



Good Shepherd Catholic School
Parent Advisory Association Meeting Minutes
2024-2025

Wednesday, March 19, 2024
7:00 PM

Staffroom

- 1) Call to Order 7:26PM C.Wilhelm
 - Introduction of Guests & Executive Members
 - Verification of Quorum
 - Jennifer Dimas
 - Beth Pecson
 - Lynn Gagnon
 - Pechais Larbe
 - Samantha Tauro
 - Jamie Hautman
 - Shannon Maclachlan
 - Cindy Wilhelm
 - Kristy McCoy
- 2) Approval of Agenda C.Wilhelm
 - Shannon -- Motion to approve March 2025 agenda
 - Jamie -- 2nd motion to approve March 2025 agenda
 - Motion passed
- 3) Approval of Previous Minutes C.Wilhelm
 - Samantha -- Motion to approve February 2025 Minutes
 - Shannon -- 2nd motion to approve February 2025 Minutes
 - Motion Passed
- 4) Reports P. Larbe
 - A. Parent Advisory Association Financial Report Committee Members
 - General Account -- \$26 135.25
 - Casino Account -- \$63 116.12
 - First Questions – The money for the coding kits comes from the Casino account
 - Shrove Tuesday Budget – spent less that last year. This year we gave 1 pancake

- Valentine Day Budget -- \$1600 last year and \$1200 this year
- Estimating another \$5000 in classroom support to still be paid for from the general account
- Note from Jennifer from Mouse Robots – 3 kits
 - The Science consultant recommended to start with 15. If school notices that these kits are always been used. Then she will purchase another kit

B. Fundraising Committee Report

- Cash Call -- ask families if they want to participate in an specific event to raise money
- Silent Auctions may not work in the future as we need to get donations from parents. It is hard to canvas local businesses and they have been tapped out and we did not receive many donations. We have asked families for donations and council has heard nothing. Families are busy.

5) New Business

S. McLachlan

- Teacher Appreciation Budget
 - Shannon - Motion for approval for \$4500 for staff appreciation
 - Pechais - 2nd Motion for approval for \$4500 for staff appreciation
 - Motion passed
- Grade 6 Farewell Budget
 - Jamie - Motion for approval for \$600 for grade 6 farewell
 - Pechais - 2nd Motion for approval for \$600 for grade 6 farewell
 - Motion passed
- School Requests
 - From Parent Advisory Association Request
 - Shannon - Motion to approve \$2635.30 for rocks and curling sets of 4
 - Jamie -- 2nd Motion to approve \$2635.30 for floor curling sets of 4
 - Motion Passed
 - We are paying this much for a 1 week residency – This would be a great allocation that could be used 2- 3 times a year and then put aside into storage
 - From School Council Budget
 - Pay for traffic and parking signage to support our initiatives for safety parking
 - Motion to approve \$987 for parking signage initiative
 - 2nd Motion to approve \$987 for parking signage initiative
 - Motion passed

6) Next Meeting

C.Wilhelm

- April 30, 2025 @ 7:00 PM

7) Adjournment – 7:45PM

C.Wilhelm