

Ecole Regent Park – Virtual Parent Advisory Council Meeting Minutes

November 19, 2024

Attendance:

Lisa Kocis- Chair

Lucia Grande – Principal

Paula Vosper- Secretary

Deanna Pockett – Vice Principal

Paul Vosper- Treasurer

Barbara Donaldson – Vice Chair/ Social Media
Coordinator

Tracey Ginter – Volunteer Coordinator

Patricia Pare

Carlynn Bryga- Fundraising Coordinator

1. **Call to order** by Lisa Kocis at 6:31 p.m.

2. **Approval of Agenda**

Motion –Barb

Seconded – Paul

3. **Review and adoption of minutes –**

Motion to adopt minutes –Barb

Seconded by –Paul

4. **Chair Report –Lisa**

Welcome

Regrets as will not be at the December PAC Meeting.

5. **Vice Chair Report- Barb**

No Report

6. Principal Report - Lucia Grande

Close to one month before winter break! Where has the time flown? Great things are happening at ERP daily.

School enrollment – 645 students

Highlights at ERP

- Clubs and Activities have started. These are all initiated by staff during their lunch hour. We strive towards creating some form of normalcy and engagement for our students over the lunch hour.
- Grade 5 students- Peacemaker training starting next week.
- Report cards are being emailed this first term on Nov. 21st. Please check your junk mail- from an address called NO_REPLY.
- Grade 6-8 Winter concert on Dec. 2nd at ERP. 6:00 p.m. for grade 6, 7:00 p.m. for grade 7 & 8. There will also be a bake sale and a silver collection.
- Spirit Week for the school between Dec. 16 to Dec. 20th. Details will be provided in the Family Memo. Early Dismissal on Dec. 20th.
- We have Storyteller- Brad Woods coming to our school on Dec. 6th to share the art of ORAL STORYTELLING to our grade 8 students.
- Grade 6 volleyball mini tournament at ERP on Dec. 6th in the p.m.
- Grade 3 students are going to the Aviation Museum on Dec. 5th
- Mom's Pantry fundraiser has begun for grade 7-8 students (overnight trips).

Dates to remember:

- Holiday Break (Dec. 20th to Jan. 5th) School resumes on Thursday, Jan. 6th, day 5.
- Grade 2 & 3 Winter concert on Wednesday, Jan. 15th at 6:00 p.m.
- Grade 4 & 5 Winter concert on Thursday, Jan. 16th at 6:00 p.m.
- No school on January 17th and January 31st.

Requests:

\$200. For a coffee carafe- to use during any ERP community event.

Question: Will there be Parent/ Teacher meetings after report cards are emailed. No, Parents are encouraged to call the school at any time to speak with the teachers.

7. Vice Principal Report- Deanna

Patrols are operating and running.

SRO Cst Orlando will be presenting to Grade 5&6 students about online safety.

Sources of Strength has also been rolled out.

8. Fundraising report- Carlynn

No report

Lotteries email to Carlynn regarding financial reports currently suspended from getting a license. – Carlynn to pass info to Lucia

Have not heard from Peak of the Market whether they have delivered the donations to Agape Table.

Suggestions:

Krispy Kreme donuts

Little Ceasars Pizza Kits – Barb to send Carlynn phone number


Next fundraiser in the New Year.

9. Volunteer coordinators report- Tracey

No report

Lucia to provide details on March Expo book fair for volunteer opportunities.

10. Treasurer’s report- Paul



		2024/25 School year					
	June	July	August	September	October	November	December
Projected Budget	Nil						
Estimated Project Costs	Nil						
Projects	Nil						
	Summer break						
Opening Balance	\$ 3,137.15	\$ 2,265.19	\$ 2,265.19	\$ 2,265.19	\$ 2,265.19	\$ 2,127.79	
Closing Balance	\$ 2,265.19	\$ 2,265.19	\$ 2,265.19	\$ 2,265.19	\$ 2,127.79	\$ 2,127.79	
Income	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$965.00	\$0.00	
Expenses	(\$871.96)	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	(\$1,102.40)	\$0.00	

11. Old Business:

None

12. New Business:

- \$200. For a coffee carafe- to use during any ERP community event.

Approval of purchase. Funding not to exceed \$200 with tax.

Motion: Lisa

2nd – Paul

- Discussed PAC helping at the Band Concerts (6 & 7pm) table.
- Christmas treat for Staff(45-48 members) –dates were discussed for December

Lisa to get quote on 5 doz Oh Doughnuts & Hot Chocolate Bar.

13. Motion to accept all Reports

Motion by: Paul

Seconded by: Paula

14. Meeting Adjourned: 7:10 p.m.

15. Next Meeting: January 21, 2025

No meeting was held December2024 as per board decision