

Minutes

APÉ École Entre-lacs PAC

Date: May 6 2025 Time: 6:00 pm.

Location: Ecole Entre-lacs

Attendance				
Your PAC		OTHER		
Alex Piggin, (president)	X	Molly Degardin (councillor)	A	Marie Claude
Robert Theroux (Vice president)	X	Karen Kemp (councillor)	X	Catherine Samson
Maya Gautier, (treasurer)	A	Sonia Qobaa (councillor)	X	Ronan
Kamila Zloty (Secretary)	X	Gizette Edis (councillor)	X	
Erica Fletcher (councillor)	A	Olivia Mennell (councillor)	X	

Time	Items for Discussion	Discussion	Person(s)
18h00	1.1 Opening & attendance	The meeting begins at 6 :12PM	Alex
	1.2 Adoption of May agenda	Motion: Rob motions to adopt the May agenda, Seconded by: Olivia	All
	1.3 Adoption of April meeting minutes	Motion: Rob motions to adopt the April meeting minutes, seconded by: Olivia	
Administrations Report			
	2.1 What's happening at school	Administrative update: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The school calendar for the 2025/2026 school year was presented There have been many indigenous education activities School has received the cheque for the kitchen funding grant from PAC Still waiting for the cheque from PAC for fun fest We were invited by SD 67 to the “middle school modified track meet” at Pen high track meet but it is just for grade 6 and 7's this year, Grade 3 class will be going to locolanding on May 29. Donation from greenworks of earth and so the planters outdoors can be filled. Gaga ball court is being worked on. Discussion around how to get parent volunteers to help with extra-curricular activities. 	Marie Claude
Standing Items			
	3.1 President's report	o Nothing outside of items for discuss presented below	Alex
	3.2 Treasurer's report	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bank balances for April: Chequing: \$8,952.16 Savings (gaming): \$3,184.27 Maya has confirmed she will do the gaming grant application (confirmed May 12) 	Maya

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old Business			
	4.1 Hot Dog lunch/ School lunch program	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Last hot dog lunch was April 25th. Current scheduled dates are: May 30th; June 18th (carnival day) Need 3 packs of hot dogs to be picked up from Costco before the next hot dog lunch (Kirkland brand beef) PAC taking over the hot lunch program. No update this month. Olivia to present more information at next meeting. 	Rob/Olivia
	4.2 Fundraisers/sponsorship/Grants	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Grants update: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Artstarts grant application –The website says they are currently pausing this grant. We will look at applying in the fall. To add to Agenda Community foundation grant. Money has been received. Canada post Grant. Response not anticipated until the summer. Parents for French organization- Olivia has reached out by e-mail but has not heard back. Spring fundraisers: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Spring growing smiles. Total cost \$1230.35 for order; We have not received all money from the orders yet. Total funds raised: ~\$270. Discussion around whether the school can grow plants to sell next year. Gift card fundraiser. To add to agenda for next year Purdy's fundraiser. Funds raised was \$8.80. This fundraiser did better in the winter. Not worth pursuing for spring time. Freeze fundraiser: every Friday in June, \$2 freezes to sell at lunch time. We will sell jumbo freezes and cut them in half. We will ask some grade 5/6 students to volunteer to sell them and Sonia will volunteer. Could possibly sell them after terry fox at 2:15 	All
	4.3 Yearbook	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Amy should have the yearbook finished to review next week. Need to send out yearbook order forms. We will try to find the order form from last year. PAC will need to review the final sample prior to sending to printing We will charge \$35 for first book and \$30 for each additional book. Delivery for the week of the June 16th. 	
	4.4 Spring fling	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Held April 11, 2025 (Friday) It was nice to see new families 	All
	4.5 PAC -collection of resources/information	Google Drive- <i>update</i> -is this something we still want to work on. Tabled to end of year.	
	4.6 Carnival	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Carnival June 18th this year Create planning committee: Kamila, Sonia and Olivia (kamila to create a planning chat group) Previous ideas: carnival games, cotton candy machine, popcorn do our own stick on tattoos). 	Kamila

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> school has corn holes, giant jenga. Create list of other games activities. Kids will play games to get tokens and use these to “purchase” prizes like at a real carnival. 	
	4.7 PAC e-mail list	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> This is ongoing going. Olivia heading this. 	Olivia/Alex
	4.8 Teachers appreciation week	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> PAC voted for this to be held the week of June 9-13th. Lunch day will be on the Thursday the 12th. There are 20 teachers in total. PAC voted to continue with the tradition of ordering sandwiches from Il Viccio. Need a volunteer to order, pick up and distribute sandwiches We will do a combo of appetizers, salads and deserts for the other days; will need to create a sign up sheet for this. Kamila to send out e-mail to get volunteers for this. 	
	4.9 Spring movie night	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Table to June meeting, possibly do in the fall. Alex to look at the voucher for the movie screen and see about expiration date Discussion around donating this to the school if it expires before the fall 	
	4.10 End of year beach party	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> June 26th is the last day of school. Olivia volunteers to help organize this. Rob will approach Tickleberries to see if we can get a sponsorship for this. 	
New Business			
	5.1 Townhall for PAC at beginning of next school year	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Discuss idea of a townhall meeting at beginning of school year to present information to all parents. Including PAC, School administration and the bus company. Could increase school fees and then reimburse this cost if parents come to this meeting. PAC voted on date for this event: September 9th. Invite the bus company; Speel, Other? Tag this on to the back to school BBQ 	
	5.2 Increasing visibility of school	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> How to increase visibility of the school next year? Previous ideas presented: be in the Penticton Christmas Parade next year. Kamila to add to the October meeting agenda next year. Advertise at the Penticton farmers market? We have no one to volunteer for this. Add to next years agenda as future possibility. 	
	5.3 Next years PAC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Schedule back to school year planning. To be held in August. Specific date to be voted on at the June meeting. Schedule next years AGM. Tabled to June meeting. 	
	5.4 PAC insurance	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> PAC needs liability insurance to operate. Rob to investigate so we have insurance before the Carnival. 	

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	6.1 Tasks	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> PAC memo to include : teacher appreciation week and carnaval (need volunteers); end of year beach day (right after school; icecream served at 3:30pm; 	All
Close of meeting and confirmation of next meeting date			
	7.1 Ajournement	The meeting adjourns at 8:15 pm. The next meeting will take place on June 5, 2025 at 6pm	
Meeting Schedule (Meetings begin at 6:00pm in school gym)			
June 5 (thurs)			