

Approved Carihi PAC Meeting Minutes  
Jan 20, 2025

**Attendees:**

Nicole Walker -PAC President  
Christa Corrigan-V/President  
Cheryl Chatterton-Treasurer

Jen Fagan - Secretary  
Dino Pagliardi -PAC DPAC Rep  
Seán McLaughlin -Principal

**Call to Order:** Nicole 7:00pm

**Approval of minutes Nov 2024 - Nicole motioned to pass, all in favour**

**Principals/Vice Principals Report:**

See Attached

**Treasurers' Report:**

Haven't received any bank statements since the mail strike.

General Account Balance - \$7075.60 Dec 31, 2024

Gaming - \$18952.05 Dec 31, 2024

Authorization of 50-50 electronic draw signed by Nicole, Christa, Cheryl, Jen on Dec 3, 2024 -The 50/50 draw made \$2585.01 profit.

Motion to run another 50/50 raffle through rafflebox - Cheryl proposed, all in favour. Paperwork signed by Nicole, Cheryl, Christa and Jen.

Letter from leadership teacher regarding funds for Caripalooza - Sean suggested the funds to pay for any space should come from insurance because they are displaced due to fire. Leadership teacher was happy to hear of funds available through the gaming budget.

## DPAC

Meeting in Dec. New Director of Instruction - Stephen Hawkins-Bogle

## **New Business:**

Nicole is leaving in June so we will need to have things in order prior

Next meeting - look at recruitment for PAC next year.

## **Correspondence:**

2 Teachers Magazines

## **Documents Attached:**

Principals report

## **Nicole adjourned at 750 PM**

Next meeting dates

Feb 24, 2025

April 14, 2025

AGM - May 12, 2025

June 9, 2025\* if necessary

## **Report to P.A.C. for January**

January 20, 2025

### **Reflections:**

It is hard to believe that the last time we met was mere days before the fire. A lot has transpired since then!

After a week closure, the district was able to reopen Oyster River Elementary to make up for six teaching spaces we lost. Our gym classes have moved to Robron, our classes through SD 93 are currently at EDM, our band has started and is hosted at Phoenix, and culinary arts splits time between a classroom at Carihi, and the kitchen at NIC.

The district has been so supportive, ensuring that our teachers and support staff can teach with as few limitations as possible. Staff have made adjustments in numerous ways, from returning to two blocks a day in an alternating format, to teaching in different locations in the school and around the district.

Work in the gym area and A wing should begin shortly, and timeframes will be determined once work begins. The goal is to return students to our building as soon as possible, so all possibilities are being considered.

We will start semester two next week in all facilities. The remediation company has set a timeline for the end of February to have B wing ready for students. For a smooth transition, we will look at Spring Break to move classes from Oyster River back to Carihi. We will continue with the double block format, to allow for movement between all facilities, and limit disruptions.

I am still impressed with our students, who have met the challenges with determination and continue to make Carihi a great place to work and learn.

The three goals of the 2024-28 Strategic Plan are:

1. Honouring Indigenous World Views and Perspectives
2. Student Centered Learning Environments
3. Evolving for Tomorrow

**January**

27-28 Assessment Focus Days

29 First Day of Semester 2

**February**

13 -Report cards go home

17 Family Day

18 – Pro D Day

**March**

3-7 – Informal Interims

17-28 Spring Break

31 – Pro D Day

**April**

11 – Assessment Focus Day

15 - ICBC Presentation

18 –Good Friday

21 Easter Monday

**May**

1 –Report Cards Home

19 –Victoria Day

30 –Assessment Focus Day

**June**

7 - Prom

24-25 –Assessment Focus Days

26 –Report Cards Due