

Ecole Belgo Elementary
Monthly PAC Meeting Minutes
January 13, 2025
Belgo Library

**“The Belgo Parent Advisory Council acknowledges that this meeting is being held on the
Unceded, Traditional Territory of the Okanagan People.”**

6:34—Call to order

• Approval of minutes November 2024:

A Motion to approve the minutes from November 2024, was moved by Shannon, seconded by Krystal, and **CARRIED** with all in favour.

• Approval of the agenda January 2025:

A Motion to approve the agenda, was moved by Laura B, seconded by Britney, and **CARRIED** with all in favour.

6:40—Reports

Administrator- Mme. Yapps

- School Update and Report:
- Osmo coding kits were purchased with the funds provided by the PAC.
- Approx 40 books were purchased for the reading river with the funds provided by the PAC.
- The Winter Wonderland was well attended by families and was a good learning experience for the student entrepreneurs. The students raised \$1,000 from selling the items that they created. They would like to use the money for an activity for the whole school to enjoy.
- Learning updates went out before the winter break.
- Faculty is focusing on attendance and especially tardiness in the morning. Approx 10% of the students are late every day.
- French immersion Pre-K info session on Zoom scheduled for January 14, 2025.
- Grade 3 -6 clubs start up next week. Along with Big Friendly Groups.
- Basketball and Lacross start in the next few weeks.
- Learning priorities: numeracy and literacy

Vice President – Haley: Absent with Regrets. Nothing new to report.

Social Media- Alisha: Nothing new to report.

Secretary- Laura: Nothing new to report.

President - Brooke

- Krista Lakey's Request: A **MOTION** to contribute \$1,500 from the annual budget designated for an Arts activity, for the partial funding of an interactive drumming

performance, was moved by Brooke, seconded by Shannon, and **CARRIED** with all in favour.

- Large Goal for the School: picnic tables and mural for the outdoor space on the intermediate side.
- Event Calendar for Next year to be reviewed at the next meeting.
- Spring Movie Night March 7 @6:00PM. Movie TBD. Cost \$5/ family

Treasurer - Shannon

- Monthly Report: November and December reconciliation was reviewed.
- \$748.52 was raised from Purdy's fundraiser.
- \$304.20 raised from Bottle Drive
- The projection for the year-end is a potential deficit. Will continue to monitor the fundraising contributions, and will adjust as necessary.

COPAC - Brittany

- Update and Report. Nothing new to report.

Hot Lunch - Krystal & Sophie

- Possible pizza lunch for all the students in the school on May 30.

Fundraising - Anna & Fadwa (Fadwa: absent with regrets):

- Trunk Sale Planning/set date: April 26. Hailey and Brittnay to organize.
- Basil Cooper Photoshoot possibly last week of April or first week of May.
- Pizza Night. Dominos was difficult to work with, so Anna will look into a different local vendor.
- Freezy Fridays: April- June Fridays.

Fun Coordinator - Laura

- FunFair Silent Auction was discussed. More follow up required to finalize the logistics.

NEXT PAC MEETING February 24, 2025. There is no Meeting in March.

Terminate: 8:38PM

Reminders:

1. Anyone who wants to be in the school needs volunteers to have an updated criminal record check. Please see Rhonda if you are interested.