



McMath PAC Meeting Minutes (draft) Tuesday March 10, 2026

1. Introduction - Rob M.
Welcome everyone to the meeting.
2. Adoption of the Agenda - March 10, 2026
First: Rob Second: Winson
Passed
3. Adoption of the Minutes - Jan. 27, 2026 and Feb. 17, 2026
First: Rob Second: Victor
Passed
4. Principal's Report and Q&A (L. Banta)
 - Land acknowledgment
 - Parent/ Guardian Guide to Emergency Preparedness - District does have a robust procedure in place and a document is now posted on McMath and district site. Outline general things like drills, partners and focus on safety of students and staff. Reviewed every year with staff.
Link -
<https://mcmath.sd38.bc.ca/news/2026/02/parentguardian-guide-emergency-preparedness>
 - Student learning survey - email was sent out in the second half of last week. All Gr10-12 students completed a survey and were asked for their feedback on several areas. The survey was put out by the ministry. Parents are also encouraged to participate in the survey, which will be open to May 1. Link will be in an email.
 - Parent/Teacher conference for 2026-2027 - slight change to the time next year. More info to come.
 - Grad Literacy assessment will take place the 3rd week of April. More info to come out after spring break. This will be for all Gr10 and upper year students to write or rewrite. See admin. Another session is in June. This is for graduation requirements.
 - Calendar construction underway.

Q: Regarding meet the teacher conference. In the past we did it twice a year, fall and spring. Some parents have difficulty when they have students in different grades. Can it be done in S1 and S2?

A: Currently there is only 1 session, in fall and understand that changes happen. It was suggested that parents can always request they meet teachers outside of formal nights. It's an ongoing conversation.

5. Treasurer's Report (Winson L.)

a. Gaming and General Account Update

General closing at \$3,306.07

Any remaining funds will roll over to next year.

Gaming closing at \$12,714.99

Gaming grant application will start in April. Winson will work with Carolle to apply for 2026/2027 grant.

6. PAC/Committee Update:

a. PAC:

PAC work is good and light work. Need a few more members to fill roles.

A full PAC is needed for gaming grant and to operate the funds.

b. DAG:

Details highlighting what happens during DAG was emailed out last week.

Volunteer sign up will be open soon for committees, like decoration and set up.

Lower grade parents are encouraged to volunteer so that they can learn how DAG operates. Gr12 parents are usually involved in the planning and setup stage and do not attend the event.

c. Fundraising:

Fundraising for this school year is closed and appreciation to PAC members who helped run campaigns. Approx \$4000 were fundraised. It helped with student scholarships and PAC initiatives.

d. RDPA:

RDPA is asking for district PAC feedback on the District's Budget.

PAC Executive had submitted the first survey but RDPA is now looking for more feedback from the community. PAC will gather responses from McMath community and submit it to RDPA for district presentation to the district.

More detail from Winson - PAC did reply to the first RDPA survey. RDPA is asking PAC to ask members for community feedback. PAC will be sending out a Google doc by March 25 so that PAC can consolidate feedback and send it out to RDPA.

e. Q&A:

f. Next PAC meeting - April 21, 2026

Rob thanks everyone for attending the meeting. Meeting adjourned at 7:30pm

2026 PAC Meeting Dates:

April 21, 2026

May 12, 2026 - AGM, election of new Executive team.