

**MOUNT BAKER PARENT ADVISORY COUNCIL
MEETING
TUESDAY, DECEMBER 12, 2006**

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Meeting commenced at 7:05 pm.

There were 9 people present.

Amendment of November minutes: Omission: It is anticipated that Rod Osioy will be requesting funds

At the next allocation meeting in February.

Adoption of minutes Kelle Maag, 2nd by Sue Brown.

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT: Darrell Goss

-Key City Theatre and Mount Baker School have hopefully come to an agreement on the charge for the use

of the theatre.

-Grads have narrowed the theme down to 2 or 3, will vote on next year.

-Staffing: 4 could possibly be off full time next semester, still not sure as to how many will be off.

-4 Volleyball Teams made it to the Provincials, well done.

-Sign is up on side of school, looks great.

-Old sign, can it be sold, can the sports teams use it at the end by the gym?

SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT:

-Windows in the library, students and teachers are still not happy with the 'fix'.

-Where would Cranbrook sit on the list for a new school in the province?

-Pop and sugar drink prices will increase and water and juice prices will decrease.

-Bear Paw prints on lockers, paw prints will actually look like a bear that is walking.

-Painting bathrooms do a theme for each bathroom.

TREASURER'S REPORT: Audrey Stetski (Bingo Account)

-Bingo application is sent in once every 3 years.

-We received a 3 year certificate (good until 2009).

-Deposit every month of approximately \$1711.00.

-Gaming Account Summary Report (GASR) to be completed by November 30th every year.

-A suggestion was made that the Bingo Report be done before the end of the school in June so it is easier for a new Treasurer coming into this position in September.

DPAC: N/A

-One note: the College's Dental Program is having a clinic in April with reduced prices on dental work. This would be especially helpful for kids who's parents can't afford the cost of going to the dentist on a regular basis.

CORRESPONDENCE:

-Flyer on fundraising: band, choir or sports teams?

-Teacher Newspaper (monthly).

-Superintendent Bulletin: District Accountability Contract 2006-2007.

-September 2008 new Sparwood Secondary School to open.

OTHER BUSINESS:

-December 15 Salvation Army Kettles to be manned by Mount Baker Staff and Grads (5 kettles).

-Common timetable District Wide: virtual classrooms, and all students to have equal opportunities. All high schools to go to 4 subjects a day. Will not work at Baker as some classes will not run due to short classes ie: foods and construction classes.

-Chris Olsen to prepare summary letter for next meeting on the Common timetable and how it will affect Mount Baker.

Next Meeting Tuesday Jan 9th, 2007

Minutes by Shelley Semeniuk