



**MOSCROP PARENT ADVISORY COUNCIL MINUTES – January 17, 2022**

**Moscrop Parent Advisory Council Minutes Executive Meeting 6:30PM (Zoom Virtual Video Call)**

- 1.) Welcome – Brian Li (PAC Chair) Present: Jill Howey, Sibel Ozkan, Tina Quan, Terri Burton, Adrianna Constantine, Hassan Pirayesh, and Esther Besel.
- 2.) Approve Moscrop Gaming Grant funds to support various school activities and expenditures of up to a maximum of \$23,000. (As submitted and attached). Motion: Adrianna Constantine. Second: Sibel Ozkan.
- 3.) Approve scholarship funding of \$3,000. Motion Sibel Ozkan, Second: Teri Burton
- 4.) Approve Dry Grad funding of \$2,000. Motion: Jill Howey, Second: Teri Burton
- 5.) Adjournment: 7:00PM

Matthew Der	Moscrop Robotics Club	Technology Education	currently @ 12 confirmed student club members	1800	Our robotics club is looking for funding to help us stay register for competitions for this year as well as looking for funding for robotics components for FIRST robotics competitions. FIRST Robotics FTC is a higher tier level of competition which I am hoping to enrol my club into, funding pending. We would need the parts to begin building a FIRST robot which is what I listed below.	VEX Competitions: 200\$ - VEX Competition registration package 210\$ - 70\$ per event registration: Hoping to participate in three VEX comps this year FIRST Robotics Competition FTC: 265\$ - Power distribution panel - <a href="https://www.vexrobotics.com/217-4244.html">https://www.vexrobotics.com/217-4244.html</a> 1,050\$ - FTC Starter Kit - <a href="https://www.vexrobotics.com/217-7768.html#attr-vex_kit_contents">https://www.vexrobotics.com/217-7768.html#attr-vex_kit_contents</a> 720\$ - 6 Motor controllers: Talon SRX- <a href="https://www.vexrobotics.com/217-8080.html">https://www.vexrobotics.com/217-8080.html</a> 1100 - 6 Motor's: Falcon 500 - <a href="https://www.vexrobotics.com/217-6515.html">https://www.vexrobotics.com/217-6515.html</a>
Joan Maclean	BC Thespians Society	Drama	Between 6 and 20 approximately	500	The BC Thespians are a branch of the International Thespian Society. This organization offers opportunities and resources to the most keen Drama students at Moscrop. At the conferences, they have opportunities to meet other students from all over the province, to take workshops from professionals, to see other students' performances and to have their own work adjudicated. As a result of these experiences, they come back to Moscrop and their fellow students and community with new ideas and enthusiasm to share. The students get ready for these events in their spare time during Flex, at lunch and after school when we are not rehearsing the school plays.	New membership inductions, registration for local and provincial competitions, renewing our membership with the organization, transportation.
Joan Maclean	Improv Club	Drama	unsure this year as this club dissolved during COVID. We will be striving to revive it this year.	0	The Improv club meets after school once a week. It's open to all students at Moscrop. The most motivated students can compete at the Canadian Improv Games. The Lower Mainland Tournament will be starting up again this year. The students on the team will have opportunities to play at a few different tournaments through the autumn and into the spring. They will learn improv skills, meet like minded students from other schools and, hopefully, be ready to entertain Moscrop students at certain events throughout the year.	Registration with the Canadian Improv Games organization for the year, transportation to events and uniforms (T-Shirts!)
Joan Maclean	Moscrop Theatre Company	Drama	Between 30 and several hundred depending on how many Moscrop students come to see the shows!	2000	Moscrop Theatre Company meets all year round after school. We rehearse and prepare a December show and a Spring production in April. The students involved in the show are learning acting and production skills as well as community building, collaboration, time management, money management, responsibility, accountability. They learn to run their own shows. When we open the theatre to the community at Moscrop and have live audiences, this is one of the great benefits of all of their hard work. There is a great feeling of a job well done and the audiences love to come to the shows. (We can't wait to have audiences again!)	Performance rights, costumes, props, constructions expenses, Poster printing, ticket printing, paint, make up, technical assistance,
Aidan Botting	Railway	Visual and Performing Arts	Grades 8-12 from throughout the school	500	The model railway club involves student participants in the classroom-wide accurate building of models that directly represent aspects of the province British Columbia. As these must be accurate representations, this requires some proactive research. They learn how to reconstruct architecture according to BC code as laid out on the government website, landscaping, and the many plant species that are native to BC. They also learn about the tradition uses of such vegetation both medicinally as well as other applications. (eg. Construction/household items).	We would really like to purchase two digital sound locomotives as a double-header. I put a request in last year, but we it was not enough to get both. Nor did we have a railway layout, which now we do.
Teodora Zamfirescu	Moscrop Spanish Club	Education/ Languages	Stacy Jung, Felix Wang, Stacey Panfilova, Cheryl Chong, Kaylee Chavez, Sehar Fatima, Caleb Illescas, Ajla Dugic, Jovana Kuljic,	200	This club will promote Hispanic culture awareness to the general school community. It will provide a place for heritage student, Spanish learning students and interested students to meet each other and engage in culturally relevant activities. It provides an opportunity to make new friends, get immersed in and learn more about Hispanic culture while helping our school community.	The club plans to organize projects and events such as organizing siestas as part of the school wide mental health goal, plan around key cultural calendar dates such as Day Of The Dead and Carnival, Multicultural Week and fundraisers. For this the Moscrop Spanish Club needs funds for arts and crafts materials, prizes, cooking ingredients, decoration.

