



École Chief Dan George
Middle School

Welcome – Cynthia Benedict 7:03 pm

We acknowledge that the Chief Dan George Middle School PAC meeting is taking place on the traditional and unceded territory of the Sema:th First Nation and Mathxwi First Nation. With this, we respect the longstanding relationships that Indigenous Nations have to this land, as they are the original caretakers.

Previous Minutes Approval

Motion: Michelle Moore

Seconded: Miranda Hamilton

Motion approved unanimously

Available for download from our Facebook PAC page.

Principal's Report – Jamie Beck / Suzanne Dallas

- Seeing a big wave in student and staff illnesses (and people out for multiple days)
- Term 2 Report Cards are coming soon
- Extra's coming up:
 - Reptile Guy
 - Talent Show
 - Francofete
 - Grade 5 Transition Visits
- Spring Planning is starting:
 - Enrollment (looking a bit smaller than this year, especially on the French side)
 - Staffing
 - School Plan (new template)
- District Planning Committee Discussion topics this year: AI, Anti-Racism, Careers. Interesting conversation starters with your kids!



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Treasurer's Report – Michelle Moore

- General Account balance - \$10,441.90
- Gaming Account balance - \$11,265.01

DPAC Update – Becky Williams Spruit

- Next meeting is Thursday Feb 27 virtual meeting.
- BCCPAC: Annual Parent Leadership Conference & AGM May 23-25 in Prince George this year, hybrid format, including virtual participation option -More details coming soon

Fundraisers Update - Diandre Langlais

Profits since last meeting:

- India's Most Wanted: \$1,088.33
- Mitchell's Soup: \$298.16
- Krispy Kreme: \$608.55 (on-line and in-person sales)

Upcoming events:

- Zilla's Donuts on March 5. Ordering closes Feb 26 on ML.
- Crazy bread + Booster Juice hot lunch on March 14. Ordering closes Mar 6 on ML.
- Ordering for spring session hot lunch opening week of March 3 (will be announced).
- Spring Paint Night Friday, April 11 – tickets reduced to \$35 from \$40 last event (sales to be announced).
- April 17 babysitting course sold out. Second instructor and additional 30 spots have been added for the same day.

New Business

- 22 tables booked for the spring market so far.
- Next teacher appreciation lunch is scheduled for May 8th.
- Week of June 16 is likely week for grade 8 English day trips; final details tba.



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- Our Evening Custodian, Satvinder Gill, was nominated by our school community and awarded the designation of a “Hero in Education” by Abby News in their annual Heros in Education contest within the Abbotsford school district. Heros in Education recognizes those who “exemplify the spirit of excellence and commitment that defines our district”, celebrating those who go above and beyond in their dedication to their school and students. Satvinder will be featured in an upcoming special edition of the Abby News along with the other 2025 Heros. Congratulations Satvinder!

Any Other Business

- Need volunteers for Reptile Guy on March 13 8am – 2:30pm
- It was remarked that parent-teacher conference spots filled up quickly – parents are encouraged to reach out to teachers if no spots are available to book alternative times.

Adjourned 8:05pm

Next Meetings:

April 22 7pm on Zoom.

Attendance

1. Diandre Langlais
2. Cynthia Benedict
3. Emanuelle Bellavance
4. Naomi Baker
5. Kim Prentice
6. Miranda Hamilton
7. Wai Obert
8. Jamie Beck
9. Michelle Moore
10. Becky Williams