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| **O**pening |

Mindy welcomed attendees to the meeting and acknowledged the W̱SÁNEĆ people upon whose traditional territory the meeting was taking place.

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| **Attendance** |

**PAC Executive**

Mindy Panesar – Vice-Chair Kate Guthrie – Fundraising

Caroline Upton - Communications

**School Administration**

Rae Dennett - Principal

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| **Agenda/Minutes** |

Please visit the PAC Page for monthly agendas and minutes. The [April agenda](https://bayside.sd63.bc.ca/mod/folder/view.php?id=361) included PAC Committees updates. The [March minutes](https://bayside.sd63.bc.ca/mod/folder/view.php?id=361) were approved.

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| **Chair Update** |

AGM has been rescheduled to **May 15th, 2024 at 6:15pm**. Chairs will be reviewing the Constitution for updates. The constitution is on the PAC Website, Mindy requested members review what their roles include and provide any feedback.

Executive roles up for nomination – Chair, Treasurer and COPACS Rep.

Other roles available – Communications. Every PAC position may be shared.

AGM invites will be sent to all schools of incoming students and shared at the virtual grade 5 parent night.

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| **Principal Update** |

Great first day back at school and start of Term 3! Full efforts are made to ensure each student gets each FAAS course, there are contractual limits on the number of students in Tech Ed and Home Ec class.

Rugby, Cross Country, Canoe Club, Lacrosse, Field Hockey & Track and Field and Gardening Club will be starting soon.

Kim Graves has returned to her role of Vice-Principal after Spring Break.

Skills Canada event went really well. 5 students will be going to Provincials in Abbotsford.

Leadership Club – Beeswax Wraps and plant fundraiser is currently underway.

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| **Treasurer Report** |

Balance of General Operations account: $6,652.61

Balance of Gaming account: $17,788.03

Bayside Families CO-OP Membership Number – 74721 - all Bayside families can use this number to support the PAC.

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| **General PAC Business** |

The Family Games Night is planned for May 24, 2024. Planning has begun. Administration will arrange for tables to be used at the event.

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| **COPACS** |

The **COPACS AGM and regular April meeting has been rescheduled to April 11th** to allow as many people as possible to attend the the SD63 community budget consultation meeting on Thurs. April 18th

Events coming up:

* April 9 - 7:15-8:45 pm Mental Health & Technology, particularly concerns around addiction, social media with practical advice with Future Ready Minds
* April 15th - (COPACS specific) - Advocacy 101 presentation with Susan Wilson - introductory seminar to familiarize parents with processes and how parents can advocate for their kids. Virtual, time to be confirmed.
* May 3rd - (BCCPAC hosted) - an in-person parent/caregiver advocate training will be held at this year's BCCPAC Parent Education Conference in Richmond. COPACS subsidizes two reps to attend the AGM and Parent Conference. If you or any other parent/caregiver from your school are interested, please let us know by March 7th so we can vote on our delegates at the meeting. Your PAC could also fund representatives, which some schools do in our district.
* May 14th - (COPACS specific) Advocacy Level 1 presentation with Susan Wilson - seminar to train parents who wish to become parent advocates and support others. Virtual, time to be confirmed.

Visit the COPACS [website](https://copacs.sd63.bc.ca/) to learn more about what they do and sign up for COPACs posts and announcements to stay in the loop.

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| **Fundraising** |

* Possible 50/50 draw at next year’s Welcome event
* Possibility of lunch time freezie sales to be brought up with Leadership Club coordinator.

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| **Meeting Adjourned @ 6:36pm** |

The next meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, May 1st from 6:15pm to 7:30pm.

Our AGM is scheduled for May 15th from 6:15 to 7:30pm.