

Westsyde Secondary PAC  
Meeting Minutes for November 7<sup>th</sup>, 2017

Present – Tom D, Joe S, Gayle K, Cathy C, Tia W, Elaine S, Amanda Y, Kerrie F, Michelle R, Karen C

Start – 6:32 pm

Welcome/Introduction

Approval of Agenda – Kerrie F

Minutes for October meeting approved by Amanda Y

Guest Speaker – School Trustee - Joe S

- Schools – Investment in Our future (We are the forgotten ones)
- We need capital investment
- Parents move into a school community because of what they hear about the school
- MLA's had no idea we were underfunded
- Valleyview Secondary has 8 portables – District wants expansion
- South Kamloops is not getting replaced

Principal 's Report

- Grad Photos were taking place November 7<sup>th</sup>, 2017
- Remembrance Day Assembly – Friday – based on grades, 5 performances
- November 10<sup>th</sup>, 2017 – Term end
- November 13<sup>th</sup>, 2017 – No school\
- November 21<sup>st</sup>, 2017 – Report cards
  - Grades 8-9 – letter grades only
  - Grades 10-12 – Percentage because of transcripts require them
- Syn-er Voice – link – changes to the new curriculum delayed another year
- Old Grad Program – grade 10 -12
- New Grad Program – grade 8-9
- Friday Night Lights
  - Westsyde won
  - Drinking, drugs and alcohol – both adults and children
  - RCMP present and recommended cancelling event
  - 5<sup>th</sup> year holding the event
  - Tom D talked to coaches and recommendations were made to keep it going – possibly holding it during the day, on a Saturday or Sunday afternoon
  - What was happening on the field was awesome but outside of that, was not good

Chair

- Cathy received emails for fund raising ideas – asked if anyone was interested to contact her

Treasurer

- Gaming Account - \$19143.70 less \$2500.00 committed funds - \$16643.70
- General Account - \$1036.97

DPAC

- No new news - cancelled due to weather

- Next meeting at Lloyd George on November 21<sup>st</sup>,2017

#### Funding Requests

- No requests

#### New Business

- No new business

Next Meeting – December 5<sup>th</sup>, 2017 at 6:30pm in the conference room

#### Adjournment

- 7:44 pm