

Members Present:

Chairperson: Dee Sugden	Members at Large
Secretary: Jen March	Arlene Harkins
Treasurer: Steve Galbraith	Linda Seeman
Principal: Murray McRae	Linda Seeman
	Tracey Lawrence
	Mandy Miller

Fundraising:

Dee has received some fundraising pamphlets. The PAC is not sure if these fundraising avenues would be suitable for Glacier View students.

Murray suggested holding a gala or dinner as a fundraiser for the school. Local businesses could donate food and/or prizes. PAC will continue to explore future ideas for fundraising opportunities.

Treasurer’s report:

There is \$200 left in the non-gaming account. Steve put in the paper work for the gaming account in April. We expect to receive to around \$2000 this year.

Principal’s Report:

PAC will continue to run the 3rd Wednesday of each month.

We had a 2 week delay to the start of classes for students. One week was spent conducting intake meeting with students and caregivers while another week was spent visioning and planning with teachers, EAs and our school counsellors.

During this period we came up with a purpose statement defining who we are and what we do. Murray has asked the print shop to come up with some posters so that the statement can be displayed in the school. We also discussed the new 5 day week and elective possibilities. Teachers are looking at developing the following courses: Textiles 12, Childcare and Development 12, Fitness and Conditioning, and Tourism 12.

Prior to intake meetings, Murray talked with staff about how these meetings are conducted. Kelsey explained her counselling role and how school-based team works. The staff worked on creating a common attendance sheet that will be used by all teachers. The code of respect was also discussed. Support staff roles were reviewed.

Murray has made some progress on developing a Culinary arts 12 program in conjunction with NIDES as there is a NIDES foods teacher in the building. Talks are in the way between Murray and NIDES administrators to have a foods program running that would include both NIDES and Glacier View students. Murray will have a meeting on Friday to develop this idea further.

There are 3 senior alternate programs running this year and the teachers are Jen March, Laura Veary and Jenny Riske.

Stephen runs the Bridgeway behaviour program in the morning and the junior alternate program in the afternoon.

We will look at getting some Glacier View clothing again the year.

Clubs at Glacier View:

Spirit Club, Girls group, Guys group, GSA, Social craft club, breakfast program.

Wellness Centre:

The wellness centre is up and running again and the schedule is a lot more robust than last year. There has been an increasing number of students coming in from different schools.

Debbie Wright, a chiropractor in town contacted Murray and has offered to fill out a grant on Murray's behalf in order to pay for an administrative assistant in the Wellness Centre.

We will be starting a youth support wellness series that will run out of the Wellness centre. It is a series of 5 professional development opportunities. There are currently 13 people signed up to attend this series. The series will focus on the following: Anxiety, Substance use: Fentanyl, Gender Identity Issues, Depression, PTSD: Trauma Informed Practice.

Other info:

Orange shirt day: September 28th

NIDES will have their students present at Glacier View every Monday.

Adjournment: 8:05pm