

## RF Morrison PAC Meeting Minutes

Tuesday May 3, 2022

**Present:** Paulette Monita (PM), Liz Pimentel (LP), Judy Cymbalisky (JC)

**Staff:** Andrew Volk (AV), Oksana Kosteckyj (OK)

Welcome and Introductions

Bank Balance: As of May 2

- a. PAC account \$2,053.30
- b. Playground account: \$3697.15

### **Principal/Teacher Report**

PAC Principal's Report

Current Enrollment: 270

o Eng: 161

o Ukr: 109

• Staffing Update

o Carol Anandranistakis' retirement date is May 27th. Welcoming Liudmyla Nizovets as our new Admin

Assistant, starting May 9th for training. Liudmyla has a rich background in admin and finance, is

fluent in Ukrainian and a parent of 2 RFM students.

o Hannya Klimenko retires June 30th, 2022 John Keam June 30th

o Michael Ilyniak is on a leave. Diana Borys is in until May 9th, Zoya Kostetsky is a new Graduate taking over next week.

o Sam Evans and Brittany Lasko are both officially on Mat Leave. Bernadine Thompson and Jessica

Grant are filling the LST roles.

o Sarissa Lloyd is a new graduate stepping into Jessica Grant's role in Room 15

• School planning is underway for 2022-2023. Multi-age classrooms and staffing update will be shared via

newsletter soon to provide "next year at a glance" to parent community.

• Various field trips are resuming – MPUE/EUBP grade level trips, outdoor ed days, year end trips, etc.

• Divisional Grad Pow Wow – May 26th  
, 3-5:30pm @ Maples

• Arts in the Park – June 1-3 @ Maples

• Training and PD:

- o April 22nd: Blanket Exercise (Indigenous Perspectives) and Quamajug/INUA Tour at WAG
- o May 27th – Teacher-led PD day
- o June 13th – Report Writing/School Planning Day

### **MPUE report**

Children from Ukraine enrolling in the EUBP - 20 so far across the Province at April 30th.

MPUE has a sign up for #Backpack4Hope on our website. for children fleeing war in Ukraine age 2 to17. Make sure Parent contact forms go home with new families

MPUE will be hiring up to 3 summer students.

We will be doing the grad parade again this year. Request will come out for participation and names for grade 6's certificates in English and Ukrainian

Grade 6 camp at Camp Manitou - May 25 - 4 pm to May 26th - 4 pm

Grade 4/5 Leo Mol Gardens and Indigenous program at the Zoo. May 30th.

MPUE participates in Dauphin Ukrainian Festival and Folklorama.

Newcomer program to offer chrombooks to 8 students

### **PAC Update**

- Grade 5 grad and school end community bbq. Date plan for June 23 rain date June 28. LP to send donation letters to Superstore and Wholesale Club. PM would look into entertainment. AW to see if BBQ from Seven Division works due to issue last time with burner
- Hot Lunch Boston Pizza order due May 25th to be held June 10th

- Lord's Prayer request was accepted by the school board
- Feeze Friday sale to start May 13 \$1 each
- Tenderloin update made \$2211 for playground fund
- Retirement gifts

-Hannya Klimenko

-John Keam

-Paulette Montia

Motion from LP and second by OK to get gifts for members. Max \$80 for Ms. Klimenko and Mr. Keam

After the meeting on May 4th Rm 12 sent a request to PAC for funding. The students from room 12 requested money to purchase garbage grabbers to help us clean up the neighborhood. LP motion to accept Rm 12 request and PM second the motion. Cost is approximately \$66

## **Round Table**

**PM noted that from the perspective of percentage of time that students spend daily with access to Ukrainian language learning it is beneficial for grade 6 students to continue at RF Morrison rather than move to HC Avery where Ukrainian language learning is reduced to a single class.**

Future Meeting dates: Would be planned next school year