

## Dallas Elementary PAC Meeting Minutes

Thursday, November 24th, 2022, 9:00 am, Community Room

In Attendance: Claire Sullivan, Roy Styles, Megan, Jana, Carissa, Jennica.

- 1) Agenda Approved
- 2) Adoption of Sept. 2022 minutes
- 3) Additions to Agenda
- 4) Principals Report - See Attached  
Additional Notes: At January Claire will share a video regarding the districts New Learning Plan. Review school learning goals.  
October and November reports attached.
- 5) Treasurers Report  
  
General Account \$22,872.10  
  
Gaming Account \$9214.50
- 6) Fundraising Reports  
  
Christmas Store December 6th-9th, more info to come. Need Volunteers!  
Purdys to go home Dec. 9th
- 7) Hot Lunch  
  
To continue on Wednesdays.  
Need co-ordinators, Megan D and Jennica H to take over going forward.
- 8) Yearbook  
Any photos sports/fieldtrips etc please send to [dallasschoolyearbook@gmail.com](mailto:dallasschoolyearbook@gmail.com)
- 9) New Business  
Motion for PAC to support purchase of a new Score clock. Approx \$10,000- \$11,000.  
Seconded and passed. Roy to bring final pricing.  
Motion for PAC to support purchase of a new crank for Basketball hoops. Seconded and passed. Roy to bring final pricing.  
Request for PAC to sponsor a family Christmas hamper, motion approved
- 10) Next Meetings  
January Thursday the 19th, 9:00 am, community room  
February Thursday the 16th, 9:00 am, community room  
April Thursday the 20th, 9:00 am  
May Thursday the 18th, 9:00 am

## Principal's Report

PAC Meeting November 24, 2022

Student Leadership (Game Changers) upcoming events

- Game changers were looking to raise funds in support of a charity this year
- Decided to fundraise in support of the lions club to send a child with diverse needs to summer camp (cost is approximately \$3000 to send a child with diverse needs to camp as they often need a support worker with them).
- Game changers are also organizing spirit themed days each Friday from now until Christmas-Claire will get a list of the days and put them in the weekly update for parents

Big purchase items - request for funding support from PAC

- Score clock (aprox 11000)
- Crank for Bball net - Roy getting quote

Hampers

- Request from PAC to support a family in need (as in the past)

School learning Plan

- The district has a developed a new 5 year strategic plan
- Dallas school learning plan is also at the beginning of a new cycle. We are in the process of revising and developing goals which relate to the Districts strategic plan.
- The progress we have made to date will be shared at the January PAC meeting, along with more details on the District's Strategic Plan

### Important Dates

- November 23rd - Hot lunch Hot dogs
- November 24th - November PAC meeting 9-10am in Community Room
- November 29th - **Photo retakes**
- November 30 - Hot lunch Wendys
- November 30th - **Grade 6 Immunizations** - info being sent home this week
- November 30th - Last day to Order Purdys
- December 2 - Ross/Moretti Hike in Barnhartvale 10:30-12:00
- December 5th - **ProD Day** no school for students
- December 7th - Hot Lunch Fresh Slice
- December 7th - Reed/Cartie- skating 10:00-11:40
- December 8th - **K-3 Christmas Concert** afternoon concert from 1:40-2:20, Evening concert from 6:00-6:45pm
- December 9 - Purdy orders pick up
- December 12 - Gr 6/7 swimming- 11:45-1:45
- December 14- Hot lunch senior Froggys Mexican
- December 14 - Brar & Bodger skating 10-11:45
- December 16 - Last day of school before Christmas break
- December 19- January 2 **Schools Closed for Christmas Break**
- **Tuesday January 3rd - Schools re-open**

PAC Meeting October 17, 2022

Welcome Back BBQ

- - Great event from school staff perspective - huge turnout
- - Lots of classroom visits by parents - great way for families to make that first connection from the schools perspective
  - Parent teacher connections -
- - Early closure is October 27th - dismissal at 12:30 that day
  - Buses are running 2 hours early - first buses will leave around 12:45 on October 27th
  - Parents should have received an email in regards to what their child's teacher is planning last week
  - Fall Surveys/Assessments Completed
    - All students in grades 4 to 7 completed the DEWRS survey (1 highlight - 92% of our students reported that they could name 2 or more adults who care about them at school, 1 further exploration needed - 73% of students were interested and motivated - Cdn norm is 65%)
    - Students in grades 4 and 7 are just in the middle of the Foundation Skills Assessment
      - All students in grades 4 to 7 completed the Non-Fiction Reading Assessment
    - Big purchase items - feedback from staff
      - Score clock (Roy has quote)
      - Crank for Bball net - Roy getting quote
      - Classroom outdoor equipment •
  - Upcoming Dates
- - October 17- Salmon Run - Ross/Moretti/Whitelaw/Thompson
  - October 19 - Salmon Run - Ruddick/Brar/Chapman/Bodger
  - **October 21**- ProD Day - no school for students
  - October 26th - Hot Lunch - Hot Dogs
  - October 27<sup>th</sup> - Vision screening grade 3/6 students
  - Oct 27th - early closure Day 12:30 dismissal for Parent teacher connections
  - October 28<sup>th</sup> - Thompson/Whitelaw/ McCarthy - Pumpkin Patch
  - October 31 - Halloween - Dances Primary AM, INtermediate-PM
  - November 10th- Remembrance Day Assembly School 1030am
  - December 5 - ProD Day no school for students
  - Christmas concert - December 8th (afternoon 1:40, evening @ )

Lunch hour club kits (board game kit, building kit, drawing kit, writing kit, walking kit), Scoreclock, ADST Equipment (sewing supplies, hammers, wood burners, kitchen supplies)

- Gymnastics equipment, larger sensory equipment, new display cases for in hallway (replace and add more?)
- • Athletic equipment for outside (pickleball nets? badminton nets?) to diversify games available to play during outside time.

