



**OYAMA TRADITIONAL SCHOOL
PARENT ADVISORY COUNCIL (PAC)**
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PAC MEETING MINUTES: February 8, 2023

Attendance: Robbie Franklin, Rebecca Leboe, Victoria Thew, Shannon Cameron, Melanie Anaka, Dan Hart, Corie Robson (in person); Michelle Woodsworth (via Zoom). Guest: LifeTouch Photography Rep (Julie)

Meeting Start: 6:39pm

Welcome, Introductions & Land Acknowledgement: Robbie Franklin

Acceptance of Agenda:

First: Shannon Cameron

Second: Victoria Thew

Acceptance of Minutes:

First:

Second:

LifeTouch Discussion: Discussion on parent/caregiver feedback from survey Robbie sent out. LifeTouch is mid-point price range. *LifeTouch Rewards* = free digital download. Will provide a digital file explaining process. Possibility of comp package for lower-income families. Discussion on yearbook logistics.

Motion: Continue with LifeTouch for 2023/2024 school year

Unanimous First: Corie Robson

Second: Melanie Anaka

Reports from Executive Officers:

PAC President's Report (Rebecca Leboe):

MakeitSow seeds fundraiser made \$2,126 - PAC return was \$786. Order should come in next week. Grad hoodies have been delivered below budget. Request for caregiver involvement with next year's hoodies came up empty, though a local company offered to cover the cost for this year. Pink shirt day orders close next week - \$20 per shirt.

PAC Treasurer's Report (Michelle Woodsworth):

- Current balance \$37,125.81 up from previous balance.
- Hot Lunch cycle 3: \$539.31 - expenses = \$4,732.98 raised.
- PAC Gaming account \$4,711.87.

Principle's Report (Robbie Franklin):

- Discussion around calendar events
 - Track & Field date: May 16th at Apple Bowl
 - Gardom Lake: May 17th-19th
 - Harmony Day: February 15th
- MDI Mental Health & Wellness survey & Student Learning survey data will be shared when available.
- Registration data coming in - Kindergarten numbers 25 in-catchment so far. May need to add another portable/teacher (room on-site for portable). Currently 169 students, next year projected to be 181.



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- District mission is Caring Communities - currently finding ways to bring community together.
- Westbank First Nation artist Coralee Miller has drafted imagery around the four houses (sun/yellow, land/green, water/blue, heart/red). Spurred additional conversations around what “traditional” means to us as a school.
- School sporting equipment currently low. Sport Factor has package for \$415. Gaming grant could be used for this.

Unanimous Motion: Use Gaming Grant funds to purchase 2 kits at \$830.
First: Victoria Thew
Second: Corie Robson

Standing Committee Reports

COPAC Update (Victoria Thew): None.

Hot Lunch (Heidi Starr): None.

Fundraising: Bottle drive coming up April 1st. *Action - Shan to update Christy for calendar.* Krispy Kreme fundraiser - hope to launch March 6th.

Reminder of Ongoing Fundraisers:

Save-On Foods: Purchase gift card & use for groceries. 3% back to PAC

Nature's Fare: Bring in receipts to Christy & PAC gets portion of total

Oliver's Labels: Use OTS Code & portion of purchase goes back to PAC

New Business:

- Sport Factor discussion dealt with above. Next month Mrs. Allen to join for library book discussion.

Meeting Adjourned: 8:08pm. Next meeting March 8 @ 6:30pm in OTS Library