



Cooper Landing School Parent Advisory Committee

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Minutes of the PAC Meeting held on January 28, 2021 via Zoom

Roll Call: Tommy Gossard, Heather Harrison, Adrienne Fleek, Todd Loomis, Evie Bear, Rachel Sullivan, Adam Sullivan, Virginia Morgan

Tommy opened the meeting at 5:30 pm and asked everyone if they had received the agenda, minutes, and treasurer's report that Donna emailed earlier. Everyone replied yes.

Approval of Agenda: Todd motioned to approve the agenda. Virginia seconded and the motion passed.

Review and Approval of Minutes: Todd motioned to approve the minutes. Heather seconded and the motion passed.

Principal's Report: Please see Mr. Hayman's report here: <https://youtu.be/GVgsphGUnbg>

Teacher's Report: Tommy said that Mr. Hayman gave him the go-ahead to submit a mitigation plan for skiing at Alyeska. Tommy will submit a plan and if it is approved, we will be able to go skiing. We will also have to follow all of Alyeska's conditions.

The cost might be a little higher than usual because the resort may have us keep our ski gear for the duration of the lessons so that it is checked out once and returned once.

The day lodge will be off limits except to pick up rental gear and use the restrooms. The resort suggests that everyone use their vehicles for storing gear, and for lunch and breaks.

Tommy has reviewed Kenai Central High School's plan that was approved for their cross-country ski team and will be modeling our plan after that one.

Tommy said of concern is that there has been an increase in COVID-19 cases in Seward, so we are hoping that is not a trend; otherwise, that could slow things down.

Any parent who wishes to attend must complete the online volunteer process ASAP. Email or call Donna if you need assistance. Since we will be using vehicles as lockers, this means we will be relying a lot on the parents of each student coming along.

Adrienne asked what the dates will be. Typically, we would have already started in January and go once per week for 6 weeks. But with the late start we may go twice per week.

The cost includes rental, lift ticket, and lessons. Adults can ski as chaperones - usually it is \$20 for rental and lift ticket.

Again, there might be a price increase since the resort wants us to keep our rentals until the end. Virginia and Heather suggested keeping them at the school.

Tommy will be contacting Moose Pass and Hope to inquire about their plans. Moose Pass is unsure if they will be going. Either way, that won't affect us - we will be going if all is approved.

Tommy will email everyone when our mitigation plan is approved and once he gets more information from Alyeska.

Treasurer's Report: Tommy announced that the PAC account balance is \$6,715.81 due to the sale of 5 mugs at \$10 each.

New Business: None

Unfinished Business: Tommy confirmed with Heather that at the last meeting, funds were approved for skiing, and he asked if there was anything else that needed to be done. Heather pointed out that yes, they were approved, but if the price is going to increase, does anyone have any concerns?

Tommy stated that typically, the cost is \$120 per student. Heather said it is required that there be at least \$2,000 in the fund at the end of the school year, so there shouldn't be a problem.

Next Meeting Date

- April 29, 2021

Adjournment: The meeting was adjourned at 5:43 pm.