

Members Present:

Chairperson: Dee Sugden	Members at Large
Secretary: Jen March	
Treasurer: Steve Galbraith	
Principal: Murray McRae	

Treasurer’s report:

Steve reported a balance of \$500 in the non-gaming account and a balance of \$50 in the gaming account. The grant monies that were not secured earlier in the year are now scheduled to arrive in January.

Principal’s Report:

The holiday luncheon was a success with staff and students enjoying a homemade meal of turkey, gravy, stuffing, potatoes, veggies, buns and dessert. Some former staff members returned to attend lunch and many students were pleased to see them again. Performances at the luncheon included Libby reciting poetry, Paul doing magic tricks, and Elijah presenting his own rap poetry. There was a very nice energy in the school during this event.

McRae buck update: A draw was held during the holiday luncheon with one lucky student winning a brand new skateboard. Students earned “McRae bucks” by doing good deeds in the school. McRae bucks were earned by students who helped out in the classroom, cleaned up garbage, stacked chairs, helped another students or completed a course.

The release of the new grades 10-12 curriculum will be delayed by another year and will be officially ‘live’ for the 2018/19 school year.

Students returned to class on January 4th from the Winter break.

An earthquake and fire drill were held on December 8th.

Photo retakes took place November 29th.

Parent-teacher interviews took place on November 24th.

More KEY students continue to move into the Senior alternate program. There will be 4 more students from KEY moving up to Senior alternate this month.

Wellness Centre:

The soft opening of the wellness centre was held on November 30th. Classes took turns meeting VIHA staff and checking out the facility. Students enjoyed pizza, soup and chocolate milk. Students took part in a scavenger hunt with the opportunity to win prizes.

Adjournment: 7:35pm