

Glenmore Elementary School Parent Advisory Council Meeting

Date: Monday, February 24, 2025

Time: 6:30pm

Place: Glenmore Elementary School

AGENDA

1. <u>CALL TO ORDER</u> | Melissa Tesche, PAC President

6:35 Call to order

Attendance of 6

2. <u>LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT</u> | Melissa Tesche, PAC President

We acknowledge that we are on the traditional and unceded territory of the Syilx Okanagan peoples. We are honoured to live, work, and play on this land, and be in relation with people from across all traditional and unceded territories.

In this space we are committed to ongoing healing, reconciliation, decolonization, and fostering relationships within our communities.

We express gratitude to all the knowledge keepers who have kept this land for so many generations, and we wish to learn from their wisdom to be better stewards of their land.

3. **GUEST SPEAKER**

There is no guest speaker for this meeting.

4. PRINCIPAL'S UPDATE | Brady Ibbetson, GME Principal

"Belonging At GME" had a successful and very well run panel discussion a couple weeks ago.

Emily Miller (filling in for Mme. Lapointe) has started a morning reading club, pairing grade 5 and 6 students with younger readers who need extra support.

Kindergarten registration is around 74 French students, and 8 English students. There will likely be split classes Sept 2025 for English K/1 due to this decreased enrollment in the English program.



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Battle of Books upcoming.

Dr. Duncan has been booked for fall 2025 in partnership with Bankhead Elementary.

Consideration for extra PAC funds if available— a covered outdoor learning area (suggested that the shelter could be retractable to prevent attracting use at night/weekends by non-GME students). Waterplay is a local business that may have some suitable structures.

Movie Night is a "go" for fall 2025 and can be booked by PAC.

Multicultural picnic being organized for the spring.

- **5. PAC FINANCIAL UPDATES** Kellie Garcia, PAC Treasurer not present. Provided written updates see financial documents
- 6. **COMMITTEE UPDATES**
- 6.1 Fun Lunch | Alex Vigue & Alyssa Fulkerson, FL Coordinators not present
- 6.2 Book Swap | Meghan Muhle & Roni Pullen, Event Co-Leads nothing to report
- 6.3 Footprints Days (April) | Josh Peters not present; principal will coordinate with Josh re: dates
- 6.4 Family Fun Night Committee | Meghan Muhle & Roni Pullen, Co-Chairs Danielle Friesen and Alex Levac have taken on gathering prizes for the event, thank you.
- 6.5 Belonging at GME Committee | Deepak Garcha, Alyah Ramadan, Danielle Noble, Co-Chairs not present
- 6.6 Family Dance Night Committee | Brianna Snow & Jenny Adrian, Event Co-Leads will be run very similarly to last year. No ticket sales after cut-off date. No outdoor concession this year; just inside the dance. Same vendor for pizza will be used.
- 9. COPAC (Central Okanagan Parent Advisory Council) Items
- 9.1 COPAC Update see document
- 10. <u>PAC 360</u>
- 11. ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment at ~ 7:20.