

## **DPAC Monthly Meeting: January 9th, 2024**

**Nicole Woods called the meeting to order at 6:45pm**

In attendance:

Cindy Harte	Jennifer Cox	Stephanie Mills
Nicole Woods	Chris Wright	Sandra Robertson
Felice Griffiths	Dan Perrakis	Laura Mercer
Warren Weicker	Jodi Green	Nic Green
Alanna Kellar	Elanna Wenschlag	Cindy Luchka
Iris Brown		

Staff: Cindy Harte, Jennifer Cox

The meeting was called to order at 6:45pm  
Jennifer Cox did the territory acknowledgement

There was no meeting in December  
Cindy and Nicole approved the minutes from the November meeting

Minutes:

Old Business:

### **Purdy's Chocolates:**

- a. 453.93 was the earnings which was down slightly but makes a bit of money
- b. Will continue with it

### **Growing Smiles Plant Sale:**

- a. Tuesday May 14th is the delivery date. Maybe we will move the date to make it before Mother's Day.
- b. The cut offs for orders will be April 30th. Info will be sent out to families ASAP

### **Parents Night Out in May:**

- a. Fernwood Pub- for \$25 you get for Bingo (all proceeds go to Doncaster). May 16th at 6:30-9:00pm
- b. There are only 60 tickets available
- c. A poster will be sent to parents in the next Dragon's Update.

### **Bingo Night:**

- a. Thanks to Warren Weicker who has taken on the role of putting together this event
- b. Friday April 26th 6pm-8pm in the gym
- c. Bingo cards will be \$2.00 each- purchase as many as you want

- d. Grade 5s will be selling Pizza for \$4.00 slice- cash only
- e. A lot of Donations have come from the community and we expect more to come
- f. Concession will be open and Grade 5s will be selling pizza
- g. Volunteers will be needed to help set up

#### **Outdoor PAC Funded Projects Update:**

- a. **The sandboxes (2 of them) are in and are a huge hit with the students. They are locked after school and open during the day**
- b. **There are a few broken boards and there is a ticket in to have them fixed**
- c. **Basketball hoops have been lowered**

#### **New Business/Upcoming Events**

##### **Family Yard Sale-**

- a. Last Sunday in May - the 26th. We are going to need a parent to spearhead the event
- b. Continue to have the food trucks and the bake sale
- c. The kids zone was a huge hit in the caged basketball area
- d. \$25.00 for one \$40.00 for 2
- e. It will go in the newsletter to see who is interested in taking on the event

##### **Spirit Wear-**

- a. We have voted on the new colours for the school logo
- b. Adam Bartosik designed the new dragon and is currently working on lettering to go with the new dragon
- c. Sona and Adam will work on putting together a website for either bulk or individual ordering
- d. As part of the launch, let's look at having some of the merchandise available for viewing
- e. Jenn brought forth the idea of something as Grade 5 gets "Doncaster forever"
- f. Jodi brought forth the idea of a parent logo ex. Dragon Mom

#### **Election of the 2024/2025 Executive**

- **Fun Lunch Coordinator:** Lindsay Stead did it this year and is hoping that someone will take it on for next year.
- **Parent Ed Coordinator:** Oona Jean is happy to continue with it next year.
- **Social Media:** Alanna Kellar is happy to continue next year
- **Website:** Warren is happy to continue with this role
- **Members at Large:** Nic Green and Laura Mercer for the 2024/2025 school year
- **Secretary:** Stephanie Mills will continue on for the 2024/2025 school year
- **Treasurers:** Dan Perrakis and Iris Brown for the 2024/2025 school year
- **Vice President:** Jodi Green was newly elected

- **President:** Chris Wright was newly elected

Everyone voted in favor of the new PAC executive for next year

Principal/Vice Principals Report

- a. There is an Art Starts performance at the school on Monday April 22nd at 9am: The Big Wail
- b. We are on track for 19 divisions next year. Possibility of having to add a 20th division that would take over the music room
- c. Track meet May 30th: Grades 3 -5
- d. Spring Concert is on April 17th

Meeting was adjourned at 8:39 pm.

***Next PAC Meeting: Tues. May 7th at 6:45pm in the library***