



**McGowan Park PAC**

**January 11, 2021, 7:00pm**

**Via Zoom**

**PAC Executive: Chair:** Jessica Sutherland **Treasurer:** Christina Hamaguchi **Secretary:** Leah Scott

**DPAC Rep:** Sara Ronnenkamp **Teacher Reps:** Bobby Gill and Blake Tate

Attendees:	Leah Scott, Jessica Sutherland, Christina Hamaguchi, Sara Ronnenkamp, Bobby Gill, Blake Tate, Christina Scrivner, Lisa White, Allan Dodd, Wade and Amanda Johnson, Rebecca Warner
Staff:	Jo McKenna

**1. Call to Order**

J. Sutherland called the meeting to order at 7:12 pm.

**2. Approval of Agenda**

MOTION BY C.Hamaguchi/ SECOND B. Gill  
THAT THE AGENDA BE APPROVED AS PRESENTED.  
CARRIED.

**3. Approval of Minutes**

MOTION BY C.Hamaguchi/ SECOND by B. Gill  
THAT THE MINUTES OF THE NOVEMBER 30, 2020 MINUTES BE APPROVED AS CIRCULATED.  
CARRIED.

**4. Chair's Report**

VOTE TO APPROVE \$400.00 DIVIDED BETWEEN PREP TEACHERS FOR EXTRA EXPENSES.  
PASSED UNANIMOUSLY.

Munchalunch program – We have access now. Will work at setting up the program over the next few weeks. Looking for coordinator for the hot lunch program.

**5. Financial Report**

C. Hamaguchi presented a PAC financial report.

General Account Unrestricted Funds – \$10580.00

Gaming Account Unrestricted Funds – \$4824.00

See Report for full details

**MOTION BY C. Hamaguchi / B. Gill**  
**THAT THE FINANCIAL REPORT BE APPROVED AS PRESENTED.**  
**CARRIED.**



## 6. Principal's Report

Vice Principal Mckenna provided a report. She noted the following updates:

- Ipads have arrived – need configuring by IT this week
- School store closes January 14<sup>th</sup>
- Pink Shirt day in February
- Pink Shirt fundraiser for school advisory council happening
- Please send kids in warm weather gear
- Snow piles are out of bounds around the school due to safety concern – please parents keep kids off during pickups and drop offs
- Report cards go home January 28<sup>th</sup>
- Practiced lockdown drill with staff with automated robot voice on Monday. Testing with students on Feb 1<sup>st</sup>
- Foundation Skills Assessment (FSA ) testing delayed until Feb 15<sup>th</sup> – March 12<sup>th</sup>
- Denise Underwood is applying for grant for indoor greenhouse – goal to be sustainable and require no funding required. Requesting PAC be the back up plan if any extra funds may be required as a last resort. In the future in non-covid times there will be more fundraising to cover costs ensuring it's sustainability.

VOTE TO SUPPORT INDOOR GREENHOUSE PROJECT WITH 100.00 IF GRANT IS APPROVED AND EXTRA FUNDING MAY BE NEEDED. PASSED UNANIMOUSLY.

- Big little science center willing to come into school to do site-based teaching. May request funding to help with this. Unsure of final costs and details at this time.
- Miss Charlotte from Fur Trader coming. Need to fund both classes because they have to be separate due to covid which is double what is allotted.

VOTE TO INCREASE BUDGET FOR FUR TRADE FROM 500.00 TO 1000.00. PASSED UNANIMOUSLY

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## 7. Allan Dodd – intermural sports

We currently have approx. 75 active Basketball players at the school.  
– proposing to buy basketballs to support the program and replace old balls. Cost for high quality basketballs, sponsored by Sport Chek - 448.00 for 16 basket balls or 868.00 for 31 basketballs to support the school for PE classes.

Vice-Principal Mckenna in agreement that the school could help with the funding for the balls so the PE classes could also benefit.

VOTE APPROVE FUNDING OF 500.00 FOR BASKETBALLS WITH THE SCHOOL PICKING UP THE REMAINDER OF THE COSTS. PASSED UNANIMOUSLY



**8. Teacher Requests –**

VOTE TO GIVE UKELELE CLUB 500.00 TOWARDS THE RESTRINGING OF UKELELE'S. PASSED UNANIMOUSLY.

**9. Adjourn**

Motion to adjourn by C.HAMAGUCHI at 8:44 pm.

**Next PAC Meeting:** Monday, Feb 01, 2021 @ 7:00PM Via Zoom