Aidan Botting	Photography	Visual and Performing Arts	50	300	The yearbook project will help students to develop their annual for the school while giving kids the skills they need for pursuing a career in Design.	I would spend the money on SD cards and batteries so we could use all of the cameras we have available to the club.
Aidan Botting	Yearbook Club	Visual and Performing Arts	40	300	The club is trying to coordinate with Yearbook members to complete the yearbook in a mentor-mentee capacity. Club members will be taking over the second half of the yearbook production. As for the Photography club, students will learn how to use the three different levels of light so they understand how to use the manual features of the camera so they can experiment with them.	Both Yearbook and Photo club need the same things. For Yearbook, they would like a backdrop of some kind. It would be great if we could get a white background and a green screen for approximately \$50 each. We also need at least one more set of lights for approximately \$275 + tax.
Ashley Chow	Contemporary Choreography Club	Visual and Performing Arts	Approximately 30 students	0	We would like to bring someone in (virtually) to teach a series of workshops for the students in this club. The workshops would help develop deeper skills in contemporary and improvisation.	The funds would be used to pay a virtual "guest teacher."
Ashley Chow	Hip Hop Club	Visual and Performing Arts	Approximately 20 students	0	Hip hop club had been a legacy at Moscrop for many years, but due to covid the club dissolved. This year, a new grade 8 student is trying to bring it back to our school community. We will be spending this year rebuilding the energy, enthusiasm and community around our Hip hop club.	The funds requested would go towards purchasing club uniforms to help build moral and connectedness for the students involved. To help bring them together as a family.
Ashley Chow	Afro-Brazilian Dance Club	Visual and Performing Arts	Approximately 20 students	\$0	This is a brand new club, in a style of dance that has never been done at moscrop. This will require attire meant for the style it is in.	The funds would be used to purchase club uniforms that the students will be able to dance in. This will also bring the students together and promote a sense of pride for their extracurricular club!
Stephanie Langille	Math Contests	Math	Around 200-300 students from all five grades	\$2,000	Enrichment in mathematics by helping students to engage in problem solving and work through analyzing harder problems than the current curriculum allows. Promotes a strong math culture in the school and creates a strong peer tutoring program. Student and school recognition on the provincial and national level (first in BC for Galois last year). Provides good scholarship material for senior students.	14 contests over the course of the 2021/2022 school year
Yi Li	Moscrop Veggie Garden Club/ Food Security/Land Sustainability Club (still working on the name)	Home Economic/Languages	Evelyn and Marcus (leaders) and many members. This garden benefits everyone in our school	\$500	Our garden club intends to grow vegetables for Foods classes, school community and local community. The students are in connection with the local food bank and hope they can donate veggies to the food bank in the future. This garden has been and will continue to be an outdoor learning space for teachers and students from all subject areas.	Water hose retractor, irrigation system, seeds, mulch, organic fertilizer, planters, benches, sink to clean veggies, & garden tools.
Katharine Lange	Science Contests	Science	Senior science students	\$300	Students in senior science courses will be provided with the opportunity to participate in local, Provincial, and National competitions during the 2021-22 school year. These competitions help students prepare for the rigors of university and give them an opportunity to practice their test taking skills prior to writing AP exams in May.	Biology 12AP students may choose to participate in the University of Toronto Biology Competition. Physics Olympics participants will need money for registration in this event.
Katharine Lange	Physics Olympics	Science	Physics AP1 and AP2 students; Physics 12 students	\$200	Participants in the Physics Olympics have the opportunity to apply their knowledge in the design and construction of machinery to carry out pre-determined tasks. This competition is an excellent chance for students to compete against other Physics students in the Province and participate in a culminating, day-long event at UBC.	The tasks assigned to the Physics Olympics students require design and the actual construction of machinery/apparatus. The money will be spent to purchase tools and supplies for this construction.
Katharine Lange	Gardening Club	Science	club members ranging from grades 8-12	\$300	Students in this club develop an appreciation for garden design and maintenance. They work throughout the year to weed, add plantings, and care for the school garden areas (excluding the vegetable garden).	The gardening club needs to purchase tools (such as pruning shears) to properly care for the tree and shrub species being grown. Spring bulbs and new plantings will be purchased for the beds fronting Moscrop street.
Chris Haas	Guitar	VPA	10 students per year, every year.	\$1,344.00	This would be a capital acquisition of 5 acoustic guitars and bags that would be used for Guitar Club and Guitar class, specifically for students that cannot afford to rent or purchase a guitar.	Five Yamaha C40 Classical Guitars would be purchased from Long and McQuade Music. I have negotiated an educational price of \$180.00 per guitar, a savings of \$20.00 off the price of each guitar. The guitar bags cost \$60.00 each, but I might be able to negotiate a cheaper price.
Cristina Georgilas	Graduation/Student Ceremony,	LSS	Grade 12s in Alt, Students in Access	500	Accessibility Being able to attend graduation events	\$500-field trips

