

PAC MEETING
Minutes
May 2015

Call to order:

Naz Jakir

Approval of Agenda:

Moved: Laura McIntosh

Seconded: E James

Carried

Approval of minutes (amendment):

Gaming fund had a balance of \$2563.81 on April 1, 2015

Motion: to approve amended minutes of the April 2015 meeting

Moved: I McIntosh

Second: Naz Jakir

Carried

Student Government Report:

-10th anniversary plans coming along well

-Bulldog Bash being planned elections for student government will be held week of May 25th

Guest speaker: Karin Hung city of Burnaby planning department. Looking at the future of this community. Now called Southgate.

Co-chair report and correspondence:

\$350.00 has been contributed to the school for the anniversary celebration.

The AGM is next month.

Nominations for executive roles are now being accepted

Treasurer report:

Note: amendment to the Treasurers report of April 2015

Principals report:

-There are a low number of grade eights arriving next year. This demographic seems to be true everywhere in Burnaby. The population dip will be compensated for by an increase in international students

-staffing changes for the 2015/2016 school year are as follows;

-Mr Hodgson, Ms Oatway, Mrs. Hayer will not be returning in September

-The school will be welcoming a new Community Coordinator and a new Languages Department Head.

-Pedestrian safety in the Red Brick construction zone was highlighted. Students are being urged to be careful as sidewalks change from day to day

-New website will be up and running soon

-Next year's calendar will be presented at the June Community Council meeting

-Education funding requests by the teachers will be presented to the council very soon.

Community Coordinator report:

- Bby youth week will be taking place next week
- It is also mental health awareness week
- Thinkwell will take place at Byrne Creek this month.
- A sincere goodbye was expressed by Mrs. Hayer and a thank you was extended by the executive for the valuable work she has done at Byrne Creek.

Old Business:

Tenth Anniversary plans are going well.

New Business:

Community Council elections will take place at the AGM on June 1, 2015

Adjourned: 8:15 pm

Co-Chairs: Naz Jakir/Christine Stover

Treasurer: Petrina Bosiak

Secretary: Ellen James

Next meeting June 1, 2015.