

Beaconsfield PAC AGENDA

Tuesday December 3, 2024

The purpose of the Council is to support, encourage and improve the quality of education and well being of students at Lord Beaconsfield Elementary School.

The Beaconsfield community humbly acknowledges that the land on which we live and learn is the traditional, unceded territories of the xʷməθkʷəy̓əm (Musqueam), Skwxwú7mesh (Squamish), and Səl'ílwətaʔ/Selilwitulh (Tsleil-Waututh) Nations.

Attendees: Tony R., Tracy C., Kathy T., Aaron N., Rylie G., Melissa B., Farjana A.J., Cristina B., Rose N., Anne C., Jen W., Melanie R.

Minutes by Rylie G.
Start time: 6:36 pm

1. WELCOME AND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

- November Minutes posted online
- Motion to approve November minutes - approved

2. PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE – Mr. Tony Romano

- Student learning update (formerly known as report cards) will be going home on December 16.
- On Friday, November 29, DinoCats performed for our students. DinoCats play songs about community inclusion, social justice, and having fun. Students were invited to sing and dance during this performance.
- The two new trees were planted in an area next to the playground.
- Volleyball - year end tournaments are next week at Windermere secondary school
- Choir - primary and intermediate choir will be performing on Tuesday, December 17th at 4:00 in the gym. Parents are welcome.
- Winter Hip Hop Show - Thursday, Dec. 19 at 1:30pm and at 6:15pm. Information regarding tickets will be sent home with students. PAC will be running a Winter Café.
- Parent inquiry: lost and found items - are collected at the end of lunch time – then brought to the lost and found area and left for 2 months then sent out to good will.
 - Discussed relocating the lost and found downstairs near the back entrance - to be further explored.
- K registration has begun, and will continue until the end of January is ongoing – we are up to 30 students so far
- Special request: HELP NEEDED – updating emergency binders
- Next Choir Term 2: Jan 16-Mar 6 - Thursdays \$96 for 8 weeks + concert
- Teachers are discussing organizing a fundraising Walkathon for the spring
- December Festivities!
 - Classroom Door Decorating – Judging best Holiday Door is on Dec. 13th.
 - Holiday Colouring Contest – Entries due to the 7s Dec 19th. Prizes to be awarded on Dec. 20th.
 - School Singing – each morning Dec. 16-20th.
 - Snack Sale – Tuesday, Dec. 3rd at lunch in room 207.
 - Candy Cane day – Mon. Dec. 16th – dress in red, white and green
 - Holiday Pookies – Tues. Dec. 17th – match up your outfit with your friends
 - Holiday Headwear – Wed. Dec. 18th – wear your most festive hats
 - Dress to Impress – Thurs. Dec. 19th – holiday sweater and bling!
 - A Long Winter's Nap – Fri. Dec. 20th – PJ Day!

4. BUDGET REPORT - Farjana/Anne

- Fundraiser updates:
 - Purdy's totals: **Product Total:** \$2,496.50 **Profit:** \$655.33
 - Spirit Wear - awaiting cheque - inventory expense requested to be deducted from profit. - will update next month
 - Movie Night - Wild Robot - \$1228.30 before expenses
 - Hot Chocolate Friday profit yet to be deposited
- Grants:
 - Jen W applied for Costco grant \$3000 - awaiting approval
 - Rylie G applied for Walmart \$1000 grant - cheque arrived! - goes directly to the school - will cover the tech fund (\$500) and gym equipment (\$500)
- Other grants to be applied for in September next year
 - Tech grant:
<https://www.bestbuy.ca/en-ca/about/school-tech-grants/blt435b1a6205497079>
 - PE equipment grant:
<https://phecanada.ca/community/funding/phe-empowerment-grants>

5. PAC WEBSITE - Cristina

- Cristina purchased the URL - beaconsfieldpac.com - 3 year term
- Hosting also purchased for a 2 year term
- Current expense = \$392.97
- Theme was purchased - cost to be reported
- Cristina started building the site - looks amazing so far!

6. CURRENT & UPCOMING FUNDRAISERS

- **Spirit Wear** - awaiting delivery date (Profit: approx \$975 - \$500 for inventory)
 - sweatpants backordered - will be delivered separate from the main order
- **Movie Night** - Nov 15th Wild Robot - \$1228.30 (this included \$400 in donations)
- **Hot Chocolate Fridays** - next sale Dec 13th
 - smaller cups are requested - consider no toppings
- **Purdy's Holiday Fundraiser** - distribution Wed Dec 4th 3pm (\$655.33 profit)
- **Poinsettias with Growing Smiles** - distribution Dec 9th 3-5pm (roughly \$80) - setup square for in person sales
- **Pizza Day!** December 18th- order forms went home on Dec 2nd - due to be returned Dec 11th. Need extra hands to help distribute.
- **Winter Cafe (see below)**

7. DECEMBER EVENTS

- **Pancake Breakfast** - Thursday, December 12th 8am-9am
 - Aaron, Mike on grill (Tim)
 - Jen's husband bringing grill from his work
 - Mix and syrup leftover from last year - Rylie to pick up additional supplies (need to check stock on plates/napkins/cutlery)
 - Large cast iron grill to borrow?

- Purchase pancake dispenser jug (approx. \$20) - Kathy
- Kathy will put together a “dishwashing/cleaning bin”
- SignUp Genius for volunteers?
- **Winter Cafe (Dec 19th) during Hip Hop Show**
 - Sign-Up Genius for volunteers? - Tracy C.
 - Bottle Pull? - donations yet to be acquired - will need bags - donation request will go out to teachers and families
 - Request for treat donations for Cafe (from parents)
 - Deliver to staff room during afternoon for labelling and pricing
 - Hot Chocolate/Cider/Coffee - Carey will oversee
 - Plates, napkins, cups/lids
 - Craft Donations - Annie, Kathy and Rylie have made items to donate
 - Annie will oversee craft table
 - Apparel table - Cristina and Rylie - need Square
 - Aaron, Rose, Laura, Kathy
 - Ensure two adequate cash floats are available - setup second float
 - Discussed **not** having 50/50 (requires gaming licence) for this event

Meeting adjourned 7:58p