

Ferris Elementary Parents Advisory Council (PAC)
Zoom Meeting
June 7th, 2021 6:00-7:00pm

Attendance: Mr. Campbell, Yuehan Ding, Fritz Ho, Eléna Langlois, Shelley Ren, Vivienne Zhang, Angela Huang, Edward Lee, Joanna Xu, Julia Luo, Jamie Wu, Allen's dad, Rebecca

Host: Mr. Neal Campbell, Fritz Ho, Yuehan Ding

1. Administration

- School is much appreciated of PAC's continue work and contribution in this unusual year: teachers' reimbursement, appreciation lunch, and Maker Space.
- Zoom Career Day was a success with good attendances in all 8 sessions and students who were unable to join could watch recorded videos.
- Playground will be installed when the COVID restrictions are lifted.
- We are all together as a whole community.

Year-end activities:

- Parents will be able to participate online for Gr. 7 farewell and final zoombley.
- Band concerts: Mr. Kruk will record for each cohort.
- Next year, the District will no longer offer transitional learning. District will offer distributed learning instead. Almost all students will be back to Ferris next year.
- We will continue to follow the guidance of Vancouver Coastal Health and will likely be back to normal in September (with some protocols still in place).
- Social emotional learning will continue as a school focus next year
- Mrs. Diane Steele is currently looking after her health and doing well. She will probably be returning in September.
- Playground has been purchased. No date has been booked for community installation yet. School will try to book a date with Habitat in Aug or Sept. 20 parent volunteers will be needed for one full weekend day.
- To build stronger communication with parents, PAC will try to reach out to more parents in future and continue to offer posts/notices/emails in multi languages.
- Fruits & Veggie Day and Hot Lunch will resume next school year. Call for parent volunteers. Health protocols need to be strictly followed during these activities.

2. PAC Financial Report

- 1) Gaming account balance \$1,326.45 (Gaming Grant from government)
- 2) General account balance \$5415.05
- 3) Parents Donation projected balance \$4062.00 (after Teacher's Reimbursements, Grade 7 Yearbook, Playground Cement)

PAC will plan to raise more money next year to purchase special extra educational supplies for Ferris.

3. 2021-2022 PAC executives

Co-Chair: Edward Lee, Fritz Ho

Secretary: Vivienne Zhang

Co-Treasurer: Alla Becker, Angela Huang

Hot Lunch Coordinator: Eléna Langlois

Event Coordinators: Shelly Ren, Light Ma, Stacey Yuan, Yuehan Ding

District PAC Representative: Julia Luo

Past Chair: Rebecca Soronow

- 4. ADJOURNMENT**, first 2021-2022 PAC Zoom meeting will be on a Monday in September at 6:00 pm