

Drygrad 2024 April 30, 2024 Minutes

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Agenda	Discussion	Action items
<p>Vice Principal Report</p>	<p>Next Monday communication will go out to students if they would like to have guests come to dry grad. Only gr 11, gr 12 students and those who have graduated one year only are eligible to be guests. Requires application to be filled as school approves guests to attend. Asked the dry grad committee if international students (gr 11 or 12) are eligible to attend - consensus is "yes" if they are invited as a guest.</p> <p>87 total sales for dry grad students. Total 130 grads.</p> <p>Might be able to cancel one bus as might not be needed as 2 buses can hold 100 ppl but will need to see as there could be more guests planning to come to the event.</p> <p>Meena going on mat leave and Erin McGinley (new VP) will be taking on dry grad</p> <p>Dry grad ticket sales will be extended till June; 3 days before the event.</p>	<p>Follow up: bus numbers to be finalized - we might be able to reduce the cost.</p>
<p>Grad Council Update</p>	<p>Sabrina student rep will be attending. Numerous grad events planned for grads. Dry grad parents asking to promote dry grad event on their IG. Students wondering if they should bring a change of clothes to the event. Will need a gr. 11 parent to man coat check as bags are not usually accessible to students.</p>	<p>Follow up: dry grad poster created and to be shared with grad council to advertise on their IG site to increase ticket sales.</p>

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<p>Treasurer's Report</p>	<p>See attached budget for reference. Donations received so far \$1695. Still waiting for Return it Ongoing funding \$436.81 No changes to expenses At 76% of our fundraising goal Still needing \$4402.79. Excludes raffle fundraiser and Cockney Kings donation. Might need to decrease food and gift card expenses. No line item for BC liquor donations. Last year's donation received late and not expecting much.</p>	<p>Update: 50/50 Raffle and Harrison Resort GC Raffle completed - Gross earning \$1865 and \$1635 respectively. Winners have been contacted. \$200 from Cockney Kings not yet received. Amount needed to fundraise may not be that high. An updated budget/actual will be done for the exec meeting the week of May 13th.</p>
<p>Fundraising Update</p>	<p>Current Fundraisers: 50/50 and Harrison Hot Springs: Winners announced on website. Will need to contact winners. Jaclyn to complete the gaming revenue report and work with PAC for fund transfer. Cockney Kings: \$200 donated by owner from sales Trunk Sale/Silent Auction: El Santo Restaurant: Dine in on Sunday or Monday in May and 10% sales donated to Dry Grad. Must mention "Cariboo Dry Grad" Trunk Sale: Square link set up so anyone can buy a car spot; \$20 per spot. Poster will have a silent auction to be created. Lots of silent auction items: Trailside Physio, Sky Wellness Spa, Vici Learning, Strongside Conditioning, Katrina Chen, Home Chef Services and more to come. Krispy Kreme donuts to sell online via CashOnline and have extra to sell online. Reaching out to community contacts to communicate to our neighbourhood.</p>	<p>Follow-up: Cancelling trunk sale as by May 1 only one person signed up for it. Instead will arrange Pizza Night at Me-n-Ed's Pizza Parlour Burnaby location on May 30 for pizza night and Silent Auction. Try and get more silent auction items/donations for the event.</p>

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	<p>FaceBook and Instagram pages set up: IG@chssdrygradparents and FB is Cariboo Hill Dry Grad Parents. Suggested to tag any communications with these accounts to spread communications on the page.</p>	
<p>Event Planning Update</p>	<p>Only 1 grade 11 parent on this call. Executives to schedule a meeting to discuss planning for the event e.g. food, door prizes, etc... Need to have more grade 11 parents to volunteer. Meena suggested going to a PAC meeting to communicate the need for gr. 11 parents. Jaclyn to contact the venue for details for resources, access and security. DJ booked, no photobooth, no need for other activities due to lack of funds. Suggested maybe bring board games and other quieter activities. Gr. 11 parents to only chaperone. Gr. 12 parents to set up and take down for the event. Will need to coordinate food delivery. Will need to arrange uber for transport for Gr. 11 parents from school to venue. Rachel provides us a list of kids for dry grad. The week of May 13 executives meet to discuss dry grad details.</p>	<p>Follow-Up: Terrie has arranged Safeway to provide us with some food at a lower cost as a donation. Email received from the venue on the list of questions asked - to be discussed at the next executive meeting.</p>
<p>Next Dry Grad Meeting</p>	<p>May 28 next dry grad meeting. May 16 executives to meet to discuss dry grad details. New VP Erin McGinley to attend the May 28 meeting.</p>	