

# APE des Grands-Cèdres Minutes February 2, 2022

## **Board Directors APE des Grands-Cèdres 2021-2022**

President: Brian Callender

Vice-President: Stephanie Belle Coulson

Treasure: Eric Bondy

Secretary: Tatiana Tordoya

Meeting called to order at 6:30 pm by Brian – President.

## **Members Present:**

Brian Callender

Stephanie Belle Coulson

Tatiana Tordoya

**Eric Bondy** 

Marie-Pascale Addison

**Crystal Taylor** 

Erin Koszegi

Hakon Askerhaug

**Marion Crawford** 

**Gavin Hastings** 

Dana Paulino Surry

Review and Adopt Minutes from last week:

First, Crystal Taylor

Second, Marion Crawford

Review and Adopt Agenda Feb 2

First, Dana Paulino Surry

Second, Crystal Taylor

#### 1. Principal's Report – Marie Pascale

In the spirit of reconciliation, I would like to acknowledge that our school is located on the traditional territory of the Nuu-Chah-Nulth Nation.

#### 1) Health and Safety - New Instructions Sent to Families regarding Covid

- Information on What to do when your child is sick
- Communication between families and School is honest and transparent
- School provides disposable 3-ply masks whenever necessary
- Frequent Handwashing to keep everyone safe
- Parents are reminded that Counseling is available for students if your child has a need to talk or has any concerns.
- Rapid Covid Tests for staff delivered today.
- 2) APÉ meetings incentive email sent to parents. It appeared it worked! Thank you for being here!
- 3) HW Club is still happening (Gr 1 to 7) and we have 18 students signed up.
- 4) Basketball practice is canceled due to not being able to replace the coaches.
- 5) Lunch clubs: The challenge is to find volunteer staff to take on the lunch club. I would do it, but I have lunch duty as well! (The students' suggestion was Cooking Class & Mme Annick will offer Research Studies Gr 6-7). We are hoping to hire another staff member for lunch duties after mid-February. This will allow club supervision.

#### 6) Last month's Highlight.

A. Parc Canada online presentations on glaciers and constallation (Unfortunately, content was not presented in an interactive and dynamic way, so the interest was average)

B. Mme Émilie's class which has a daily morning run is challenging itself to a marathon. The class is using the hallway "Temperature Gage" which was used to indicate \$\$\$ Amount accumulated towards the Québec Trip.

#### 7) Events in the next months will include:

11&14	Valentine's Day Activities (Done in each Classroom)
Feb	
17	Mount Washington Ski Trip (Detailed info will follow)
Feb	
18	Provincial Staff Professional Development Day (ÉGC is closed)
Feb	
21	Holiday – Family Day (ÉGC is closed)
Feb	
25	General Assembly (Jan & Feb)
Feb	Pink Shirt Day
2	APÉ Meeting at 6:30pm (https://csf.zoom.us/j/9711342614)
March	
12-27	Spring Break
March	
30	2 <sup>nd</sup> Report Card on MyEdBC
March	

- **8) Dance recital** recording was sent via Google Drive to facilitate access to parents. No feedback from families.
- 9) Hot lunches can definitely start in February at ÉGC (Prepared and served by a Food Safe certified person). 5 volunteers who were contacted today to go over menus. We are proposing a couple of pizza days and alternate with grilled cheese made locally or subway for schools. Hot lunch served once a month for the next five months.

#### 10) Strong Start Program

L'ÉGC will continue to look for a qualified candidate until March 2022. After which, we will try again for the fall.

- 11) Pre-Registration for 22-23 happening next week.
- **12)** Garden clean up (1,364.17\$ left into the account) is postponed until weather permits.
- 13) Karli Gibson's cheese Fundraiser towards Gazebo & Outdoor Class

## 2. <u>Treasurer's Report</u>

Ready by Eric Bondy,

Balance January 2022	\$9,233.21
Coombs Candy Fundraiser	\$1,260.10
Hoodies paid	\$680.00
Hoodies invoice	(\$680.00)
Balance as per bank, Jan 17	\$9,359.31
Balance per books, Jan 17	\$9,359.31

# **Gaming Account (BMO savings)**

Balance January 2022	\$4,398.59
S/C	(2.50)
Picnic tables	-2,876.22
Balance as per bank, Jan 17	\$1,519.87

**Cash on Hand** 

Balance January 2022 \$349.55
Balance per books, Jan 17 \$349.55

# 3. Tabled from previous meetings

- a. Movie night committee On hold due to Covid
  - o Still on hold, doesn't seem to be a good way to do this with covid at the moment
- b. Possible socially distant car wash on hold due to covid, (next Spring)
  - Also on hold
- c. Addition of Benches and covered area to playground waiting arrival of two picnic tables.
- d. Hot Lunches, will be starting the month of February. We have some parents that want to help once a month.

Dates for the hot lunches: February 25, April 1, April 29, May 27, June 24

- e. Fundraising The cheese fundraiser is active for the month of February.
- f. Note on fundraising we always welcome any and all fundraisers. The person who spearheads the fundraiser gets to decide what the funds get allotted to/spent on. Please bring any and all ideas!

Meeting adjourned at 7:20 pm

The next meeting is on March 2 at 6:30 pm on Zoom.

We will have surprises for the parents that will attend this meeting, more details will be posted on our Facebook Page. Stay tuned!

Merci!