

École secondaire Kelvin High School

PAC Minutes for January 19, 2023

In Person PAC Meeting

Thursday, January 19, 2023

Attended by: Miles Barber, Tim Cox, Kelly Sutyla.

PAC ITEMS

Teacher Appreciation

- Miles & Melanie in talks with the cafeteria to hopefully partner for this event
- Provide snacks, coffee, etc for teachers

One Time Donation

- Timing not right, will defer until next September
- Normally used for initiatives that benefit students and administration
- Ideas can come from parents, administration

Executive (chair) and Divisional (south district) roles needed

- Deferred until next meeting

South End Advisory Meeting

- Was held December 1st at Kelvin
- Around 25 people in attendance
- Met the new school trustee Katherine Heppner

French Immersion Advisory Meeting

- Held Dec 8th at WSD Annex
- Attended by Desneige M. and Melanie C.

ADMINISTRATIVE REPORT

Newsletter

- Posted on the website
- School back at it after Covid - very busy with activities such as; Reach for the Top, Youth Parliament, sports, etc.

End of Semester 1 - Start of Semester 2

- Final exams for 11&12 - prepping for university, 9&10 - in classroom for exposure to this type of testing that was missed during Covid
- Learning Hub after school in the library running until the end of June. Help available in both French and English.
- First ½ day of Semester 2 for exam feedback as well as student feedback about semester 1 to teachers

Registration

- Course selection for next year this February
- Open House - targets grade 8 families but all are welcome
- Normally require 2 English credits in grade 12 - looking to change the second credit to English Academic Writing with a view of a post secondary path - some options - Humanities, Trades and Sciences

WSD Budget

- Province to announce end January early February.
- Division needs to have theirs out mid March

New Trustee

- Kathy Heppner will attend the next meeting, scheduled for March 16th
- This meeting could possibly be held virtually