Scott Spracklin	Basketball	Athletics	Students on the Senior Boys & Girls Basketball Teams	\$6,000	Moscrop will continue to provide its students with opportunities to participate in approximately 40 different extracurricular sports teams. The goal of Moscrop Athletics is to maximize student involvement, so that students have as many opportunities as possible to engage with the school in a physically active capacity. One of the associated costs with running teams is to provide students with uniforms. Not only is it a requirement for being a member of the BNWSAA, but it helps students develop a sense of pride, tradition, and connectedness with Moscrop as they compete against other schools.	At this time, we are in need of purchasing two sets of basketball uniforms for both the Senior Boys and Girls Basketball Teams (Home and Away sets for both teams). We need to order about 18 uniforms for each set.  In total, this means we need to purchase 4 sets of uniforms (jerseys and shorts), and each set costs about \$1500.
Scott Spracklin	Volleyball	Athletics	Students on Senior Boys Volleyball Team	\$0	Moscrop will continue to provide its students with opportunities to participate in approximately 40 different extracurricular sports teams. The goal of Moscrop Athletics is to maximize student involvement, so that students have as many opportunities as possible to engage with the school in a physically active capacity. One of the associated costs with running teams is to provide students with uniforms. Not only is it a requirement for being a member of the BNWSAA, but it helps students develop a sense of pride, tradition, and connectedness with Moscrop as they compete against other schools.	At this time, we are in need of purchasing a set of uniforms for the Senior Boys Volleyball Team. We need to order 18-20 uniforms for this set.
Ashley Chow	Fine Arts Club	Visual and Performing Arts	All VPA students	\$250	The entire VPA department comes together to create a showcase, experiential art night...like a gallery walk in the first floor. It makes visual art students the centre to display their work, and the whole department has their students participate in performative aspects.	The money would go towards buying supplies for the evening event.
Ashley Chow	Life Drawing Club	Visual and Performing Arts	30 students approx.	\$300	I would like to have a professional life drawing artist give a series of workshops.	The money would go towards hiring a professional life-drawing expert to teach a workshop series.
Anna Kazulin	Multicultural Week	Modern Languages	The school population	150	Hoping to raise awareness and celebrate the different cultures in the school during a week of activities, information and celebration.	Currently we are in the brainstorming stage, but in the past we used this money for lunch hour activities and prizes that encouraged students to participate and learn about each other.
Olga Vancic	Mental Health and Wellness Club	Counselling /Student Services	There are approx. 30 club members, and they are putting on events/activities that will potentially	\$600.00	We are hoping to bring in speakers on the topic of mental health (or host zoom workshops/sessions in the library). This could happen potentially throughout the year, and not just during Mental Health Awareness Week in May. In particular, we are hoping to host a Human Library (Mental Health version) event in the new year. This would mean bringing in speakers with lived experience and inviting teachers to sign up their classes to attend.	Primarily, we would spend the money on paying for guest speaker fees. And any other miscellaneous fees related to the Human Library school-wide event.
Georgia Campbell	The Reality Palette Club	Social Studies	The Reality Palette Club (23 members)	\$50	The club would like help buying start-up supplies that they will then use to create artwork that will be sold during the holiday season to fundraise for Make a Wish Foundation. They support children with different illnesses and diseases and make their wishes come true.	Ornament Supplies
Georgia Campbell	Ethics Bowl 2022	Social Studies	Philosophy 12 & Law 12 students & members of the Law Club	\$400	An Ethics Bowl is both a collaborative and competitive event, where teams of students analyze and discuss ethical dilemmas. They imagine, criticize, and compare bold strategies, and may even amend their original positions when faced with convincing arguments. Students have opportunities to pose and respond to probing questions, which results in a deepening awareness of the stakes and principles that animate the discussion. This develops their critical thinking skills, communication, and analytical reasoning.	We would like to send two teams to the Ethics Bowl in February- \$200/team to register.
Georgia Campbell	Social Studies Mini-Doc Contest	Social Studies	All students that enter	\$400	The SS Mini-Documentary contest is a new take on the SS Fair that happened annually (adapted due to COVID) which students would look forward to each year. The SS Mini-Documentary contest is a celebration of learning and an opportunity for students to showcase films they create that focus on social studies inquiry and current events. The assignment fosters creativity, and develops research and technical skills. Last year's theme for the contest was 2020 in one word.	Prizes for the top 3 winners and viewers choice awards.

