

LVR PAC Meeting Agenda
February 18, 2026
6:30 pm

Present: Janeen Mather, Denise Morris, Lily Andersen, Ian Cooper, Tracy Ashley, Jen Mayberry, Roman Wyllie , Taryn Stokes, Nicoleta Bobocea , Lorien Quattrocchi

1. Land acknowledgement: given by Lily Andersen
2. Review of January minutes: located on LVR website, under parents tab, Parent Council
3. Adoption of agenda
4. Principal/VP report:
 - a. Roman Wyllie gave a report. LV received the Vancouver Sun Adopt School Grant. LVR was awarded \$34,000. Grant will be used to support families/students in need. Thanks to Robin Shepard for her hours working on the grant.
 - b. Roman shared that a survey will be sent out (YDI, in conjunction with Simon Fraser University) and an additional student learning survey will also be given to provide data for Student Wellness in the CIP.
 - c. Roman also let us know that there is an anti-racist group in conjunction with Intercultural Kootenays (IKH) . The program is student-led. On Fridays there will be film studies on racial issues and provide a safe space for students to gather and engage in ant-racist work. Staff are also being engaged so that they have strategies in different scenarios.
 - d. Ian Cooper updated us on course selection. The process is being streamlined for efficiency and ease. Parent information sessions are coming up.
 - e. LVR awards went out. 37 students received awards.
 - f. Admin is beginning to work on the timetable for next year.
 - g. Safer Schools Together information session would be good for parents, with regards to social media usage, or other topics of interest. Ian is planning to put in a PAC request for an event. It may be that Scott Rothermel may support or lead the training. Parent-info session is around \$1,000. May look at partnering with other district schools or DPAC. The timeframe is possibly late April or May.
 - h. Roman reported on student health after the Tumbler Ridge shooting. Doors are locked, teachers are checking in with students, and students are being supported as much as possible. LV has weekly school-based team meetings to discuss struggling students and provide services. The Health hub and Foundry are in-school resources.

5. Financial update: given by our Treasurer, Taryn Stokes. See Statement of Accounts attached. PAC will have around \$5500 to allocate for the spring, with 8 applications in already. Please encourage those who requested money to cash the cheques (if activities have already happened.)
 - a. Requests for PAC money will be sent in an email from Taryn.
6. DPAC/BCCPAC update:
 - a. DPAC now has a treasurer. They still need a secretary.
 - b. DPAC conversation was around BCCPAC AGM in May. DPAC representative will go to AGM to vote on the resolutions as our proxy.
 - c. Open to suggestions for how to spend the parent money.
7. Upcoming fundraisers:
 - a. Lily is leading Nelson Chocofellar fundraiser. Dates will be around Easter. Fundraiser was an idea to support the school band. Trial run for selling chocolates, then will expand next year if it goes well.
 - b. LV Junior basketball team is currently running a You Silly Sausage fundraiser.
 - c. Discussed taking on another coffee fundraiser. Anne Wishlow is the contact at Oso.
 - d. Junior Boys Basketball is heading to provincials this weekend (Feb 21-24). It was moved Lorien that the PAC fund \$200 for a student to be able to attend the tournament. Lily seconded the motion. The vote was unanimous.
8. Additional business:
 - a. All parent grad meeting next Thursday, February 26 at 7 pm in the library. Grad committee requested a gaming license for upcoming 50/50 draw.
9. Next meeting set for April 15, 2026. Meeting adjourned at 7:37.