

## Jessie Wowk Parent Advisory Committee Meeting Agenda

Date/time: Feb 24, 2025; 5:30pm

Present:

Regrets:

Meeting location: Jessie Wowk library

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1. Land acknowledgement – Arnold

- *We acknowledge and thank the First Peoples of the **hən̓q̓əm̓i̓n̓əm̓** (hun-ki-meen-um) language group on whose traditional and unceded territories we teach, learn and live.*

2. Review of previous meeting minutes– Michelle

3. Budget update (5 mins) – Crystal

4. Playground (10 mins)– April, Michelle & Arnold

5. Hot lunch program (10 mins) – Mable & Michelle

6. Special events (5 mins) –Michelle

7. Fundraising (5 mins) – Arnold/Michelle

8. Update from Wowk Principal (15 mins) – April

## **Wowk PAC Meeting Minutes Feb 24, 2025**

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Attendance:

April, Arnold, Michelle, Victoria, Joy, Candy

### **1. Land Acknowledgment**

### **2. Review of previous meeting minutes**

### **3. Budget Update**

### **4. Playground Update**

3 Companies to choose from:

- Company Habitat
- Henderson
- PlayPower

- Student Council in charge of getting a sense of what we would like to do
- \$80,000 budget
- not designing the whole playground but pieces through student voice reaching out to business for fundraising, not just our community
- Funding come from businesses instead for donations vs. Parents fundraising

### **5. Hot Lunch**

- new vendor, Japanese food (rice, udon, curry, yakisoba) Ninkazu
- lower chicken teriyaki \$1
- add on items can be available
- alternate vendor on the following week, Chinese food (dumplings, fried rice, popcorn chicken, sweet and sour, honey garlic tofu, stir fry noodle)
- alternate vendor Korean food, lower price under \$7
- recyclable paper bags to reduce garbage/recycling
- aim for menu to be running after Spring Break
- page link on munch a lunch for new food vendor ingredients

Breakfast Club

- bring it back
- work with the district to provide breakfast items (cheese toast, fruit, boiled eggs, egg bites)
- store bought muffins
- month of May possibly
- 2 breakfast clubs before the year ends
- Tuesday or Thursday only

### **6. Special Events**

- Sports Day - June 6th
- Japadog food truck, min order. \$1000 pre orders
- freezies, cookies
- orders on site after pre orders completed

Walk-a-thon (Money raised mainly for the playground)

- end of May 29th or 30th
- PAC donation website setup
- prize draw, ticket for \$10 & \$50 Gift Card
- approach local businesses
- reach out to Cineplex, Save-on, T&T, Sports (BC Lions, White Caps, Canucks)
- \$20, tax receipt
- 30 min walk
- finalize letter for businesses
- contact finances dept. to setup an account for online donations

PAC meetings

- Easter
- April 14th? potential meeting to discuss walk-a-thon & sports day
- May last PAC meeting, AGM

## **7. Fundraising**

return it bottles

restart return-it account

bottle drive for community vs. just the school

Wowk return-it stickers passed out

Movie Nights

- April 11th (Friday) TBC, May 9th TBC
- clean up better
- reminder to parents that if they will be in attendance help is appreciated
- everyone involved to help volunteer
- later showtime is being requested
- hot dog sales
- BBQ TBD

## **8. Update from Wowk Principal**

- Logo redesign (done by end of school year)
- approved first by district to use for spirit wear
- Wowk in Ukrainian means “Wolf”
- Artist Chase Gray worked on Ravens logo
- March 4th to have meeting with students
- Pickleball a success
- Free session for “Reclaiming our students” available for parents
- memory of the last logo, hand out remaining Wowk totes if there are enough

Year end field trip (June 12th TBC, After sports day)

- Would PAC be willing to pay for bus shuttling \$500 there \$ back
- parent volunteers needed
- morning field trip to Tera Nova
- playground, nature walk, guided activities
- focus community building, mindfulness of land

Think about having a budget for next year for bus trips from PAC funding

Have a monthly report on budgets for the year to distribute to parents

Plan ahead for the next year putting funds aside

Meeting Time End: 6:45pm