

Parent Advisory Council (PAC) Monthly Meeting All Parents with Children in Begbie View are members and encouraged to attend any/all PAC meetings 2018/2019- SD19-Revelstoke-Begbie View Elementary (BVE)

Agenda
BVE PAC Meeting #7
March 4 2019 @ 6:00 PM in the BVE Library

1. Meeting called to order: 6:04 pm
2. Attendees: Rows, Mr. Hicks; Pam, Liz, Allyn, Helen
3. Babysitters: none

Agenda Items:

1. President: Intro & Bylaws (5 Minutes)

Policy Reviews are underway at SD19

<https://www.sd19.bc.ca/board-policies/>

Please provide feedback on or before April 25th, 2019.

2. Old Business: (30 Minutes)

- Lunch time at BVE: BVE asking for Lunch time activities suggestions from PAC.
 - *Outdoor classroom will offer a gazebo style area*
 - *Rocks from BVE Playground – there is an idea to move the big rocks to create an outdoor play area*
- Request to purchase BBQ for the school – this will introduce safety issue storing propane – Mr. Hicks to confirm if there is a safe storage solution
 - *A propane tank would have to be stored outside as per Mr. Hicks.*
 - *Temporarily it would have to be stored offsite*
- **Review of Chequing accounts (3) – PAC Treasurer**
 - *No changes since last month*
 - *Blender was purchased under budget at \$84.99*
 - *We need ideas to spend gaming funds by Sept 2019 (must spend before Sept 2019)*

3. New Business

- MOMO Safety Alert (**Reactive** safety alert)
 - *Do you really know what your kids are doing online?*
- PAC's support for 'Wait until 8' (**Proactive** Safety recommended to parents and supported by BVE PAC).
 - *US Based – requires signing up. Not really fully having a clear grasp of the group it's pushing through.*
 - *ScreenSmart group – PAC to reach out to them.*
- **Parking Lot** Safety - issues continue – please do not part in front of **fire hydrants** – PAC has suggested directly to the Fire Department: Put an orange pilon in front of the fire hydrant so

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nobody can park there. PAC please confirm with BVE whom enforces this (*who is accountable for the fire-safety of BVE*).

- BVE enforces –report to the office.
- School Food Cupboard (*Allyn*)
 - *BVE has on average 2-3 kids a day seeking food at lunch. The food is sourced from the breakfast club. Mr. Hicks will talk to staff and Educational Assistants to track demand for food.*
- BVE PAC Facebook Page (*Allyn*)
 - Allyn offered to be admin of the Facebook page to communicate things like early dismissal, etc.
 - Allyn to be added as Admin.

DPAC:

Add to agenda for April 2019 “Communicating student learning survey” – Mr Hicks to present results to BVE PAC

DPAC (District Parent Advisory Council)	Revelstoke Board of Trustees	School Board Meetings
<p>Surplus School updates:</p> <p><i>Mount Begbie site sold for full appraised value of \$1,465,000</i></p> <p>Disposition of Lots @ Big Eddy Elementary School Feb 2019.</p>		<p>Policy Reviews are underway at SD19</p> <p>SD19 Meeting was Wednesday, February 27th, 2019 at 5:00</p> <p>Dates Set for: Each school’s annual report to the Board. The format will be the same as in previous years. There will be a tour of the school at 4:30 pm with the board meeting to follow at 5:00 pm in the school’s library. Everyone is welcome to attend. The dates are:</p> <p>April 17th, 2019 – Columbia Park Elementary School May 8th, 2019 – Begbie View Elementary School May 29th, 2019 – Revelstoke Secondary School June 19th, 2019 – Arrow Heights Elementary School</p>

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4. Staff Report (Time as needed)

Will reach out to other teachers for suggestions on Lunch Time activities. PAC would use gaming funds. (Related to #2 old business)

5. Principal comments

- *BVE has spoken to childcare area of BVE. They will be taking over school district space in the early-wing area where the after-school care room is. They will require this space back next year, they expect about 2 kindergartens and a K-1 classroom next year.*
- *Cornerstone preschool moving back to Farwell in 2019-2010. Strongstart room will be used for after school care.*
- *Assembly - Inclusive school – what is bullying, difference in social skills, spoke about bullying.*
- *Kids liked the Valentine's day dance*

6. Update from Yearbook Committee - Pauline still wants to help with yearbook.

7. Next meeting date: **April 8 2019**

8. Adjournment: **7:39 PM**

Sincerely,

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Also see: The PAC bulletin board located in BVE School

