

CHIEF DAN GEORGE MIDDLE SCHOOL  
Parent Advisory Council  
Monday, October 20<sup>th</sup>, 2003  
Meeting #2 for School year 2003/04

Meeting called to order by Chairman, Dean Spyropoulos at 7:00 p.m.

Members of the Executive present:

Chairman – Dean Spyropoulos  
Vice-President – Pamela Chapman  
Treasurer – Sonya Oblak  
DPAC – Ingrid Peters  
Recording Secretary – Donna Brand

The meeting started with a quick review of the minutes of the last meeting.

Anna-Lisa Osterby-Batryn spoke about the 2003 FSA (Foundation Skills Assessment) Results which has showed a substantial improvement from the previous year. Reading was 82%, up from 68%; Writing 77%, up from 66%; and Numeracy 92%, up from 70%. The results are to be published in the school newsletter.

Re: School Planning Council – goals set last year have met all strategies, satisfaction increased by 22%. #1 goal – to maintain and improve reading comprehension and attitudes.

Paul Lilley, Home Economics teacher was introduced. He spoke about his role within the school, ie. to have his students competent in the kitchen, ie. safety rules. He also spoke about the Wolf Catering group which gives the members a wealth of on-the-job training. He also has excellent volunteers assisting him in teaching sewing skills to the students. He had a request for four additional sewing machines and a large fridge and/or freezer for the home ec. room.

Mr. Revel presented his “Wish List” for supplies that the school could use. It was suggested that a request for donations of games required for classrooms be published in the school newsletter.

Sonya and Pam then presented the current budget. It was recommended that the “Wish List” be approved, and monies allocated to the appropriate needs. Motion by Dean to accept the budget. Pam seconded. Motion carried.

Motion by Dean that the PAC budget be approved as proposed. Seconded by Ingrid Peters. Motion carried.

Meeting adjourned at 8:30 p.m.

**DATE OF NEXT MEETING:** Monday, November 17th, 2003 at 7:00 p.m.