



Inman Elementary School Parents' Advisory Council
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Date: April 16, 2025
Time: 7:00PM to 8:30PM

Minutes

1. Approval of Agenda
Moved/Seconded, Approved
2. Round Table Introductions
 - President: Vanja N
 - Vice-President: Celina W late
 - Treasurer: Frank regrets
 - Secretary: Reiko T
 - CPF Rep: Anthe H late & Jeanne M late
 - DPAC Rep: Habeeb S
 - Newsletter/Communications Rep: Jeanne M late
 - Hot Lunch & Milk Coordinator: Elaine & Kris
 - Members-at-Large: Jassy, Katie
 - Inman Principal: Dave Maclean
 - Head Teacher: Griselda Pastora-Gomez
 - Non-executive parents in attendance: Judy, Spela, Janice, Jason, Mohammad

Regrets: Amastasia D, Emergency Preparedness Rep

3. Questions from attending parents

Jeanne asked a question about the new attendance system. An email came mistakenly to tell her that her child was absent, when he was at school. Mr. Maclean said if this happens in future, contact the school office.

4. Principal's Report/Head Teacher's Report
Received for information.

Mr. Maclean shared that class organization for next year has begun, with enrollment slower than previous years, this could impact number of divisions. (Fewer incoming English kindergarten students.)

Field trip season – please check child's planner to keep track.

Question from faculty: timeline for turnaround when submitting consumables and field trip reimbursement. Frank (Treasurer) responded that he is on top of reimbursement requests now.

Grade 7 articulation has started for Moscrop Secondary. If attending an out of catchment high school, families should reach out to that school directly to join their articulation process.

It is music festival season, so the choir, dance team, and band are all preparing and performing. Festival of Bands will be at Nelson Elementary this year. Moscrop students work with the dance team, they are going to Burnaby Mountain secondary to perform.

Track and field season – track meets are smaller, and district track day is coming up. Inman is lucky to have lots of coaches.



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Musical rehearsals and prep underway.
Aiming to install pass-through curtain at back of stage for next year.
Merchandise for the school musical will be available for purchase.

Readers have been purchased.
Sarah Wong learning/helping teacher, has helped with purchasing decisions for English and French readers.
Ms. Pastora took a thorough inventory of existing stock as well.

Families have been very generous with donating extra funds for field trips/lunches for students who need a subsidy.

5. President's Report
Received for information.

Vanja thanked parents for supporting all the fundraisers.
Prepping for teacher appreciation week.
Prepping for kindergarten orientation.
Easter pizza lunch tomorrow.

6. Canadian Parents for French (CPF) Updates <http://cpfburnaby.ca/>
Received for information.

Jeanne shared that spaces are still available in CPF Burnaby summer daycamp.

7. DPAC Updates <http://www.burnabydpac.com/>
Received for information.

Habeeb shared that Burnaby School District 41 faces a \$4.2 million deficit at present.
Budget consultation with stakeholders is in process.
Public budget meeting is April 29.

8. Emergency Preparedness Updates

N/A

9. Events & Fundraising Activities Updates

N/A

10. Financial Updates
Received for information.

Frank indicated that financial statements will be presented at AGM.

11. Old Business

N/A



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12. New Business

N/A

13. Adjournment

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Next meeting date TBD