

MBSS PAC Meeting Minutes

October 15th, 2018

Attendees: Candice McKinnon (president), Chantelle Desrosiers, Raquel Steen (principal)

1. Agenda approved.
2. Reports:

Treasurer's Report – no report

Principal's Report

- Athletics are well underway for the year.
- Terry Fox Run was successful. Included as number of people participating in having their heads shaved.
- World Teachers Day and Implementation Day were successful and well attended. Leadership students made recognition gifts for all of the teachers.
- Isle in the Sky Artwork. MBSS students' artwork was displayed in Ireland. It was an amazing opportunity to get a broader exposure and was very well received. Hoping to maintain an ongoing relationship.
- Another bike rack is on order for the school.

Upcoming events:

- Parent Teacher interviews will be on October 17th. Teachers will be in the gyms available for discussions with parents and students in attendance.
- Innovate Ed on October 19th.
- Worksafe Assembly on October 30th.
- Leadership is planning some Halloween fun.
- BCSLC Fire Academy
- Numeracy assessments occurring for Grade 12 students on November 5th to 7th.
- There will be two separate Remembrance Day Assemblies held in the gym so all the students can be accommodated.

Additional Items:

- Doing review of student suspension statistics for MBSS over the last 3 years. Looking into the types of suspensions, duration, and outcome for the students. Detailed description of results can be accessed through the principal.

COPAC Report

- COPAC Parent Leadership Conference - November 24th, 9 – 5 at Hollywood Rd. Tickets available at Eventbrite. (free admission, free child minding, breakfast and lunch provided)
Information to be covered: Drug awareness, PAC 101, Mental health, Treasurer 101, New curriculum, Fresh Grade, Bylaws and Constitution, Social Media Awareness

- Foundry Kelowna
 - Merrell's Strong Teens: A social and emotional learning curriculum. Drop in for youth aged 12 – 18 on Wednesdays 4 -5pm.
 - Healthy Habits: For youth age 12 to 24 experiencing low to moderate mood, depression or anxiety. On Wednesdays 5:30 – 6:45pm.

- 3. New Business:
 - Funding for teacher requests from the gaming funds will be completed at the November PAC meeting. Some teachers will to in attendance to present their proposals.

Next meeting November 26th, 2018 at 5:45 in the library.

Meeting adjourned at 6:50pm.