

BS PAC General Meeting Minutes - March 2nd, 2020

Attendance:

Tariza Bastos, Co-Chair

Julia Shen, Treasurer

Karima Lacko, Secretary

Trina Propp, DPAC Rep

Liz Cooper, DPAC Rep

Victoria Lee, Principal

Regrets:

Renata Teague, Chair

Natasha Batiste, Sport Liason

7:04 pm call to order

1. Welcome and Introductions

2. Student Government

- Minjin gave report
- Trivia Night Annual Fundraiser for sponsor student Lucy in Kenya - \$1300 raised
- Upcoming events - Grade 9 Pie Throwing competition
- Town Hall meeting May 28th - 10% of school population randomly selected to attend
- Rebel Fest - after Town Hall, carnival themed games and food trucks will be there
- Anti-bullying "Pink Day" campaign posters were made in Marketing class - "Rise Against Bullying"

3. CLC 11/12 and Career Programs Presentation

➤ Kenneth Kwan, Career Education Program Advisor

- Went over the 30 hour and 90 hour work experience options
- Need CLC 10, 11 and 12 to graduate
- CLC 12 is new this year
- There will be no more Grade 12 Grad interviews - there will be Grad Project Presentations needed to graduate instead
- Grads pick a mentor of their choice in their interested field or topic for presentation
- Can be anyone they know or choose to approach, including family members
- There is an info package they will fill out and present

4. School Report

➤ Victoria Lee, Principal

- Plot project - Standard Based Assessments for Grades 8 and 9 only
- Different kind of report card - no percentage numbers or letters, based on skills and learning standards graded from 1-4
- Standards - Proficiency - Skills
- Skills are very similar in a lot of courses
- More information will be provided for parents about student progress
- Different comments will also be included: specific “can do” and “needs improvement” statements
- The ministry is changing report cards because they will match up better with the changed curriculum

5. Liaison Reports

➤ DPAC, Liz Cooper

- February 18th meeting - all school board trustees were there
- Presentation about Community School Resources - have a lot of programs including Maywood and Byrne Creek
- Schools act like community centers

➤ Athletics Update: Natasha Batiste

Here is a quick update on our Athletics' program for the Winter 2020 season:

- We had 7 basketball teams and our Wrestling Team compete in Varsity BC School Sports season
- 4 Burnaby/New Westminster Championship Basketball Banner Champions
 - Senior Boys
 - Senior Girls
 - Junior Boys
 - Grade 8 Boys
- 2 Fraser North Zone Championship Basketball Champions
 - Senior Boys
 - Grade 8 Boys

- 5 Basketball Teams Qualified for Provincials
 - Senior Boys - Ranked #1 in the Province
 - Senior Girls
 - Junior Boys - Finished in 7th Place
 - Grade 9 Boys
 - Grade 8 Boys
- Hosted Grade 9 Boys BC Provincial Basketball Tournament at Burnaby South
 - 16 Teams from around the Province
 - Made a school-wide event
 - Mr. Pottinger & Burnaby South Catering helped with Banquet Food
 - Mr. Kwan & Interact helped with Banquet Logistics
 - RAC Team hosted games in Gyms
 - Generated \$3,000 for the Basketball program

Spring 2020 Preview:

Working on hosting the following Varsity teams: Badminton, Volleyball (Grade 8 and 9 boys), Tennis, Senior Girls Soccer, Track & Field and Girls Netball

PAC Financial Report:

- Balances: General Account - \$9203
Gaming Account - \$71,257

6. New Business

- Mr. Puni's request for funding was voted on and approved

8:25 pm meeting adjourned