

Salmon Arm Secondary (SAS) PAC Meeting

October 14, 2025, 7:00pm

Attendance: Scott Hutchison (chair), Kayla Vannieuwenhuizen (secretary), Melissa Parmenter (treasurer), Morgan Turland, Jen Gilfillan

Staff present: Rob Cadden

Meeting called to order 7:06 PM

Introductions

Morgan Turland motions to adopt the September 2025 minutes, Melissa Parmenter seconds

- *All in favour.*

Morgan Turland motions to adopt agenda with amendments - add Dry Grad 50/50 application under New Business. Kayla Vannieuwenhuizen, seconds

- *All in favour*

Treasurer Report

- A gaming grant was approved - \$12,780. Has not been deposited yet but should be coming soon into the Scotiabank account.

SASCU account will be opened by Melissa in the next few weeks and monies moved over

Message from the Principal (Rob)

- See appendix

New Business

Gaming grant allocations - overview of where monies go. Rob Cadden works with the staff at Salmon Arm Secondary with the percentages below to come up with a plan for each school year. Rob then relays it to the PAC

- **Athletics - 30% - \$3834.00**
- **Academics - 20% - \$2,556.00**
- **Fine Arts & Trades - 20% - \$2,556.00**
- **School - 10% - \$1,278.00**
- **Clubs - 5% - \$639.00**
- **Grad - 15% - \$1917.00**

Academics - Bussing (field trips, band trips, math contest trips etc)

School - benches, murals, etc - something for the whole school

Athletics - jerseys

Fine Arts & Trades - dance and drama field trips, bussing for trades field trips

Clubs - any of the school run clubs can ask for an amount to support their club

Grad - percentage toward graduation ceremony

Gaming Grant - Jackson was denied this year due to the former 1 PAC so a discussion will be had with the two treasurers to see what can be done.

Kayla Vannieuwenhuizen motions to have the PAC apply for a gaming licence for the Dry Grad committee for a 50/50 raffle for 2026 grad. Morgan Turland seconds.

- *All in favour*

Melissa P motions to adjourn meeting at 8:27pm, Kayla Vannieuwenhuizen seconds.

Meeting adjourned at 8:28pm

SAS PAC Report

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1. Pathway to Graduation

- **Post-Secondary Info Sessions and opportunities:** posted in the Counselling Centre & Daily Announcements
- **Post-Secondary Admissions:** each institution is unique – students and families are encouraged to check early
- **Local and External Scholarships:**
<https://sas.sd83.bc.ca/scholarships/>
- **Gr. 12 Grad Credit Check & Transcript Meetings with Counsellors & Admin:** ~3rd week in November
- Provincial Transcript Requests:
<https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/education-training/k-12/support/transcripts-and-certificates>
- Gr. 12 Literacy 12 Assessments (connected to the semester students take English 12): November & April
- Catch-up/Re-Writes for Literacy 10 or 12 & Numeracy 10 Assessment: January & June
- Grad info: <https://sas.sd83.bc.ca/grad/>



MyEducation BC Family Portal
<https://myeducation.gov.bc.ca/aspen/logon.do>

- Report Cards, Transcripts, Attendance, Student Schedules, etc...
- For assistance with MyEducation BC and Family Portal, please email: MyEdSupport@sd83.bc.ca or call us at the school **(250) 832-2188.**

Important Dates & Reminders

Wed, Oct 15	SD83 WEX / Dual Credit Information Night (JL Jackson)
Wed, Oct 15	Interior Health Information Session (Flex block, Library)
Wed, Oct 22	PSI (Post Secondary Institute) at SAS (9:15 – 11:30am)
Fri, Oct 24	Pro-D Day - Provincial (no classes)
Mon, Oct 27	Post Sec. Prep Field Trip to UBCO (all day)
Wed, Oct 29	Careers Field Trip "Hairstyling Open House" (PVSS, 9:25am-12:50pm)
Thurs, Oct 30	Grad Halloween Movie Night (7pm – SAS Theatre)
Thurs, Oct 30	Careers Field Trip "Council of Forest Industries" (On site Part 2, departure/return TBA)
Tues, Oct 31	Halloween
Sun, Nov 2	Daylight Savings (fall back 1 hr)
Nov 3-7	Graduation Provincial Assessments (Lit 12 for Sem. 1 English 12 students)
Tues, Nov 4	UBC Food Sciences & Forestry at ALF (all day, departure/return TBA)
Thurs, Nov 6	Student Advisory Group Meeting (lunch – art room)
Fri, Nov 7	Remembrance Day Assembly (Block A Double Block - gym)
Sat, Nov 8	National Indigenous Veterans Day
Mon, Nov 10	Pro-D Day - School (no classes)
Tues, Nov 11	Remembrance Day (school closed)
Fri, Nov 14	Written Learning Updates (Semester 1)
Tues, Nov 18	PAC Meeting (7pm – library)

3. SAS Events & Activities

Monday	<p>Grease Monkey Club (automotive)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Teacher-Sponsor: Mr. Johnson • After school in the Auto Shop 3:40-5:00 <p>Athletic Leadership</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Teacher: Ms. Brown (Tekki) • Lunch – Gym <p>Beading Club</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Facilitator: Chelsey Hill • Every Monday at Lunch – Indigenous Success Centre <p>Dungeons and Dragons</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Teacher: Mr. Evanoff • <u>After school</u> in Room 103 3:40-5:00pm <p>Interact Club</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Facilitators: Morgan Turland and Jenny Cannon • 2nd & 4th Monday of the month- Quick meeting Tuesday October 14th • Room 257 at Lunch <p>Library Committee</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Teacher-Sponsor: Mrs. Reed • Lunch – Library Book Club on Thursday, October 16
Tuesday	<p>Leadership</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Teacher: Mr. Boyd • Lunch: room 125 <p>Physics 12 – Reminder of the optional Dynamics test rewrite</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Teacher: Ms. Bryce • Lunch: room 100
Wednesday	<p>Student Advisory Group</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Teacher-Sponsor: Mr. Cadden • 1st Wednesday every month in Art room <p>SAS Pride Action Team Gender/Sexuality Alliance</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Teacher-Sponsor: Mrs. Tompkins & Ms. Bryce • Location: RM.147 @lunch <p>Chess and Historical Board Games Club</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Teacher Sponsor: Mr. Hughes • Lunch – room 113
Thurs	<p>Leadership</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Teacher: Mr. Boyd • Lunch: room 125
Friday	<p>Strategy Games Club</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Teacher-Sponsor: Mr. Evanoff • Lunch - room 103 <p>The Euler's Team – problem solving and math contest prep</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lunch in room 218 sponsored by Mrs. Thiessen

School Learning Plan discussion

What areas would you like SAS to focus on as we help to prepare students best for the “next” phase in life.

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