

Qualicum District Parent Advisory Council

Meeting Agenda

Date: Wednesday, February 18, 2026

Time: 6:30-8:00 pm

Zoom Meeting:

- [Zoom Meeting link](#)
- Meeting ID: 830 4722 3729
- Passcode: 448784

Members:

- DPAC Executive Team: Marina (President), Jason (Treasurer), Raani (Secretary), Maleah (Director), Jennah (Director)
- PAC Representatives from
 - Arrowview Elementary School PAC
 - Bowser Elementary School PAC
 - Ecole Oceanside Elementary School PAC
 - Errington Elementary School PAC
 - Nanoose Bay Elementary School PAC
 - Springwood Elementary School PAC
 - Qualicum Beach Elementary School PAC
 - Ballenas Secondary School PAC
 - Kwalikum Secondary School PAC
 - False Bay School PAC
 - Winchelsea PAC for Collaborative Education Alternative Program (CEAP) and Parksville Alternate Secondary School (PASS)
- Parents and caregivers from the Qualicum School District

Guests:

- Trustee Kurland
- Superintendent Dr. Peter Jory
- Mount Arrowsmith Teachers Association (MATA) President Matt Woods
- Canadian Union of Public Employees (CUPE) President Ewen Roycroft
- MABR Executive Director, Ray Woroniak

AGENDA ITEM	DETAILS
1. Call to Order	6:30 - 6:35 <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Meeting called to order by the Chair• Land acknowledgement• Verification of quorum (three voting members) Marina

2.	Introductions	6:35 - 6:38	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introduce ourselves in the chat and our role (ex. PAC rep, parent/caregiver) 	All
3.	Consent Agenda	6:38 - 6:43	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review and approval of the meeting agenda • Approval of January Meeting Minutes 	All
4.	Trustee Update - Barry Kurland	6:43 - 6:53	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open invitation to attend 	Barry
5.	Superintendent Update - Dr. Peter Jory	6:53 - 7:03	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open invitation to attend • Update on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Budget development and opportunities for input ○ IEP Parent/Caregiver Session on February 19 ○ Fieldtrip busing costs ○ Food Program Survey 	Peter
6.	Mount Arrowsmith Teachers Association (MATA) Update	7:03 - 7:08	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open invitation to attend 	Matt
7.	Canadian Union of Public Employees (CUPE) Update	7:08 - 7:13	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open invitation to attend 	Ewen
8.	Chair's Report	7:13 - 7:18	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Media <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Road safety concerns at SES and EOES ○ 'Disappointing': mental health lead remains unstaffed in Qualicum School District • Parent/Caregiver Online Workshop - Inclusive Classroom - What They Are, Why They're Complex, and How Families Can Support Them - Sunday, March 8th - 4:00- 5:30 pm • Lots happening behind the scenes - working on securing speakers, meeting with partner groups, attending COW and district meetings 	Marina

9.	Treasurer's Report	7:18 - 7:23	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Gaming Account Balance as of February 10, 2026: \$2,959.75 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Paid \$787.50 to reserve our March 8 Speaker on Inclusive Classrooms ○ \$459.75 needs to be used by June 30, 2026 (carried over from last year). ○ \$2,500 needs to be used by September 30, 2026. ○ Food Safe Training - Deadline for DPAC funding available to cover food safe training for two PAC representatives at each school is February 28. ● General Account Balance as of February 10, 2026: \$16,398.32 	Jason
10.	Ongoing Business	7:23 - 7:33	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Policy 302 - Community Engagement and Volunteers Feedback <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ This policy is under review. ○ Trustees want to know from PACs: IF there is a requirement for all volunteers to have a CRC would it make it difficult for PACs to run events, activities, and fundraisers? Policy is available HERE (pages 5-10). ● Notetaker Pilot update - we are looking for volunteer notetakers ● District Food Program Working Group update - Please encourage your families to fill out the SURVEY ● District Communications Working Group update ● DPAC Inclusion Working Group - Sign up to join HERE. 	Raani/all
11.	New Business	7:33 - 7:45	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Discuss budget feedback ● Discuss upcoming DPAC elections in May (only one more DPAC meeting before the elections) 	Marina/all Marina/all

12.	MABR Guest Presentation/ Request	7:45- 7:58	• MABR is planning a school food program Ray fundraiser on Sunday, April 12 and is seeking PAC participation	
13.	Next Meeting	7:58 - 7:59	• Wednesday, April 15	Marina
14.	Adjournment	7:59 - 8:00	• Close the meeting	Marina

Future Meeting Topics / Action Items

- Discuss information, resources, training parents/caregivers would like to see offered/supported by DPAC.
- Future Topics for discussion:
 - Accessibility Working Group updates
 - RDN busing

Have a topic you'd like to discuss? Email us at gsd.dpac@gmail.com

Upcoming DPAC Meeting Schedule for 2025/26

Meetings are scheduled for the third Wednesday of each month at 6:30 pm.

- April 15
- May 20