Georgia Campbell	Truth and Reconciliation Committee & Diversity Equity and Inclusion Committee (Anti-Racism / Social Studies (and entire school)	English	All students	\$2,500	The students benefit by deepening their understanding of equity, diversity, inclusion, and truth and reconciliation- a response to the Call to Action of the Truth and Reconciliation Report and the need for Anti-Racism and Anti-Oppression education.	We will be inviting community elders, artists, activists and educators to speak to students about Truth and Reconciliation, and Anti-Racism and Anti-Oppression throughout the year. We would like to host a virtual Truth and Reconciliation day of workshops. We would also like to invite Omari Newton back, who spoke to the school last year about Black History month and racially sensitive language.
Kristen Green	Moscrop Spoken Word Poetry Club	English	20-25	\$300	The Spoken Word Poetry Club has been a vibrant part of the Moscrop Community for the last 8 years. The club offers a space for students in all grades to share their poetry, discuss and explore social and personal issues, work cooperatively with peers, work on performance skills and provide positive feedback to their fellow poets. It is a warm and supportive space that many students over the years have described as a safe refuge. In past years, the students in the club have performed at poetry slams in the library throughout the year. While this did not run during the pandemic, we hope to have some in person events this year and also to find alternate ways for the poets to share their work with the school community. We will also compete in the virtual version of the youth provincial spoken word poetry festival called Hullabaloo in April.	We would like to request the following funds for our club this year: 1.\$200 for the entrance fee for Hullabaloo 2.\$100 for guest speakers and workshops Thank you for your consideration!
Kristen Green	The Open Door Club	English	20	\$300	The open Door Club is a weekly club meeting that welcomes LGBTQIA+ students and allies to gather, discuss , share, reflect, build community and celebrate diversity. We also plan events and activities to create awareness in the larger school community about queer, non-binary and trans identities and experiences.	WE are planning several activities in the school this year to mark days like Transgender Remembrance Day, Pink Shirt Day and International Day Against Homophobia and Transphobia Day. We will use approximately \$100 of this to buy materials for decorations, button making and posters for these events. The other \$200 will be used to bring guest speakers in (Zoom Likely) to discuss sexual health and other topics the students are choosing from.
Christina Lee	R.A.C.E. Club	English	Club students and general school population	\$400	Moscrop R.A.C.E. Club is a student-led and student-run club that was established in September 2020 in response to the atrocities that have been happening in Black communities. The rise of anti-Asian sentiment during the pandemic was also very alarming. They needed a safe space to communicate and share their feelings, and at the same time, they realized the importance and urgency of education around anti-racism. This club has been a safe haven and a powerful motivator to encourage our school community to do the important work. This year, their focus is on Indigenous education.	The R.A.C.E. club wants to continue the work from last year, which is to create safe and open spaces for thoughtful and meaningful dialogue and to continue promoting anti-racism and anti-oppression at school and the greater community. To do so, they intend on hopefully inviting in anti-racism educators/speakers, purchasing resources, and creating/purchasing anti-racism posters.
Sarah Callister	Moscrop Reads Library		Grades 8-12	500	The Moscrop Reads Program promotes a love of reading by engaging students in all levels in a school-wide year long reading event. The Moscrop Reads promotes a variety of genres such as mystery, realistic fiction, graphic, romance and pop culture. We have a student book club that provides an opportunity for students to share ideas and thoughts on the books.	I will be purchasing multiple copies of 8 book titles. Posters will be student created and displayed around the school. Prizes for special Moscrop Read activities.

