
10/03/20 CEAP PAC Meeting

Attendees 9:15am

Kelsey, Don, Jaime, Lois, Christina, Cheri

Agenda

Approval of Agenda and January Minutes

-Jamie approved and Cheri seconded

Principal's Report

1. Course selection process

- BSS/KSS have been working through the process with students
- BSS/KSS are now building their programs and classes to accommodate student choices
- Don to meet with Lesley about website as there was trouble accessing the internal website from outside the school itself

2. How CEAP fits into the district process

- registrations are being collected , deadline already past for Kindergarten bricks and mortar
- meeting with Gillian Wilson planning for staff requirements and discussing budget process (this may be discussed at DPAC)
- meeting in April to have the budget package put together and making sure teachers are in place

3. Code of conduct

- needs to be done by April 15th
 - Don asked PAC to read over and provide feedback by email dbold@sd69.bc.ca
 - check "hot links" from our homes
 - the cell phone use policy at CEAP is a separate rider that is being tried at the secondary level only (there is a phone for the students to use in the classroom at the front desk)
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-the document is available for anyone to read over on the CEAP website

Treasurer's Report

Gaming account balance= \$5467.29

General account balance= \$432.00

-Just deposited \$141 from the school district for parent education

-Lois/Shannon to sign cheque for VI Compassion Dogs from Xmas shop\$161.50

-since last meeting , paid for:

-Ceap Secondary trip to Mt. Washington

-Deposit for TIDES Jr. Ecovillage

Status-both Elementary and Secondary have approximately \$2000 in their budget left to spend

DPAC

-No minutes received

Old Business

CEAP Camp

-CEAP would provide snacks such as freezies, juice ect. but have families bring their own picnic for main meals

-Jaime to ask Randi to request QF donation of items

-ask for donations of firewood from parents

-toys from the toy cupboard(Kelsey to talk to Dallas)

-2 tent shelters available for the beach if needed

-scavenger hunt on the beach

-bubbles, buckets, shovels

-Lois to look at putting a nature program together

-Kelsey to put up notices in classroom and send an email to CEAP office for secondary students to be notified

-Kelsey to have an email sent to parents asking for interest

New Business

- Funding request for **Sphero**, a programmable ball (\$70) used to teach coding
 - there is a Sphero competition on skills day
 - larger version is called **Sparks** (\$150) and **Beebots** for younger kids
 - 3:30-4:30pm at the Parksville library is a “steam club” where they often use these balls and you can try them
 - Kelly will borrow some Beebots for the kids to try
 - If they are good Dallas and Kelly would like to purchase some for the classroom.
 - Jaime approved this purchase, Lois seconded
- Cheri has stepped down from her position of DPAC representative
 - no one stepped forward to take on that roll
 - anyone is welcome to attend the meetings held on every 3rd Wednesday at QBES
 - we discussed a possible rotation of attendees

Kelly noted that:

- Some of the on-line programs being used are more barriers to parents and students accessing information.
- Parents are expressing concerns about not knowing how their children were doing at school
- Concerns from parents of all 3 high schools. There are many different programs being used by schools or individual teachers that are either unknown or confusing.
- Don agreed and expressed that it is a district wide problem that is being addressed.

May 12th

- next PAC meeting
- AGM

Meeting adjourned at 10:30am