

Peter Ewart Middle School PAC meeting minutes

Date: Friday April 10th, 2026

Total attendance: 9

Chelsea Z, Jory T, Chad, Lisa K, Meg F, Kim O, Paula B, Claudia B, Tina

Voting members: 9

Admin: Stephanie Labby

The meeting was called to order by Chelsea at 9:07pm, noting that we respectfully acknowledge we work and learn on the traditional, ancestral and uncoded territories of the Matsqui, Kwatlen, Katzie and Semiahmoo First Nations. A brief round of introductions was provided.

Motion to accept Agenda: Passed by Chad and Meg

Accept January meeting minutes: Passed by Chad Kim and

Principles Report:

Slam Off Final (For Grade 8s) Our Grade 8 students will be participating in a Slam Poetry unit this coming term. There will be a school wide Slam Off at PEMS on May 5th.

The district final will be at Langley Fine Arts School on Tuesday, May 14th. We will be bringing 2-3 students to the final where they will share their 2–3-minute poem.

Speak Out (For Grades 6 and 7):

Our Grade 6 and 7 students will be participating in a Speak Out unit this coming term.

We are excited to share that our Grade 7 students will be heading to Timberline Ranch in Maple Ridge for an extended day camp experience this spring!

· Group 1: May 4

· Group 2: May 5

Other Important Dates:

· April 29th 1 Hour Early Dismissal (Parent Teacher Interviews)

· April 30th 1 Hour Early Dismissal (Parent Teacher Interviews)

Raven's Classic Track and Field (Whole School)

When: May 6th 8:30-1:30

Where: McLeod Athletic Park

The entire school will be taking part in the track meet. This is the first year that we are introducing this event. Are hope is that this will become an annual event. This is a school event for staff and students only. More details will be sent home.

June 21st is National Indigenous People's Day, we will be celebrating the day on June 19th. We will be taking part in the náca?mat Cup Middle School Finals (Soccer Tournament). This is a soccer final where all middle schools in Langley will participate. The games will take place on the township fields attached to PEMS. The games will take place between 9:00 am and 1:30 pm.

Logistics prior to June 19th PEMS tournament:

To determine teams moving forward to the finals at the náca?mat, we will be asking students to sign up at the office area by grade. Playing will be voluntary for those interested. PEMS will do single game elimination leading up to grade finals (before the cup game on June 19th). We will be conducting games at lunch over a short period of time.

Treasurer Report: Amanda

No Updates as Treasurer no present.

DPAC Report: Kim

Motion to vote on approving the changes to the DPAC constitution, 1st Kim, 2nd Chelsea, All in favour

Grade 6 Rep Update: Meg

Fun Year end activities planned for the end of the year, Grade 6 only Sports Day, Grade 8 leadership team to help

Grade 7 Rep Update: Brenda

Grade 7 Camp, Monday May 4th and Tuesday May 5th. \$118 per child

Grade 8 Rep Update: Trina

Vancouver Bandits game day. Looking for PAC help to design and create a photo back drop for Grad on June 24th

Fundraising Projects:

Mothers Day Hanging Baskets, still waiting on confirmed sales to date

Candy Grams will be done again in June to celebrate the end of the school year

Babysitting course is Schedule for May 15th which is also a Pro D Day. Not sure of the number of registrants as of today.

Spirit Wear has closed and a profit of \$173.00 was made.

Other

Spring Dance will be held on Tuesday May 12th, 2026. Chelsea will book the DJ and Photo booth. There will be no specific theme for this dance other than spring.

Chelsea and Jory have coordinated with Stephane to price out Sports bags for each classroom. 2 basketballs, 1 playground ball, 1 football, 2 volleyballs, 1 soccer ball, 2 skipping ropes = approx \$137.25 without tax per class - based on the prices and relatively cheaper items from sport factor. For 35 Classes

Motion to Spend up to \$5500 on Sports Bags 1st Jory, 2nd Kim, All in Favour.

We will get these orders Asap so the kids can utilize them sooner.

We can run a concession on the school grounds during the Soccer Tournament as the concession at the Event centre was very busy.

Committee's

Need a Grade 8 Committee to help with the Grade 8 year end.

Dance Committee to help coordinate the Dance

2026/2027 Pac Exec Nomination Committee

Adjournment :

Chelsea – 10:16am

Next Meeting:

Next PAC meeting (AGM) Friday, May 22nd at 9:00am in the band room

Minutes Taken by Jory Threinen.