

PAC Meeting Minutes

Monday, November 21st 2022 -Meeting took place in the Learning Commons room

Attendees

Donna Thomas, Linda Pollastretti, Lorie Jensen, Linda Grange, Carla Welsh, Wendy Nelson, Manju Sharma

Meeting called to order at 7:03 pm by Donna Thomas

Adoption of previous meeting minutes

- Proposed by Donna Thomas
- Seconded by Linda Grange

Principal's report given by Linda Pollastretti

1. Updates: a. From Staff: thank you for the High Street Gift Card – very much appreciated
b. Volleyball and Football have wrapped up
c. Basketball up and running full force – except for Sr. Boys Basketball all coaches are from the community (lots of former Mouat students)
d. Reminder of Affordability Fund for families needing some financial support. Email Linda Pollastretti
2. School Activities: a. Spirit Week and Multicultural Week all wrapped up
b. Intramurals are in action
c. Lots of Christmas activities planned, stay tuned
3. Discussions: - Do your children use the MySchool Day App (it costs about \$2200 a year to run)? The PAC will put a survey up on facebook to see if students are using the APP for just the block schedule or using the agenda/ planner.
-Parents can check their students progress through the My Gradebook site using the student's login.
-Deeper learning weeks are held at the end of the 1st semester. It is a chance for students to show their understanding of the entire course. Each class will apply this in different ways. No final exams will be held in these weeks.

Treasurer Report by Linda Grange

Main account \$5,051.33 (available to spend)

Gaming account \$28,087.53

Our banking with TD has changed and we have been getting charged fees on our account. Donna Thomas made a motion to have the PAC Gaming & General bank accounts with all the funds moved to a different bank/ credit union which does not charge monthly fees.

Carla Welsh Moved this motion, Seconded by Manju Sharma, all in favor none opposed.

DPAC/BCCPAC Report by Donna Thomas

- Mouat PAC has signed up for a BCCPAC membership. The cost of that was covered by the DPAC.
- Our District is looking for crossing guards. Contact the school board office if you or someone you know would be interested.
- Next DPAC meeting is this Thursday. Let Josephine know if you have any questions. She'd be happy to ask them for us.

Other Business

- The PAC received a thank you card from the science & math department. They appreciated the gift cards they received.
- The Bingo Association has its AGM next Saturday. Lorie Jensen will be attending on behalf of our school.
- Staff Appreciation – will be coffee & treats on Wednesday Feb. 15th after early dismissal (11/11:40am)
- **Current Fundraisers:** - **Green Bins:** the clothing donation bin found in our parking lot. We can accept soft items (clothes, shoes, purses, stuffed animals, linens etc.) everything has to be in good clean condition.
 - Return-It Express:** Label # 956-682-8722 (WJMOUATPAC)
labels available in the school office
 - Cobs Bread:** Mention your child attends Mouat

Meeting adjourned @ 7:45pm

Next meeting is January 16th @ 7pm * Over Zoom**