Principal Report (S. Mabee)

Basketball

- We have 6 teams and league play starts tomorrow
- We are still looking for referees for a couple of games

Carnaval

- We will be taking place the morning of Friday, February 16
- Primary students will be staying at school and welcoming the primary students from LGES
- Intermediate students will be travelling to LGES via bus
- All students will be back at their respective schools for the lunch hour

Pink Shirt Day

- Shirts and hoodies are available to order through school cash online
- Mme Cornell and her Kindness Club have started a Kindness Tree where students are recognized for their kind acts throughout the day
- We have changed the date of our "Belonging" assembly from Monday Feb 26 to Wed. February 28 to coincide with Pink Shirt Day
- Mme Wallis' and Mme Funk's classes are creating a video to showcase student kindness

Kindergarten Registration

- Is taking place this week (Jan. 22-26)
- Draw will take place next week and Mme Lisa will notify families by Thursday at the latest.
- School District is re-doing our Schools of Choice Videos as there is currently lots of footage of staff and students wearing masks

School Learning Plan

- Mme Mabee has begun visiting classrooms to come up with a definition of what belonging means to students
- She is asking the following questions:
 - What makes you special?
 - Where do you feel like you belong?
 - Why do you feel like you belong there?
 - What is the school doing well to make sure that everyone feels like they belong?
 - What can the school do better to make sure that everyone feels like they belong?
 - She is hoping to finish her visits before SPRING BREAK

School Kitchen

- Our school kitchen is going to be renovated and will need to be closed to staff and PAC for approximately a month while the work is being done
- Once we know when this will take place, we will communicate it with PAC so that they can move their things for safe storage.

School Fees Survey

- Reviewed the fees survey with PAC (see next page)

Elementary Fees Survey 2024-2025 School Year

Please indicate the fees you anticipate will be charged at your school for the 2024-2025 school year.

School Name: <u>École Élémentaire South Sa-Hali</u>		
Enhancement / Activity Description	Fee Amount (per student)	Notes (if explanation required)
Example: Year End Grade 7 Field Trip	\$100.00	3 days/2 nights – Eagle Bay Camp
Cross Country Running	\$5.00	Busing
Volleyball, Basketball, Flag Football	\$10 - 20	Referees and Pizza Party
Grade 7 Year-End Field Trip	\$120	3 days/2 nights @ Eagle Bay or Sunnybrae
Agendas	\$8	
Art Starts Program	\$15	
Band (Instrument Rental and Repair)	\$90	
Pumpkin Patch	\$15	Bus and program fee
TCC pool	\$3	
Canoe and Kayak Field Trip	\$25-30	Shumway Lake
Skiing @ Harper Mountain	\$30-80	Lessons, rentals, passes, and busing
Hat Creek Ranch	\$20	Bus and program fee
Wildlife Park	\$8	
Art Gallery Workshop after the tour	\$8	
Skiing/Snowshoeing @ Stake Lake	\$30	
Harper Mountain Tube Park	\$20 - 26	Bus, lift ticket, and hotdog lunch
Big Little Science Centre	\$10	
Kamloops Heritage Train Tour	\$5	Bus for 2 classes
Learn to Fish Lessons at Paul Lake or Lac le JEUNE	\$5	Program is free, bussing costs
Kamloops Museum and Archives	\$5	Program and bussing cost
Cliffside Climbing	\$17	
Falcon Lanes – Bowling	\$8	
Kenna Cartwright - Hiking	\$3	Busing
Skating	\$5	Busing (Ice time is free)
Disc Golf (Kamloops Disc Golf Association)	\$5	Busing

Please Note:

- This form supports [AP 505 – Fees, Deposits and Collection](#).
- School supplies are **not** fees.
- Fees cannot be charged for materials for projects necessary to meet course requirements.
- The maximum band instrument rental fee, set by the District, is **\$90.00**.



Principal Signature

A. Funding Requests

No funding requests.

B. Financial Report (J. Paquette/K. Alexander)

Community Account

- as of end of November closed at \$75,328.64
- as of end of December closed at \$97,844.47

Community Gaming

- as of end of November closed at \$9,012.64
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C. Executive report (A. Tremblay/M. Cavaliere)

No report.

D. Committee Reports

a. Fundraising

- i. Cookie Dough (J. MacGregor)
 - Approx. \$400 profit
 - Not sure will do again.
- ii. Winter Plant Sale (A. Tremblay)
 - Not hugely successful ~\$500
- iii. Purdy's Chocolates (A. Tremblay)
 - ~\$700
- iv. Online Auction
 - Amanda not present to report back but did well. ~\$3000
- v. Spring Plants
 - Not sure if we will do it this year.
- vi. First Aid Fundraiser (A. Tremblay)
 - To start fairly shortly.
- vii. 50/50 Draw (M. Jones)
 - Michelle has started application process.
 - Start May 27
- viii. PAC Picnic and 50/50 draw (M. Jones/K. MacArthur)
 - June 14
 - Gr 7 come back at lunch that day from Sunnybrae
 - Might decide to move to June 7.
- ix. Value Village Fundraiser (A. McKeen)
 - No updates

b. DPAC (M.C)

- Meeting Jan. 16. District accessibility study taking place.
- Survey urging any parent/guardian to discuss accessibility. Posted on SSES PAC Facebook page.
- Last year had highest number completing high school
- District saw increase # trusting 2 adults + in their school
- Waitlist for Food Safe
- DPAC logo content running until Jan. 31. Posted on PAC Facebook page.
- May 3-5 - AGM conference. Presentation by gov people making decisions for our kids
- Jan 24 – give back to council. Strategic Plan 2024 (things that matter to our neighbourhood).
- Starting to look at naming new Pineview school.

E. CPF (A. Tremblay)

No representative and no update.

F. New Business

- a. Hot choc day – moved from Jan. 31 to Feb. 9
- b. Staff appreciation day – May 6-10
- c. Hot lunch
 - No update

Meeting concluded at 7:38 p.m.

Next meeting Feb. 26 at 6:30.