

PAC May 4, 2026

1. Present: Kara B, Melissa, Tara, Kara Z, Cathy Ann, Janel, Stan, Maria

Meeting started at 6:59 pm

- Amendments to agenda - none
- Approval of agenda- 2 people, Tara and Kara Z

2. Adoption of previous minutes (April)- Tara (1st) and Janel (2nd)

3. Executive report

- Principal report- Cathy Ann

Principal's Report

346 Students

Construction Update – Rooms 30 and 31 have moved to room 26. They will finish the year in that space.

Field Trips - Track and field is underway. Grade 5/6s are headed to Sage Creek Musical, 1-4s are headed to Folk Dance in the Park, Kindergarten and Student in our IP program are off to the Children's museum, Grade 3/4s Beresford are headed to St. Vital Park for Learning off the Land and all 3/4s are headed to the Manitoba Museum – **All in the month of May** Grade 7/8s just attended Hadestown at WPC.

Frozen The Musical – May 13th and 14th Matinees and the 14th in the evening.

Farewell – June 25th, 2025. Ceremony in the morning, lunch and celebration in the afternoon. Currently exploring smaller venue availability and cost. Activities discussed include bowling, dance, trampoline park and St. Vital Park

Cultural Month (June) – Is being planned. Looking for families to share their cultures and experiences in workshop format. Look for email this week. Hoping to create an opportunity for students to showcase their learning and cultures in a possible community event. More information to come.

At this moment our **class configuration** for the 2026-27 school year is as follows:

- 1- Kinder
- 2 – Grade 1/2
- 1 - Gade 2/3
- 3 – Grade 3/4
- 4 – Grade 5/6
- 4 – Grade 7/8

- Treasurer report

1. For the Annual General Meeting (AGM), the annual report that is provided to the Parent Advisory Council in a meeting prior to the AGM is what is shared in the meeting. The report for the AGM is the previous year.
2. There is \$4,259.12 in bank account with some classroom expenses still outstanding. Cathy Ann will confirm with Kristen. Kristen will provide a report for the expenses so Stan can write a cheque to the school.
3. PAC is receiving \$230 to \$250 per fun lunch profits and the accounting side of Healthy Hunger is working well. Melissa to give Stan the bank statement and cheque for healthy hunger on Wednesday (mailbox).
4. Melissa gave the cheque to Maria for balloons and there will be \$1,500 for the school (classroom expenses), \$500 (musical) and \$500 (grade 8 farewell). On Tap is the fundraiser for grade 8 farewell but PAC will cover the difference.
5. Kara B put forward motion to provide up to \$100 for teacher appreciation week for Friday, May 22. This will include meat/cheese tray and ice cream sandwiches. Kara Z seconded it and all were in favour.

- Communications/Outreach- Maria

1. For teacher appreciation week, Tara will drop off drinks on Tuesday, May 19 and Melissa will have teacher appreciation week added to the Rock Report.
2. Vanessa (Pedal contact) reached out to Maria for providing bike safety training. Discussed options of a booth on Bike Week Winnipeg (June 7-13) or Bike to Work Day (June 9) or timed with other bike events. Maria will connect with Vanessa.
3. Cathy Ann to provide Maria with Frozen poster to post.

- Fundraising: open position

1. Plants will be available for pickup on May 7 at 3 pm. Plants will be delivered at 1 pm. Grade 7/8 will help sort plants. Tara and Kara B will be there for plant drop off and Janel will come to relieve them at 2:30. If it is good weather, use tennis courts (same as last year) as it is easier for plant drop off and pick up.
2. Discuss funding opportunities for next year, including funding bus trips for each class.
3. Continue to brainstorm fundraising opportunities

- Fun Lunch Program: updates from Jen (Jen absent)

May 8/22 IHOP/On Tap – On Tap is fundraiser for grade 8 farewell

June 5 McDonalds

June 26 – Pita Pit

1. Serving fun lunches has been going okay. There is usually only 1 delivery so grade 7/8 food will sit for 1 hour but there are lots of choices. If short for volunteers, advise Laura and she will get student to help.

-Outdoor Enhancement- the envelope has started this school year

- School board- none

4. Other business / Questions

1. Cathy Ann to check with K – 4 teachers if there is anything planned that PAC could support with additional funds.

2. Add to June 1 agenda to talk about potential Sept 29 meeting and an additional PAC meeting in Sept.

3. Cathy Ann to give Stan's info to Mr. Wood to discuss arm wrestling club / teaching.

5. Adjournment Time: 7:56 pm

Upcoming PAC Dates - June 1