

EPC Grad Meeting Minutes, November 17 2021

Committee Members Present:

Name	Position	Name	Position
Penny Smith	<i>Chair</i>	Monica Dahl	<i>Secretary</i>
Kelly Swan	<i>Budget Lead</i>	Todd Dutchak	<i>Facility Lead</i>
Chelsea Kirby	<i>*Social Lead</i>		

* New position

Regrets: Rachel Ramey – Decorating Lead

Update from Sean Morrison:

- Theme: Great Gatsby, 1920's theme
- Colours: still too close to tell; Sean is giving graduates until Friday to vote.
- Grad hoodies: Sean is working on this, more updates to follow at next meeting
- Grad rings: postponed until November 24th
- Grad format options:
 1. Held at multiplex following rules laid out by ARMS. With banquet/gathering following the ceremony in the hockey rink.
 2. Format the same as last year, individual grads and their guests enter and take part in a short ceremony in the EPC gym.
 3. Grads only in the EPC gym, traditional type of ceremony and its live streamed.

VOTE: attendees voted to go with option one, with ceremony in field house and a cocktail hour in the field house (with finger foods supplied by Neighbours).

- Social Lead: Sean suggested we should have a Social Lead, after discussion, Chelsea Kirby volunteered.
- Sean has booked the multiplex for the Friday-Sunday (possible to get it Thursday if required).
- Sean works with the Facility Lead (Todd) and the Multiplex to arrange chair set-up.

VOTE: attendees voted NOT to hire a decorator, but rather the graduates and parents will decorate.

Update from Penny Smith:

- There will be a bottle drive on November 20th, students are asked to volunteer to collect bottles. Meet at Riverfront at 9:00 am.
- Penny has arranged it so anyone can drop off bottles at the bottle depot and ask that the money be put towards EPC grad.
- We will hold a silent auction in December. Sophia Smith is arranging the auction and it will go up on Face Book early December. Auction items can be collected and stored at EPC. Monica has drafted a letter asking for donations. It will be made available on the Grad Face Book page.
- Next meeting will be just with Grad Committee (December).