**EEPSA Local Chapter Meeting**

Date:  February 22, 2022

Location:  Zoom

In attendance: Frances McCoubrey, Vanessa Elton, Dawn Bast, Helen Jones, Kacie Young

**Meeting Agenda:**

1. **Check-in**

**PBE**

1. Took kids to skate park-dropped balls around different areas of the park.
2.

1. **Business**

**Previous Agenda:**

1. Can apply for grant money-EEPSA, district level-LSA group decide.
2. Update membership table

1. **Dawn – Pro-d Ideas and Questions:**

1. What professional development has your staff found helpful for learning about PBL and how to do it?
	1. Frances-Outdoor council of Canada-leveled--Leadership training-field training

 training [https://www.outdoorcouncil.ca](https://www.outdoorcouncil.ca" \t "_blank)

* 1. Forest School of Canada-
	2. Project Wild & Project Wet- pick and choose
	3. Wild Schools-Premade kits (Kacie Young's school)-trainer came to the school
	4. Has anyone taken online or hybrid training in the PBL, Land-based learning, Forest schools leadership etc.? Any suggestions for taking learning into next steps? Maybe we set up workshops and learning retreats for our LSA?
		1. Action Item: Bring ideas to the next meeting
		2. What do we want to learn?

1. **Leadership Conference – Frances-**
	1. **CBEEN & EEPSA:**
		1. CBEEN-pay for every president to go on a retreat Nipika near Radium Hotsprings
		2. Leadership retreat-fun, workshops targeting capacity building in the LSA's.
		3. End of April

1. **EEPSA updates – Frances-**
	1. New teacher conference-several EEPSA workshops being offered

1. **Survey Results – Vanessa?-**
	1. TBC
2. **Successes and Hopes – Everyone-**
	1. Vanessa-successful ProD in January
	2. Vanessa-Hopes-school community to an elective model in the afternoons. Vanessa surveyed teachers and found out their passions and turning them into learning opportunities
	3. Helen-snow safety, adaptation of local animals
		1. Dave Quinn-community based educator
3. Kacie-enjoying going on the ice with students
4. Dawn-returning to PBL

1. **Other**
	1. Decals: order more from Celena

1. **Treasurer Update – Kacie**

1. Budget available-1800$ right now in bank account
2. Frances and Kacie hang out-sort out financial stuff

1. **Action Items:**

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| **Action Items**  | **Responsible** **Member**  | **Date to be** **Completed**  |
| 1. Connecting with 100 mile house
 | Frances, Kacie, Helen invite 100 mile house teachers for local workshops.   | Leave this alone for now  |
| 1. Vanessa
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| 1. Kacie Young
 | Email the survey to the EEPSA membership -ask for the surveys back in one week   | February 28, 2022  |
| 1. Frances McCoubrey
 | Double check with EEPSA whether we can build place-based program for building capacity.  -Purchase a couple of resources -provide release time (2 days)   | March 11, 2022  |
| 1. Dawn Bast
 | Write a proposal for EEPSA for our PBL idea -  | March 11, 2022  |
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 | Order decals from Celena Metcalfe -Ask for 20 to be sent to Kacie Young -Ask for 20 to be sent to Dawn Bast    | February 28, 2022  |
| 1. Frances McCoubrey
 | Email the dates out of Nipika Ask if a nonpresident can attend on our own dime-using ProD funds from district  | March 4, 2022  |
| 1. Frances McCoubrey
 | ProD-possibly invite Kim Ondrick (Mill Bay) to present to us? -ProD-PGDTA and CCTA Funding  | March-April 2022  |
| 1. Dawn
 | Check into ProD overlaps for SD57, SD27  |   |
| 1. Frances McCoubrey & Kacie Young
 | Kacie and Frances will hang out, work out access to bank accounts  | March 4, 2022  |
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1. **Next meeting:**
	1. March 28, 2022- 4:45 pm