

Juice Boxes -

April 9

Funds In (340 orders) - \$2,555.75

Funds Out: Pizza -
Cookies -
Juice Boxes -

Lunchbox Commissions

Balance as of April 7, 2025 - \$1,385.50

Funds In: Jan 2025 \$413.00

Funds Out: No transactions

Movie Night

Balance as of April 7, 2025 - \$921.92

Funds In: No transactions

Funds Out: No transaction

Poinsettia Fundraiser

Balance as of April 7, 2025 - \$284.39

Funds In: No transactions

Funds Out: No transactions

Snack Days

Balance as of April 7, 2025 - \$5,283.93

Funds In: Apr 8 \$897.50

Funds Out: No transactions

Music Program

Balance as of April 7, 2025 - \$607.05

Funds In: No transactions

Funds Out: No transactions

It was asked how much we usually plan to “roll-over” to the next school year. It has been quite a lot in years past but we are now encouraged to spend most of the funds in the school year it was raised. There can be exceptions for “big purchases” that would take multiple years to save for.

4. Fundraising

Purdy’s Chocolates Fundraiser is closed and pickups will be this Wednesday after school. \$540 was raised; much less than last year. Discussed that maybe because of the current economic climate families are spending less on “extras” and council can consider this moving forward with fundraising efforts.

Thank you Harpreet and all who helped out for organizing and putting your time and effort into this fundraiser!

Sabrina looked into the company that can provide carnival style games for Food Truck Night in June. Some options were a dunk tank for \$295, a “Big Splash Bucket” for \$195, large twister for \$250 and a 4 types of carnival tossing games for \$595. There is a \$95 delivery and set up fee. Council decided to go ahead with the dunk tank and Erin will ask if any teachers would be willing to participate. Sabrina will also look into any other smaller games that might be appropriate. Council will sell tickets for the dunk tank but will be doing this as a community event, not as a large fundraiser. We will also look at pre-selling the tickets once we have some teachers involved.

Harpreet and Sabrina will talk to Ms. Singer to see if she is interested in helping to organize baskets similar to last year where families were asked to donate to a “theme”. We will come up with a guessing game or similar to sell tickets for with the baskets as the prizes.

Erin will ask Victoria about asking Leo’s Pizza to set up a school pizza night.

Council discussed giving teachers funds to spend on supplies and also “bumping up” the amount given to assist in the end of year school trips. Last year we gave \$600 for each division - FDK, primary, and junior. It was thought that assisting in the cost of the trips would be giving back to families more at this time. We can confirm an amount in May.

Council would like to make sure we are communicating to families what the funds we have raised all year have been spent on. Ceara can look at making something up for the newsletter and the spring concert.

The school ordered a flute and tuba and requested that the council match that by purchasing another flute and tuba with a cost of approximately \$1200.

Council Consensus to purchase a flute and tuba, costing approximately \$1200, using the funds from the music account, the poinsettia fundraiser, and the general account.

5. Principal Report - *Erin Alary*

- Next school year classes are being organized. There will be 3 less classes currently as we will not be a holding area for some neighbourhoods. 15 of the 25 classes are currently split classes.
 - 3 FDK
 - 9 Primary
 - 12 Junior/Intermediate
- Extra Curricular:
 - Junior basketball continues

- Badminton going to a number of competitions
- Track & Field starting up soon
- Curriculum & Programming:
 - Safe & Inclusive School Committee will be relooking at goals
 - Gr. 3 and 6 EQAO will be happening end of May - early June
 - Math PD for teacher on April 11
 - Planning teacher placement for next year
 - Student place will happen early June
- Upcoming dates:
 - April 8 - Snack Day
 - April 11 - No school - PA Day
 - April 14-17 - Book Fair
 - April 18-21 - Good Friday and Easter Monday
 - April 24 - Books for Breakfast 8:15-9:00
 - April 25 - Wild West Days Theme Day
 - April 30 - Dance Fest
 - May 22 - School Math Night

6. Teacher Report - *Anne Fleming and Daniela Liska*

No updates

7. Subcommittees

a. Hot Lunch

Going well, no updates.

8. Other

Board Game Night is booked for Thursday May 8. Deanna will reach out to various businesses to see if any want to partner as well as go over available games in the school to see what is needed to add on to them this year. A sign up sheet for student volunteers will be made up and Deanna will send out a request for volunteers for that night. Anyone with any games to pass on or to lend out, please let Deanna know (especially any "big games" like yard jenga). Deanna will also talk to Leo's pizza to see if they are able to provide pizza for families to pre-order.

8. Next meeting

Monday May 5 at 6:30pm

Adjourned at 7:15pm

Minutes taken by Deanna Totten