

MEETING MINUTES

Hawthorn Home & School Association

Monday, May 2, 2022 @ 7pm

Present: Anne Gourlay, Andrew Bray, Joel Miller, Melody Turner, Erin Nauss, Erin Miller, Joe Malloch, Cindy Coffin Were, Ashley Dawn Wile, Laura Dunn

Regrets: Rachel Blair Johns

- Welcome
- Old Business & Last meeting minutes
Minutes approved
- Budget & Balance Update
No funding requests
We approved funds for Discovery Centre via email after last meeting
- Funding Requests: n/a

Continuing Business

- Pizza lunch:
 - Grade sixes are awesome! Joel is not needed :-)
 - Very few errors and Little Caesar's going well
 - Any leftover pizzas go in freezer and can be used if someone forgets/spills lunch
 - Date for school-wide pizza lunch (incl. for people with allergies)
 - June 17th –Erin to send email to Bryony to figure out best way to do the order. Ms, Coffin-Were could prepare a spreadsheet for the teachers.
 - Perhaps we could have a donation option? Andrew did last year and can do again. May need to use Schools Plus site for donations
- Ice Cream Social:
 - Next steps:
 - Date of June 3rd (June 4th rain date)
 - Activities/stations?
 - Fire truck–Joel can check to see if it is an option due to Covid.
 - There is a large freezer. Also should get freezies. (Freeze them in advance!)
 - Any extras can be donated.
 - Will need coolers and volunteers
 - Andrew will check with friend re: ice cream sandwiches
 - Should we have a sign-up sheet? Andrew will draft something that can be sent to families
 - Ms, Gourlay will draft email and the Ice Cream Task Force will meet May 9th
- Grade 6 Closing:
 - Met to discuss what this could look like
 - Sweatshirts/t-shirts–looking at donations so no cost
 - Class photos
 - Ceiling tile painting
 - Fun afternoon on-site for them
 - Graduation ceremony and dinner at Banook: looking to separate the ceremony/certificate/speeches take place at school in the gym. If families want to do the Banook potluck they can do separately.

-Budget? \$600. Need to ensure that funds directed to particular items so that not everyone looking for reimbursement. We should have more information on specific requests.

New Business

- Recycling Money
- Garden beds
- Thank you to HSA for Seeds of Change and popcorn.
- Recycling funds—could be used for outdoor balls etc.- Agreed
- Flower boxes for gardens outside the school are falling apart (screws and nails etc). Is this an HSA thing? Ali Shaver led this in the past. Ms. Gourlay will reach out to her. Discussion re repair/replace. Joel will assess what is needed and group can work together to possibly fix.
- Book Drive- Ms. Gourlay will speak to Ms. Copeman about what may be needed

Upcoming Meetings

June 6, 2022 Chair: TBD, Secretary: TBD