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### **Moscrop Parent Advisory Council Minutes General Meeting 7:00PM (Zoom Virtual Video Call)**

- 1.) Welcome – Brian Li (PAC Chair)
  - a. Meeting Chaired by Brian Li
  - b. PAC Executives in attendance: Brian Li, Jill Howey, Sibel Ozkan, Tina Quan, Terri Burton, Adrianna Constantine, Hassan Pirayesh, and Esther Besel.
  - c. Moscrop Administration in attendance: Principal Mr. Chris Sandor
  
- 2.) Principal Report:
  - a. First day of school delayed start from January 4, 2022 to January 10, 2022 due to Covid restrictions.
  - b. School sports – no tournament and no fan / spectators are allowed.
  - c. Course selection week and semester turnaround / tutorial days will be happening on January 24<sup>th</sup> week.
  - d. February 7, 2022 Report Cards will be available on My ED Parent Portal.
  - e. Semester 2 starts on January 31, 2022.
  
- 3.) Treasurers Report:
  - a. The PAC Executive has approved the following:
    - i. School activities and expenditures submitted up to a maximum of \$23,000.
    - ii. Scholarship funding of \$3,000.
    - iii. Dry grad funding of \$2,000.
  - b. Gaming funds of \$26,580 for the 2021/2022 year has been deposited on December 22, 2021.
  - c. Cash balance as of January 17, 2022 – Gaming account \$50,630.89 and PAC current account of \$1,521.65.
  
- 4.) Other Business:
  - a. Discussion of introducing a “Parent Moscrop Facebook Page” was put forth from one of the parents. Discussion of maintaining accurate, informative, timely, and content of the Moscrop Facebook page raised concerns among the parents. No decision has been made.
  
- 5.) Adjournment and next meeting
  - a. Meeting adjourned at 8:00PM
  - b. Next meeting: Monday February 7<sup>th</sup>, 2022