General PAC Meeting April 18. 2013

7:07 call to order ULE Library

Executive in Attendance: Tanya M., Julie M., Stephanie W., Ruth M., Beth M., Lisa S. Administration in attendance: Principal Todd Henderson, Vice Principal Johneen Harris

PAC Member Julie M.	<u>Discussion</u> Call to order 7:07pm	Action
Julie M.	Review and adopt agenda - no additions, motion Leslie J., Lisa S. second	
Julie M.	Adopt minutes - Lisa Kury - motion, Ruth Mitchell second	
Message from Administration	Emergency Student Release: Students will be in their classrooms until parent or assigned emergency contact person shows up collect child(ren). Line ups "A-D", "E-H", etc If you are picking up your child w/ last name beginning "A-D" and have another child in "U-Z" you may move laterally to pick up second child and not wait in another line-up. North Shore Emergency Response expert Bernadette and ULE staff will be there assisting with process.	
Message from Administration	Board of Education passed 2013/14 school calendar. During Fall 2013 the committee of staff & parents will meet to discuss the next 3 years' calendars. Note: 2 week Spring Break, no changes to current school fees. Please visit district website for more info.	
Message from Administration	Edu-Pac confirmed for 2013/14 school year. More info to come.	
Message from Administration	Math night for parents - Well received. District Specialist Shannon Sharpe demonstrated how math has changed thru teaching methods and using different strategies. She is here this week in Gr 6 classes and Gr. 4. Teachers observed her methods. See April newsletter for more information.	Question posed to Johneen re: Math Whiz 2013/14. Johneen will ask Ms. Carter and provide feedback.
Chair Report: Tanya & Julie	Clothing Drive raised \$1035.00. 345 bags donated. Thank you.	
Chair Report: Tanya & Julie	Safety Patrol: Up & running again. Still short a few parent volunteers for Wednesday a.m. & p.m. Question posed re: training Gr 6 in the Springtraining is typically done in Sept. Use it or lose it concept.	
Chair Report: Tanya & Julie	Volunteers: Exec. Positions available for next year. More info to come. General discussion included seeking better ways to canvass volunteers. Encouraging involvement and "more hands make lighter work" philosophy. Being considerate of everyone's time. Bottom line: getting involved for the kids.	
Treasurer's Report: Beth M.	Tennis with Marcus- 10% to ULE; Marcus would like to return next year. Raised \$2000.00 at Talent Show, profit \$500.00 (includes auction, concession and ticket sales). Idea raised and received well: VIP seating & parking spaces up for auction for future events.	
Stephanie W.	Carnival: Planning well underway. Notice will be sent school wide May 7th.	
Tanya M.	Meeting adjourned 8:30pm	