**Minutes**

**Brooks PAC**

**February 9, 2021**

**Attendance:** Bill Rounis, Kate Boyd, Jaclyn Miller, Jody Dendewicz, Clay Brander, Brendan Behan, Michelle Kirk, Andrew Shostak, Natalie Kreter

Call to order: 7:01

**Minutes:**

**Agenda:**

* Additions or changes? - none

**Treasurer’s Report**

$17,932 – Gaming

$15,777.84 General – no change

**Old Business**: None

**New Business:**

-Application by Graham Cocksedge – $1200 for 20 students to be served over 2 days for Level 1 Trail Building, to build in lot 450, they will then work with students in CMA and Explore. Mark Wood is the trainer who is coming from out of town, April 28th and 29th, for students connected with outdoor club, good community connection,

**Motion: If this is an “above and beyond” that is not able to be supported by the school, PAC will support it. - Passed**

Suggestion for coaches to look into jersey/shorts needs. Andrew will research costs for next meeting.

**Principal’s Report**

Brooks is purchasing more bench seating for outside and inside; Grad this year will involve cap and gowns, Brooks has ordered C&G for every student, Grad Photos happen on April 12 – 15 with the C&G; unlike last year, grad will happen over 1 day, Saturday will be the dry grad event; COVID - Bonnie Henry’s updated Safety Protocols did not result in too many changes, students now keeping masks on until sitting in desks, Choir will be using sound fields, PE outside as much as possible; Planning for next year has begun and a survey will be sent out to parents, students and staff on approx. Feb 23rd with a week for responding and a recommendation will be presented to PAC meeting on April; 13th; discussion on “electives” or curriculum for gr 8, 9 that is missing now; Literacy assessments are complete for grade 8s and now doing numeracy assessments, will be doing the same for grade 9s as well; New staff member James Mack to teach Life Skills classes; Film School and CMA has started; Continuing Ed has moved rooms in OVEC; NIC is now affiliated with Brooks thanks to Tanya Larkin; Valentines Day activities happen on Thursday, with drink deliveries and students wearing pink.

Meeting adjourned 8:01

***Next Meeting: April***