



Jan 15

Funds In (328 orders) - \$2,427.75

Funds Out: Pizza -  
Cookies -  
Juice Boxes -

Other: 70.37 was transferred out of this account to SC General Acct for VB  
Nov 27 Juice Box reimbursement

**Lunchbox Commissions**

**Balance as of January 13, 2025 - \$517.00**

**Funds In:** October 2024 \$250.50

**Funds Out:** No transactions

**Movie Night**

**Balance as of January 13, 2025 - \$1,002.25**

**Funds In:** No transactions

**Funds Out:** No transactions

**Poinsettia Fundraiser**

**Balance as of January 13, 2025 - \$284.39**

**Funds In:** No transactions

**Funds Out:** No transactions

**Snack Days**

**Balance as of January 13, 2025 - \$2,390.25**

**Funds In:** Dec 13 (200 Orders) \$780.00

**Funds Out:** No transactions

**Music Program**

**Balance as of January 13, 2025 - \$607.05**

**Funds In:** Winter Concert \$657.05

**Funds Out:** Gifts to Schools      \$50.00

#### **4. Principal Report - *Erin Alary***

- Staffing:
  - Emily MacChesney- Gr 3
  - Andi Santos-Learning Commons/Guidance
  - Kali Best-0.2 LST Gr7-8
  - Music 0.4-Hiring done by Jan 20th
  - Cassandra Mackison- EA was temporary, now permanent
- Extra Curricular:
  - Volleyball Intermediate- Both boys and girls underway
  - Volleyball Club Intermediates-for those who didn't make the team
  - Chess Club
  - Junior Art Club
- Curriculum & Programming:
  - Acadience- looked at students to assess any not meeting benchmarks and doing some intentional planning based on the data.
  - School improvement and Equity plan-continue to work on this during staff meetings.
- Upcoming dates:      Jan 17th- PA Day  
                                    Jan 24th-Snack Day

#### **5. Teacher Report - *Anne Fleming and Daniela Liska***

- Welcome to parent council Daniela Liska - thank you for joining us!
- K-gr 2 STEM group starting as well as Volleyball for Intermediates
- The Green Team are planning another cotton candy fundraiser around Valentines Day and would like to check if it conflicts with any parent council fundraising. Council confirms there is no conflict and go ahead! The students have decided to fundraise for outdoor garbage bins and a table/chair set that is wheelchair accessible - costing a range of \$1700-\$2700. They are also setting aside money for trees but there is currently more red tape to go through for those. Council suggested they might want to ask if a local high school would be interested in partnering to make them or even just get some more cost effective picnic tables. Erin would have to find out if that would be board approved and bring it to the students as this is a student-led initiative.

#### **6. Subcommittees**

##### **a. Hot Lunch**

Going well, no updates.

Pizza also going smoothly, no updates.

##### **b. Fundraising**

Harpreet will book Purdys Chocolates for a fundraiser in March. Will aim for March for 2 weeks with a deadline of March 23. Delivery will be week of 31-3 and pickup will be organized for April 8-9. Harpreet will send out details for any volunteers needed after know the number of orders. Thank you Harpreet for organizing!

**Council Consensus that funds from Purdys Chocolates Fundraiser will go towards field trips for all grades.**

Food Trucks booked for June 3. Basket fundraiser did well last year - students were asked to donate for a themed basket - ex. "summer fun". Committee will look into adding more "games" as well as music, facepainting, etc. Daniela will ask around at schools that have

done a spring fair before to get any suggestions. Erin will put an ask to teachers for any needs that the funds raised can be used for. One suggestion was for the FDK classes to get more outdoor equipment. There is also a need for more music instruments and possibly for assisting sports teams as it is more difficult for them to raise funds lately. Council will discuss this more next meeting.

## **7. Other**

Last year a Board Game Night was organized and well attended. It was a free event for families to come to the school for the evening and play board games that were available at the school or bring their own. There was also the option to pre-order a pizza for a dinner option. Deanna will start planning one this year and look into adding a different food option - Abes possibly - as well as a possible sponsor for coffee. Deanna will look at dates and events coming up and send out a day to agree on.

## **8. Next meeting**

Monday March 3 at 6:30pm

Adjourned at 7:35pm

Minutes taken by Deanna Totten