Barrowtown Elementary PAC Meeting June 7, 2022 at 3:30 pm On the Playground

Present: Chair – Melissa Wiebe; Treasurer – Angie Quebec; Secretary - Kayla Wiens; Principal – Michelle Basran; Rachel Slomp

Principal's Report: Michelle Basran

Preschool at Barrowtown

This is still in process, and the posting is open until June 16. Families were sent a questionnaire asking what sort of preschool, before and after school support may be needed by our community. Please fill out the questionnaire to help move this project forward.

Pizza Party Success!

Thank you for students, teachers, families and volunteers for making our pizza night a huge success! We got to get to know more of our community, and the kids got to play outside. It was a really great evening together.

School Plan

Staff are working on a school plan for next year. It will be completed in June, and a draft of that will be available soon.

Fraser Valley Trout Hatchery Field Trip

This was such an awesome field trip for everyone who got to join. The kids loved learning about BC fish, learning to cast, and actually going fishing with their own rod and reel. Catching fish was a huge Barrowtown highlight for this year! The kids are already asking to go back!

Greenhouse and Gardening

Staff and PAC have been working with local nurseries to learn what and how to best utilize and grow plants in our greenhouse. The goal is to make the plant program a seasonal and self-sustaining program by selling the produce throughout the year. Everyone is enjoying gardening together, and we look forward to what we will get to work on again in the fall!

Grade 5 Grad Party and Luncheon – June 27 for 7 students
Cultus Lake Waterslides, and likely the Grade 5 Luncheon will be that day at the park

Grade 5 Graduation Ceremony and Last Day of School BBQ for students – June 29

Treasurer's Report: Angie Quebec

Chequing – \$1757.69 Savings – \$4,829.77 Gaming – \$1001.47 *Cheques to be Written:*

- 1. Staff Appreciation Lunch June 9
- 2. Bridal Falls Waterpark Field Trip out of Gaming

Incoming Money:

1. \$920 from Plant Sale

2022-2023 Gaming Grant Application due by June 30 – Angie will complete this

President's Report: Melissa Wiebe

Plant Sale – The plant sale was a HUGE SUCCESS, raising \$920! This certainly paid for the Grade 5 Grad Field Trip to Cultus Lake Waterslides, their luncheon, and we put the rest in the bank for future school needs. We are already making plans on how to improve this for next year, because we definitely want to do that again. Thank you, Grade 5 students, Melissa and Rachel for knocking that out of the park!

Sports Day – June 17

PAC will organize and help run field events. COME VOLUNTEER AND CHEER ON THE KIDS! We need a bale of hay, and we will order pizza for the kids. Pizza will likely be from Dancin' Pizza as the owner, Paul, is so friendly to work with.

New Business

Barrowtown Shirt Fundraiser

Rachel has gotten a few quotes from local t-shirt companies to prepare for a Barrowtown Shirt Fundraiser for next year. Joel Slomp has made a digital logo for PAC that only says "Barrowtown" with a mountain landscape so that we can also make this a community fundraiser. We will probably purchase a few shirts ahead of time as examples before we do the fundraiser.

Meeting Adjourned at 4:35 pm

Next Meeting – TBA in September

Upcoming Events

June 15 – Bridal Falls Waterslides

June 17 – Sports Day

June 29 – Grade 5 Grad Ceremony, BBQ for Students, and Last Day of School for Students

June 30 – Last Day of School for Teachers