

FRASER RIVER MIDDLE SCHOOL
Parent Advisory Council (PAC) Meeting
Fraser River Middle School

General Meeting – December 3, 2018

AGENDA		Action
1. Call to Order	Territorial Acknowledgement and Welcome <i>New Westminster Schools recognizes and acknowledges the Qayqayt First Nation, as well as all Coast Salish peoples, on whose traditional and unceded territories we live, we learn, we play and we do our work.</i>	7:10
2. Attendance		Claudia, Gina, Allison, Jaime, Krista, Pablo, Mason, Debbie, Jennifer
3. Approve Agenda	Additions/deletions to the agenda	Motion to approve – Jaime Second - Allison
4. Guest Speaker	N/A	
5. Pass previous minutes	November 2018	Allison to approve – Pablo seconded
6. Principal's Report		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Debbie Jones <p>A lot more lates at the school, thinking it maybe the bus schedule. Just a reminder to the parents the bell rings at 8:36 (second bell). 8 am the doors open. The more reports the traffic division get there is more of a chance something will be done about it.</p> <p>FSA booklets were sent home but the results were missing. They will be sent home soon.</p> <p>Report card will be a different look. The format has changed. It is a single term report card. They will be coming out Dec 13. It looks more at competencies – more in line with the new curriculum</p> <p>Christmas hampers – hope to have 6-10. On the newsletter there was a list of specifics. Looking for local support from businesses. Turkeys wanted!!</p> <p>Jen – grade 7 community project. Connected with 3 of the schools. 2 divisions going to tweeds on Thursday. One group went to Calvin – heard it was really good. They will be doing another one in the new</p>

		<p>year. The buddies hopefully will be coming to FRMS. Grade 8 – 3 classes interested, will connect with Jaime for the new year.</p> <p>Grade 6's are playing in the concert tomorrow. Starts 6:30, there is an afternoon one 2:15.</p> <p>Mission statement should be ready for the next meeting, just tweaking a bit.</p> <p>Shelly Mckay – got a job at the school right by her house. New counselor will be starting Monday.</p>
7. Treasurer's Report		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Jaime, cheques for the school \$7500 for fieldtrips. \$200 youth worker supplies
8. NW Youth Services	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Monthly update (unable to attend) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mason <p>Events coming up Youth skate 8:15-9:45 \$1 at Moody Arena Santa and DJ's</p> <p>Youth holiday dinner - Tuesday Dec 11 – grade 8 and up. Talk to staff or youth centre to register. At the youth centre 6-8:30 – Buffet and Santa</p> <p>Dec 15 – Dance \$7 in advance or \$12 at the door. Buy in advance or stand in line for 30 minutes</p> <p>Winter break – only 2 middle school drop-in Dec 28 and Jan 4 12-3 at the youth centre. \$0.50</p>
9. DPAC Report		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Allison <p>Touching base with Brennan re concerns about traffic around the school</p>
10. Fundraising/ Grants	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> T-shirts and other options? Facebook Silent Auction <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Send sponsor letter after break Purdy's update and support 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Jaime – has mock up and we will make a short list at the Jan meeting. Claudia – Jan after the t-shirt piece. Donation letter will go out in Jan – in by March 15, Auction in April. Krista – Purdy's – we made \$801, we have to pick it up. Krista is going to

		<p>arrange to pick it up (maybe Jaime). Regular order will come Dec 14th. Purdy's have raised their minimum purchase to \$1000. Won't be doing it for easter.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Epicure – we made a \$100
11. Community Building	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Events to host parents <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Band concert – cookies and coffee ○ Tree lighting – update ○ Any other events? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Claudia – 6 is when the kids are to be here, coffee and cookies will be served outside the gym.
12. Student Service	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Service project updates? 	<p>Jen – grade 7 community project. Connected with 3 of the schools. 2 divisions going to tweeds on Thursday. One group went to Calvin – heard it was really good. They will be doing another one in the new year. The buddies hopefully will be coming to FRMS. Grade 8 – 3 classes interested, will connect with Jaime for the new year.</p>
13. Teacher Appreciation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Next teacher appreciation • Meal • Treats from parents 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Claudia • December 19th – lunch – Gino's - \$9 per person • Motion forward by Allison, seconded by Pablo seconded. All in favour. Custodian \$20 gift • Motion forward by Krista, seconded by Allison Debbie and Jenn \$50 gift each
14. Miscellaneous	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 	
15. Next Meeting	January 14, 2018 – 7pm	
16. Adjournment		8:44 adjourned