

**SAIL High School PAC Meeting Minutes**  
**Surrey District Education Building**  
**Wednesday November 12, 2019 7:00 p.m.**

Present: Rex Hayes, Karin Tischler, Vahit Sametoglu

1. Call to order & introduction: Done
2. Approval of agenda: Done
3. Approval of minutes of previous meeting: Done
4. Principal's report:
  - Rex shared recent SAIL school events such as Diwali, Halloween and Remembrance Day which were very well received. Highlights included Diwali dance, Halloween pumpkin carving contest and remembrance poems.
  - There is an upcoming SAIL Open House for its various programs (and an immediately following PAC meeting) on December 10<sup>th</sup> starting at 6 pm at DEC in room 2020.
  - Early dismissal will take place on November 18<sup>th</sup>.
  - The upcoming report cards for students in grade 8 & 9 will reflect the provincially revised curriculum and assessment practices.
  - SAIL has recently established a student leadership team.
  - On November 20<sup>th</sup>, SAIL will be visited by nursing students. As part of their community outreach they will talking with students about healthy living which includes screen time, sleep, healthy eating, mindfulness and stress management.
5. President's report
  - Attended DPAC meeting. Helpful to learn what other PAC teams are dealing with. Our challenge is definitely an increase in parent participation. Hopefully, having the PAC meeting right after the Open House may create some additional interest. Learned about the

importance of evaluating PAC Bylaws & Constitution each school year and of proposing changes as necessary.

- Treasurer was unable to attend so an update on the finances will be given at the next PAC meeting.
- Will follow up with Kelly regarding her fundraising ideas as we are likely running out of money to pay for the monthly bank fee in the general SAIL bank account soon.

6. Any other business: DONE

7. Next meeting is on DEC 10<sup>th</sup> at 7:15. Right after the SAIL Open House

8. Adjournment: DONE