

Brantford PAC General Meeting Minutes
Wednesday March 29th, 7:00pm, 2017
Location: Brantford School Library

This meeting was called to order at 7:10 pm by John C

In Attendance:

John Carinha (Chair)
Denise Foxall (DPAC)
Deepi Lally (Fundraising)
Raj Pooni
Barbara Milacek Welters
Madelaine Moreno
Kurt Gurney (Principle)
Ali Hamper (CPF)
Muniz Virani (Vice Chair)
Don Peters
Daniél McDonald (Secretary)

COI/PB Declaration(s)

- John Carinha - hot lunch

Chair's Report- John

- Muniz motioned to approve the past minutes, Denise F
- Teacher's appreciation lunch was well received
- Movie night has been planned with the movie "hop" to be shown with the Easter theme
- ASDT program (wood working program) is planned to run over 3 consecutive Friday's, tentatively

Principles Report- Kurt Gurney

- Staff lunch was very appreciated, special thanks to all volunteers!
- The hip hop dance performance had a great parent turn out
- Salema Noon came to talk with the parent's one evening. The Children had her on another day. Kurt will be adjusting notice for next year to parents who may wish to opt their kids out of session
- 7 kids were selected for publication with words writing competition
- Tennis lessons will proceed over the next 3 weeks
- Class Photos were taken today but due to unexpected weather the panorama shot will be postponed
- Track and Field has begun, grade 4-7 students can participate
- Vaisakhi event (April 13th from 11:30-noon) a Bhangra dance and some Indian treats will be given out to the kids
- A Mural is being made in the front entrance by Mr. Giguere

- White Hatter booked for April 25th, featuring information with internet security and safety
- Buckingham and Moreley will be invited for parent info night with White Hatter
- Blinds for lockdown drill still TBA, cardboard to be put up for the time being

Treasurer's Report- John

- Next Friday they will be posted, delayed because of Spring Break

CPF Report- Ali hamper

- National Film Day coming up, French DVD's for school due to arrive in April
- BC and Yukon group have joined in to participate in program, most of them are Quebec made films
- French books sales rep is going to come to a PAC meeting to give info of program that can benefit the library by adding new books

Multi Cultural Night- Deepi

- Irish, Mexican and Bhangra dances will perform
- Ms Kitts and Minopetra's classes performing
- Flags of different countries will be printed from classes and laminated as place mats during dinner
- Photo booth setup with red carpet and props
- Denise F will be making world maps, famous landmarks and kids rights for décor
- Potluck dinner, everyone is welcome, and please bring your favourite traditional food to share
- Dress in traditional clothing highly encouraged

Funfair Updates

- Meetings will be planned to help coordinate tasks
- Volunteers are very welcomed to help to make this a success
- John has collected donations recently for silent auction
- Theme Baskets will be collected from classes using donations from families of students with class themes

New Business

- Kurt mentioned maybe reaching out about photographers for school pictures
- Lifetouch came today for class pictures and are a little cheaper

Next General Meeting

Thursday April 20th, 2017, 7:00 pm

Adjournment:

7:40 pm