

Maillard Middle School PAC Meeting Agenda Tuesday, October 26, 2018, 7:00 pm in Maillard ZOOM

Tuesday, November 23rd, 2019, 7 PM via Zoom

Present:

Minutes taken by: Erica Gjaltema

Introductions/ Welcome – 2 minutes

Tristan McCutcheon, Jennifer Nichols, Will Davis, Erica Gjaltema, Jane Straker Grey, Lauren Rotzien, Patrizia Zanotta

Adoption of September, 2020 Agenda – 2 minutes

Proposed: Lauren

Moved:

Seconded : Patrizia

Propose Agenda :

Moved : Lauren

Seconded : Jane

Principal's Report – 20 minutes (Principal McCutcheon, Vice-Principal Nichols)

Tristan:

It was a really good Remembrance Day with a great virtual assembly by Mr. Mak. It was well timed to have the moment of silence at 11:11.

Parent/Student/Teacher conferences are coming up. They are great way to set goals and to talk about accomplishments.

The office staff did a lip sync to "If I Had a Million Dollar" to raise spirits and keep moods up. Some classes are getting ready to participate with other fun presentations. Jen Nichols has been reading a 'bad dad joke' every morning. The students enjoy rolling their eyes and groaning.

Nothing official is set for an extended break or going remote (phase 3) but we're prepared for whatever happens, we could switch over quickly, as it stands Dec. 18 is the last day of classes. The staff is doing well and working hard, there are very few absences, they are being very professional in difficult times. The caretakers are still very invested in intensive cleaning even with turn over and temp contracts. Two windows that don't open were covered for replacement by the district because it's Covid related. Windows are usually up to the school to cover.

Jen and Tristan are so impressed with how the kids are following the protocols and rules and staying in their areas at breaks. It's great to see teens on the playground playing.

Lauren: so many new rules and the kids are really taking it seriously and taking care of each other, many grades 6 kids are loving the year and it says a lot about how the school is doing.

Jen:

Staff wellness challenge: all staff are invited to participant. They are given one task a day, things like go for a walk at lunch, try something new, drink 8 glasses of water. They are trying to have Covid friendly fun, focus on mental health and set a good example for the kids. There are even prizes involved.

Treasurer's Report:

- Bank fees are \$1.50/month but will be free once we move to Van City
- Library wants a Cricket cutter – about \$450 plus accessories – about \$600 total
- Parent donations now up to \$1900 – up \$500 from October
- We'll make a decision in January on the Munch-a-Lunch money that is being held for this year from last year. We likely won't be able to use it this year.
- See attached budget for more on operating costs

Proposed: Erica

Second: Patrizia

New Business – 12 minutes Other business

- Proposing moving accounts to Van City – we have an account being prepared for us, keep an account with 2 signatures needed with signing authority going to Will Davis, Jane Straker Gray and Erica Gjaltema
 - Proposed: Lauren
 - Seconded: Patrizia

Next meeting: Tuesday January 19

Meeting adjourned at 8:31

Moved: Jane

Seconded: Lauren