

Lansdowne PAC Meeting Feb. 26, 2020

Meeting called to order at: 7:02pm Acknowledgement of territory, welcome and introductions

Present: Wendy, Stella, Chris, Brad, Craig, Sean Powell, Angela, Jessica, Nikki, Chelsea

Presidents Report:

- Alison Rees booked - Feb. 27, 7pm at Arbutus School (Sidestepping the Power Struggles, teen editions). Invitations (digital) have gone out.
- Ideas for other parent education topics: Island Sexual Health for parents; vaping and/or other substance use awareness

Treasurer's Report:

- *Motion to accept spending as follows : 1) Plaque for Tai - \$600; 2) Island Sexual Health education for Students \$900; 3) Grade 8 year end party \$500 (Chelsea/Nikki). Passed.*

Wendy presented the monthly financial report.

- *Motion to accept treasurers report as is (Chelsea/Craig). Passed.*

Admin Report

- **Lansdowne South:** set-up budget has been submitted to Board; response due by end of March
- **Connectedness Committee:** this group (staff, including CUPE) is working on ideas for First Week of school next year, to keep both campuses connected
- **Me to We:** shared their two main initiatives with the school at the Pink Shirt Assembly today; 1) collecting bottles and cans; 2)and recycling batteries
- Staff have been working to improve **communication of student learning** (report cards)
- **Registrations** for next year: currently at 706 students between the 2 buildings (Artemis will not be used next year); Late French Immersion is currently full
- **Fitness Studio:** full now, but equipment is wearing out; Sean is exploring options for funding the maintenance and repair of the fitness studio. Two ideas so far: a vending machine (to be turned ON after 3:30pm); rental to other groups (ex. Sports teams)

Other Business

- Looking for someone to shadow treasurer for this year, with an eye to taking it over next year. Niki volunteered to learn from Wendy this year – thanks Niki!

Adjourned: approx.. 8:15pm

Next meeting: April 22, 2020, 7pm, in the Lansdowne library

