



Killarney Secondary Parent Advisory Council (KPAC)

ZOOM meeting

Meeting Minutes– Wednesday February 24, 2021 @ 7pm

1. **Welcome & Introductions** – Divya Shajith - Chair

Meeting called to order at 7:02pm

Approval of current agenda – Liz Jones & Ann Wong

(Donate year end motion)

Approval to donate \$500- Natalia Feschenko &

Mercedes Lee

2. **Principal's Report** – Kal Gill

- **UBC student teachers** began **practicum** at school. Ends May 14.
- **Pink shirt day** February 24. **The Social Justice class** has made a huge **banner** on our school wall with positive thoughts.
- Deadline for **cross-boundary** applications: February 26.
- **Students in Grades 10 & 12** & their **parents** are encouraged to complete **Student Learning Survey** from Ministry of Education. The **link** will be emailed to parents.
- **Discussions** are taking place at **District level** about **next year's Schedule**. **Staff** across the District being surveyed as part of the **Feedback** that will help the **decision**.
- **Spring Break** March 15-26, 2021. School **reopens** March 29, 2021.
- **Theatre Killarney Family MainStage 2021** presents " **CURIOUSER** ", an adaptation of **Alice in Wonderland** but because the **COVID restrictions**, can't have an audience. They are **filming the Production**. There are 5 dates you can choose to get **tickets** to watch at home at : www.vtixonline.com

- **2021 Summer School** program won't offer all courses as before.
 - **Elementary Program** will offer in person classes from **July 5 – 23** at 4 schools:
Nootka, Tecumseh, Trafalgar & Van Horne.
 - **Secondary Program** will be held at 3 schools:
Churchill, John Oliver & Vancouver Technical
Grade 8-11 Remedial Courses: July 7-Aug 5. (In person courses)
Grade 10-12 Academic Completion Courses: July 5-Aug 10.
Day 1/Day 2 (hybrid remote/ in person).
- **Welcome Kendra Coulter**, our new **Office Administration Assistant** starting March 1, 2021.
- **The Killarney Yearbook cover 2020-2021 won 1st Place in Friesen's Cover contest.** Participants from **West Vancouver to Mission.** It also **won 2nd Place** in the **National Contest.**
CONGRATULATIONS!

3. **Teacher's Representative's Report** – Andrea Sum

- Teachers are exhausted with the regulations that changes often.
- Welcoming **Grade 8's**
- Encourage your children to join **Clubs** like **badminton, track & field, grad committee...**

4. **Treasurer's Report** – Liz Jones

- **Gaming account** balance: **\$39,966.78. No expenditures** yet
- **General account** balance: **\$780.64.** There was a cheque deposited of **\$14.40** from Office Supply Company

5. **Notes:**

- Ann Wong suggested to have **Speakers in topic of Interest** like **Financial Planning**, learn about **Taxes** for students.
- More information next meeting on our **Clothing Drive.**

6. **Adjournment:** This meeting was adjourned at 8pm.

Next meeting : **Wednesday April 28 at 7pm.**

Persons in attendance at this meeting:

Andrea Galbraith, Andrea Sum, Ann Wong, Cong Chuc, Divya Shajith, Jeff Liu, Jennifer Law, K. Greer, Kal Gill, Keerthiha Supramaniyam, Laila Ma, Lily Lew, Liz Jones, Loan Doan Thi Kim, Ma Hazel Miralles, Marsella Leung, Melissa Jiang, Mercedes Lee, Nancy Li, Natalia Feschenko, P. L. , Sonya Lyall.

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