

Parkside General PAC Meeting
Wednesday, October 15th 2025 9:15am

Attendance	Regrets
Katie Vleeming	Tiffany Harrison
Tasha Couture	
Jillian Legault	
Nadine Bergsma	
Kate Scammell	
Sharleen Jones	
Laura Goossens	
Breanne Dry	
April Levine	
Shelby Maclean	
Brianne Henry	
Jennifer Paulis	
Total: 12	Total: 1

Agenda

1. Call to order at 9:22am
2. Attendance taken by Nadine Bergsma
3. Approval of Agenda by Kate Scammell and seconded by Laura Goossens
4. Approval of Minutes from May 20th Executive Meeting by Katie Vleeming and seconded by Kate Scammell
5. Land Acknowledgement –We like to begin our meeting by acknowledging that the land on which we are gathered is on the traditional and unceded territory of the Katzie, Matsqui, and Semiahmoo First Nations.
6. Executive Committee:
 - 6.1 President: Katie Vleeming
 - Hot Lunch ordering has been sent out for the first half of the school year
 - 6.2 Vice President: Tiffany Harrison & Tasha Couture (none)
 - 6.3 Secretary: Nadine Bergsma (none)
 - 6.4 Treasurer: Jillian Legault
 - We have received our Gaming Grant (\$10,000)
 - An email was sent offering us Rec Centre passes to use
 - Volunteer requirements are still a need for those who are looking to volunteer
 - Motion to move our December event (Santa breakfast) from Main into Gaming

- Motion moving the School Spirit line item of \$500 from Main into Gaming
- Motion moving Tables (\$1000) from Main into Gaming
- An idea to set up an ice cream sundae bar for the entire school towards the end of the school year – this is in lieu of classes having ice cream on their waterpark day
- Motion to add a line item for a Sundae Bar (\$750) in Gaming
- Motion to up the Munch a Lunch fees – going from \$350 - \$400
- Outdoor Ed – waiting to see if Ms. Vleeming can get the labour donated and if not, asking the PAC to cover the rest, requested \$1200 but will motion to add the Outdoor Ed (\$1000) as its own line item in Main
- Our Compassion Donations are lower this year – can cover all the kids for the first session, motion to add a line item (\$1000 in Main) for Compassion Donations
- Purdy's fundraiser has been set up and open for ordering, closes on Nov. 24th and will be distributed the first week of December

6.5 Directors:

Sharleen Jones

- Looking into a Grade 5 meeting, will need to purchase a few Popcorn carrying bags as some have gone missing, will work on getting more parents involved with helping on Popcorn Days

Kate Scammell

- Grade 5 Hoodies are on the go and will be sent out this Friday

Laura Goossens

- School Instagram page has been successful with reminders for upcoming events and fundraisers

6.6 DPAC: Breanne Dry

- School District has removed all older iPads from schools – replacing with 6 new iPads
- All schools by Sept. 2026 will be receiving Overdose Kits and AED
- Huge growth in new schools, new seats, new portables and trying to get ahead of all the new students coming in, funding only comes when schools are full, a new school has opened (Josette Dandurand Elementary)
- We are signed up for BCCPAC
- Having the option to add online meetings along with the in-person meetings
- 4 people will be covered to receive their Food Safe

7. New Business

7.1 Welcome back BBQ success – Everything went very smoothly, the tickets pick up went well, financially we did see a bit of a drop, had \$311 for day of sales, made a profit of \$575, high school students were very helpful and are interested in helping with Fun Fair in the spring

7.2 Coupon Book success – Sold 55 books, made a profit of \$387

7.3 New water fountain – Ms. Robertson would like to add another water fountain, District will pay for a portion and the PAC is in support to see how we can help with the rest of fundraising

7.4 Fun Fair – Would like to start booking vendors, looking into more activities and possibly a few sports teams to come out, wrist band cost would go up to accommodate

7.5 Pink Shirt Day – This is a go, will be able to get the shirts for between \$12 - \$14 – possibly less, will need to submit the artwork either end of November or beginning of December

7.6 Movie Night – Nov. 7th is Movie Night, all preorders will be through Munch a Lunch, ordering will go out shortly

7.7 Craft Fair – Will have popcorn and drinks set up on the Saturday, will have the Book Fair also set up during this event, 36 tables have sold so far Friday evening Sip and Shop preview is from 4:30-7pm and will be for all ages, Saturday will be open from 10am-3pm, will have advertising up and running

7.8 Book Fair – Nov. 20th is the drop off date and Dec. 1st is the pick up date, will continue communication with Ms. Taylor regarding info

7.9 Apple Fundraiser – 35 boxes sold, made a profit of \$316

8. Discussion Period (none)

9. Adjournment (Meeting end time): 10:45am

Next Meeting Time: Thursday, Nov 20th @ 7:00pm