

Parent Advisory Committee (PAC) to the Superintendent Meeting  
June 2, 2016 ±Central Services BoardRoom  
Key Communications

Each school has two representatives on this committee. Attendees introduced themselves and shared their connections with the school district. Dawn Brand and Grace Munson-~~chair~~.

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heard and are planning to fund for 2016/17 to finalize our budget this June.

- x [Facilities Update](#) Ron Cowan shared an update on the Parkview and Happy Valley projects, which are nearing completion. He also shared that we are preparing for construction this summer for the turf field at Squalicum High School and the new Options High School. Finally, the [New Sehome High School Educational Specifications and Design Advisory Committee](#) will be submitting a recommendation to the superintendent this month for the proposed site plan design for the new school. The site plan allows students to remain in the existing building while the new Sehome is built. The group shared appreciation that the projects have remained on budget and on schedule.

Partners in Funding ±Roles of the District, Foundation, PTA/PTO

- x The group reflected on the various funding roles of the district, Bellingham Public Schools Foundation and PTA/PTOs.
- x Field trips: Each school has a budget for field trips. The Foundation also helps fund field trips. And, PTA general fundraising supports field trips. We want to avoid asking parents for money for a specific  
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