

**David Oppenheimer Elementary School**  
**PAC Meeting Minutes**  
**Date: Thursday February 8th, 2018**

**Attendance:** Persis Hui, Jenn Li, Lisa Lewis, Esther Moreno, Janice Liew, Carolee Macauley, Jessie Wilkes, Michelle Steele, Paula Oberson, Regina Singh  
**Staff:** Rosie Finch

**I. Call meeting to order 7:10pm**

**II. Adopt agenda motioned Regina, seconded by Janice**

**III. Adopt minutes motioned Michelle, seconded by Persis**

**IV. Principals Report – Rosie Finch**

- Met new Superintendent of the board, Suzanne Hoffman.
- Oppenheimer added to list of “full” schools. 15 more Kindergarten registrations than spots available. Will have to be a lottery for spots. Likely no more cross boundaries permitted to be accepted. Possibility of losing sensory room to free up more classroom space.
- Sparetime will be here for spring break and maybe summer, depending on Kingsford Smith upgrades.
- Big thanks to Paula and PAC for the sushi day. There has been much positive feedback from parents and students. Also, thanks to PAC for being flexible with hot lunch on days when there are field trips, etc.

**V. Executive Reports**

- Carolee to add sushi to Munch-A-Lunch,
- Sue heading up clothing drive. Drop off days will be April 9-11, with pick up being on the 11<sup>th</sup>. These are also “Gym Sense” days, so we will have to be flexible about where to put bags of clothing.

**VI. Committee/ Event Reports**

- Grad Report (Jenn)- Ingrid is proposing more bottle drives. There will be a car wash at church at 49<sup>th</sup> and Kerr on May 5<sup>th</sup> (Thanks Regina). Funds are looking good, see budget. Happily working toward the big day of graduation, June 27<sup>th</sup>.
- Hot Lunch- Next popcorn day no cheese available, “cheese kids” will have butter salt instead. Announcement to be made on morning of. Divisions 12 and 13 Subway day moved to February 20<sup>th</sup> due to field trip. Looking for a volunteer to head up Pizza days for next school year.
- Spring Fair- had first meeting. All is going well so far. Discussion around possibility of “Dunk Tank”. Rosie suggests getting requisition forms in soon for equipment needed (cords, tables, etc).

## **VII. New Business**

-Playground (Rosie)- 86% of intermediates in favour of new playground. They will present their ideas at next PAC mtg.

-Water Fountain (Rosie)- \$4614.00, up from budgeted \$4000.00. This includes installation and any/all repair costs incurred by school board. Will be installed over spring break. Motion to go ahead with purchase by Michelle, seconded by Esther. All in favour.

-Grade 6/7 Movie and Dance (Jenn and Regina) to go ahead on either March 2<sup>nd</sup> or 9<sup>th</sup> depending on Oliver and Aaron (Music DJ's). Fingers crossed for 2<sup>nd</sup> as Regina unavailable on 9<sup>th</sup>. Thanks to Esther for connecting with Collingwood Policing for providing movie.

-Other Business- Esther wondering if there are any funds/interest in setting up refreshments for new Kindergarten parents on 'Welcome to Kindergarten' day (Thursday May 17<sup>th</sup>, 10:30-12). Esther will look into how much money would be needed and what drinks/snacks to serve. Please see Esther if you are available to help on that day with recruiting new parents to help out with PAC projects.

## **VIII. Meeting adjourned at 8:03pm**

**VIII. Next meeting Tuesday March 6<sup>th</sup>, 2018 at 7pm**