



SAIL High School PAC Meeting Minutes
Surrey District Education Building
Wednesday October 16, 2019 7:00 p.m.

Present: Rex Hayes, Marina Enns, Karin Tischler, Darrell Wrubleski, Kelly Yorke, Vahit Sametoglu, one member of the public interested in SAIL program

1. Call to order & introduction: Done
2. Approval of agenda: Done
3. Approval of minutes of previous meeting:
Minutes Adjusted to correct the actual start time of 7:00pm
4. Principal's report
 - Rex Hayes Introduced Marina Enns (Vice Principal) to talk about upcoming events and Oct 3 Scholarship & Post-Secondary Meeting.
 - Point given that it is important to start thinking about Volunteerism early in academic career...colleges look at this factor as just as important as Grades. Post-secondary institutions look volunteer experiences rather than the number of hours.
 - A future Post-Secondary and Scholarship event may be help in the future with an attempt to attract parents of younger students to start thinking of the process earlier.
 - Safety Drill to be held Oct 17.
 - Diwali Celebration to be held on Oct 23, featuring Bhangra Dancers and a comparison of the Hindu and Sikh perspectives on the Celebration.
 - November 6 is grade 9 take your child to work day.
 - Remembrance Day assembly is on Nov 7:

- The New York Spring Break Field trip currently has 20 students signed up. Enrollment deadline is Nov 27.
- Rex Hayes Spoke about Student Leadership. Student Counsel will run 1 assembly per month on a variety of topics. Student Counsel is chosen by nomination from teachers.

5. President's report:

Financials information via treasurer:

Current PAC financials:

Gaming grant account: \$8455.27

General account: \$3.84

Kelly will look into bank accounts with lower or no fees.

Kelly looking into Clothing drive Fundraiser and would tie in with volunteerism for students.

Karin took a company tour at SAP and was thinking that IEEE young professional group could sponsor a tour for STEAM/STEAM X students at local business that would be applicable.

6. Any other business:

Karin Tischler nominated Vahit Sametogelu for Vice President Role, Seconded by Kelly, Approved Unanimously.

7. Adjournment: Done.

Next Meeting Scheduled, November 12, 2019 @ 7:00pm