

Dufferin PAC Meeting Minutes Jan 11, 2024 6:00pm-7:30pm

In attendance:

- Aaron
- Sarah K.
- Gord
- Zoey
- Jodi
- Steve
- Sami
- Katie
- Ashley
- Kyra
- Jennifer

Regrets:

Meeting called to order

Adoption of agenda/minutes

Gord (Principle)

- Library update: looking at adding speaker system, furniture. coffee shop style. Gord to have Mrs. Gorman submit a request so PAC can have a better idea on costs
- Sports update: 4 basketball teams
 - competitive and rec team
 - close to 70 kids try out
 - 45 kids playing in league basketball
 - Request for PAC support: referee costs \$50/game, 2 refs/game. ~10 games
- Feb 7, 2024 Constable to come in to talk about safety for K-Gr. 3.
- School fees for 2024/2025: Gord is planning ahead and will be asking teachers if there's any extra activities coming up for 2024/2025 which may require additional school fees
- Hunger Drive: Dufferin won by 60lbs
- Blazers visiting Jan 23, 2024
- Cold weather: Kids are allowed in when its deemed too cold.

Sarah (DPAC)

- Parent education night on Jan 24. Zoom meeting. Topic: Substance abuse and mental health

Aaron (President)

- Jan bottle drive: filled up 4 bins. Waiting on the cheque to be sent to PAC
- Possible capital projects:
 - bleachers: Ashley to follow up with Randi about the bleachers
 - Gazebo/outdoor shelter: Has been looked into by past PAC members. Slow process, lots of paperwork

Zoey (Treasurer):

- see attached treasurer report

Other Items discussed:

- **Cricut:** Gord to provide details on cost. Mrs. Gorman to submit a request form
- **PA system:** mixboard, mounts. ~\$6000
 - PAC will be sending out request to all parents for support in fundraising for a PA system
 - Aaron to draft up a letter to send out to parents
 - PAC to cover part of the PA system, but not full amount
- **Outdoor basketball net:**
 - Steve to email Cheryl Pellet and find out about the basketball net
- **School skate sharpening:** Ashley to call and ask if it can be done for free at consignment store or Dolsons.
- **Criminal record check reminder**

Requests PAC voted on:

- Skate sharpening - to cover any costs arise for skate sharpening: Steve put forward, Jodi seconded. Approved unanimously.

Meeting Adjourned at 7:30pm

Next PAC Meeting Thursday Feb 8, 6:00pm-7:30pm