



**Peace River High School Council Minutes**  
**February 24, 2021 at 7:00 pm**

Attendees: Mark Owens, Angela Bentt, Angela Leadlay, James Pobuda, Katrina Randall – Martin, Lori Knoblauch, Beckie Rudneski, Richard Walisser, Susan Rumleski.

- 1.0 Welcome and introductions:
- 2.0 Review and approval of previous minutes and Agenda: Angela Leadley & Angela Bentt Approved Minutes and agenda.
- 3.0 Principal's Report - Mark Owens
  - Update on the start from Semester 2
    - Staffing change. Mrs. Campbell finished Semester 1 contract. Mr. Bauman is back for his last semester before retiring.
    - All course underway and running.
  - Home Learning
    - About 25 students in full time home learning
    - Many students use the home learning if not able to make it to school
      - This has been difficult as teachers do not know how many students will be in their classes each day.
      - Communication has been that some days students don't feel like coming to school and so they sign in online.
      - Teachers have found it difficult to have the dual roles in classes. Feel like they can't fully teach either side.
      - Some courses cannot be offered through Home Learning (IA shop, PE, Drama, CALM)
  - Exams and final marks for Semester 1
    - Students all wrote final exams
    - As a division, if the mark on the final exam dropped the students grade lower, then it was exempted from the final mark.
    - This only made a 2-5% difference for almost all students (very effective and consistent assessment by teachers throughout the semester)
    - We should know about Semester 2 final exams soon (divisional decision)
  - Extra- curricular updates (basketball)
    - Restrictions lifted
      - 10 person maximum (including coach)
      - 3 m distance in between each athlete
      - Coach wears a mask
      - Mostly skills (shooting and dribbling)
      - Starting with once per week for Jr/Sr both boys and girls
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#### 4.0 Teacher's Report- Lori Knoblauch

- Inclusive Education Coach. Leanne Lutz and I (Lori Knoblauch) both have this role at Peace High.
- Support and programming for students with exceptional needs (mild to moderate learning disabilities and students with complex needs).
- Support in implementing recommendations from service providers (OT/PT/Speech and Language/Psych) - typically in the classroom.
- Oversee and support in the creation of programming documents (Individual Program Plans, Behaviour Support Plans, and Medical Support Plans)
- Support all students in their learning and with the use of accommodations
- Support teachers in implementing differentiated instruction in an inclusive classroom.
- Accommodations are universal in that any student can access test accommodations such as MP3. To use accommodations on provincial testing, students must have a history of use throughout the course in that semester but do not need an IPP or Ed Psych testing to access such accommodations.
- Parents/students can talk to their teachers if they would like to access accommodations and/or extra support. Can also talk to either Leanne Lutz or myself.

#### 5.0 **Old Business**

- Casino Update (bumped from Feb 15-16)
  - No updates yet
  - Once given a date this will be advertised for positions through Social Media and emails

#### 6.0 **New Business**

- Beckie asked about the ski trip: Mark indicated that is not possible yet.

#### 7.0 LOL/Interact Report

- No Interact at this time
- Groups of student leaders working with Tianna. Mark mentioned that they are starting Tiana in the community. Katrina asked if the mentor buddy program was a no go. Mark indicated that Springfield did decline at this time. There is some mentoring with TA on line.
- Random Acts of Kindness
  - Possible Community Helpers Program Training
  - Small amount of mentors with TA Norris and working digitally

#### 9.0 Trustee Report- Richard Walisser

- Not allot to report – no meeting since the last update. Did have a joint meeting with the different municipalities. Talked about disinfections

protocols and health concerns as well as access to social workers, improving rural internet for this region. Discussion on bringing students into the meeting to learn more about the role of municipalities and how things work. Update on the transportation garage at the Central Office – first piece of steel went up last week. Plan to have staff moved in by the end of February. Completion date is the end of August. Katrina: Has there been any feedback from the mental health surveys yet? Richard: 90% completion rate and they are compiling the data now and will present the results and the next meeting. Katrina asked who created the survey? Richard: A public school board consultant created the questions. Katrina: One concern is at the end of the kid's survey if they wanted to reach out but the biggest concern was the breach of confidentiality. Richard: I have not seen any results yet.

Beckie: Reminder of the school council AGM if anyone is interested. Richard indicated that the council of school councils is scheduled for the April 28<sup>th</sup>. Richard indicated that the wrap around services came from a student suggestion.

- 10.0 Date of next meeting- April 21, 2021 at 7:00 pm.
- 11.0 Meeting adjourned virtually via google meet at 8:03 pm.

**PRHS Parents Association - 8:01 meeting called to order**

Attendees: Mark Owens, James Pobuda, Katrina Randall – Martin, Lori Knoblauch, Beckie Rudneski, Susan Rumleski.

Mark shared the Treasures’ Report for Jan 2021 to the group and Susan indicated we are waiting to hear about a rescheduled Casino date.

Peace River High School Parents Association  
Treasurers’ Report  
February 17, 2021

	Bank Balance as of December 31, 2020	<b>\$ 6010.40</b>
INCOME		<b>\$ 0.00</b>
TOTAL	Closing Balance on January 31, 2021	<b>\$ 6010.40</b>
DISBURSMENTS		\$ 0.00
TOTAL		\$ 0.00
ASSETS		\$ 0.00
TOTAL		\$ 0.00
LIABILITIES		\$ 0.00
TOTAL		\$ 0.00

Susan Rumleski

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NAME

Secretary / Treasurer

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POSITION

February 17, 2021

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DATE

Meeting adjourned at 8:08 p.m.