

# APE des Grands-cèdres Minutes May 1st, 2019



Members Present:

Lienke Brown			Michelle Gagnon	
Erin Koszegi	Joanne See	Dave Koszegi		
Johan Couttenier	Angela Harvey			
Albert See				

1. Called to order at 6:21. Welcome and adoption of April 3<sup>rd</sup> APE minutes:

Motion that the minutes of the April meeting be adopted as read– M/S/C – Erin Koszegi/Michelle Gagnon All in favour. Carried.

2. Adoption of the April 3, 2019 agenda:  
M/S/C – Erin/Dave. All in favour. Carried.

3. Treasurer’s report – Angela Harvey  
Bank balance as at April 30<sup>th</sup> is \$10,757  
Gaming account \$958.09  
Cash on hand - \$34.55  
2020 Quebec Trip Funds raised to date –\$9,280.20

Motion to adopt the Treasurer’s report as read:  
M/S/C – Michelle/Erin/All in favour.

Applied for gaming grant for 2019/2020 – Will be awarded \$20 per student based on this year’s enrollment.

4. Principal’s report -Johan
  - Jenica McKenzie – community practicum experience student from UBC Okanagan in Kelowna– she has a keen interest in Francophone schools

- Have applicants for teacher positions – will know more soon – there will be four classrooms
  - Playground updates - Habitat is in charge of everything – still no quote - if additional cost we will have to meet and discuss what to do – grant funds might be able to be utilized for this
  - Big area – 77 feet instead of 50 – Johan met with church and they are on-board will the bigger area. If the playground is more than 90K maybe the church would be willing to contribute because it could be accessed by them as well. Dave K will ask Bill from the church if this could be a possibility.
  - Painting on the cement pad is being done – Johan is arranging
5. Grade 7 dinner – Erin will ask Starboard Grill for access time for decorating – Tuesday June 4<sup>th</sup> at 5:00. Specialty diets can order from the menu but the preference is that people will eat at the buffet. Ordering ahead of time would make it easier for the restaurant. No answer regarding the access time for decorating. Madame Arianne would like to help decorate. Johan will go and talk to the manager and will bring back the information.
  6. Sign up for staff (teacher) appreciation luncheon – everyone has signed up for everything – just have two cards that still needs to be done. Jenella will do Monsier William and Madame Chantal. Could use parent volunteer supervisors from 12:00 to 12:45. Date needs to be changed to the 9<sup>th</sup> due to two staff not being available on the 8<sup>th</sup>.
  7. Bus route alternatives when bus is not running – Johan has sent the bus company a message pressuring them to find a replacement driver in case of emergency. Parents can call the school and let them know if their child cannot make it to school without the bus and then Johan can send the other bus.
  8. Garden club update – table until June
  9. Phone books – Michelle has the contact info for the phone book people – table until June

Meeting adjourned at 7:21 pm.

**Next meeting June 5<sup>th</sup> at 6:15pm** at the school.

Action list:

1. Mark on Calendars - movie night date –Friday, May 10<sup>th</sup>.
2. Erin will keep a list for the teacher appreciation lunch – Thursday, May 9<sup>th</sup> –APE does a potluck and brings everything for the staff.
3. Start to map out the fundraising events at the next meeting in June
4. Johan will go and talk to the manager at the Starboard Grill and will bring back the information regarding decorating access times.
5. Jenella See will do Monsier William's and Madame Chantal's teacher appreciation cards.
6. Garden club update tabled until June
7. Phone book fundraiser discussion tabled until June
8. Joanne will send Arianne a message a week before the next meeting to remind parents about the date. Erin will post a reminder on facebook. The meeting minutes from May will be emailed to all parents to let them know about the upcoming fundraising planning at the next meeting.
9. Dave Koszegi will contact Bill from Jericho Church to see if they would be willing to contribute to a playground if it is more than 90K.