



MEETING MINUTES

Monday, April 3rd, 2023 @ 7:00pm

Location: In-Person at Hawthorn Elementary School

Present: Anne Gourlay, Laura Dunn, Ms. Tipper Erin Nauss, Rachel Blair-Johns, Bryony McStay, Ashley Wiles, Jacinta MacKay, Lydia Mans, Christine Reade, Melody Turner

- Welcome
 - Last Meeting Minutes Approved
 - New Business/ Continuing Business
 - Ceilidh – Music Fundraiser
 - Spring Fair
 - Healthy Hunger
 - Grade 6 Grad
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Continuing Business

- Hawthorne Ceilidh – April 20th, 6:00pm – 7:30pm
 - Organized by Ms. Tipper as a fundraiser for new school instruments
 - Ms. Gourlay to share soft copy of instrument wish list & prices
 - Order form for tickets will be sent home (similar to Bingo Night); performers will have tickets reserved otherwise 1st come, 1st served. Students and Family only.
 - Mel to create ad poster to share with school
 - Canteen
 - Rachel, Bryony , and Ashley will manage canteen
 - Items for sale similar to Bingo Night
 - Will obtain float
 - Set-Up & Volunteers
 - Tables and chairs to be set up around the perimeter of gymnasium,
 - Dancers will be in the middle, choir on stage
 - Looking for parent volunteers for set-up starting at 3pm on April 20th
 - Ms. Gourlay will include in email sent to entire school
 - Mel and Erin will handle door & taking tickets
 - Additional Fundraising



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- Rachel creating an artistic installation of a piano and we are "selling" the keys as fundraiser, range between \$25 - \$100 and purchasers preferred name is engraved on key and displayed at school

- Possibility to purchase keys (or entire instruments) on Square site, before and after the Ceilidh – need Andrew to add options on Square site
- Donation Jar will be present as attendees enter school
- School will also accept donations of gently-used instruments (recorders, drums, etc.)

- Ceilidh Cont.
 - Grade 6 Musical Component – Ms. Tipper to discuss with Grade 6 students

- Spring Fair – June 3rd, 10:00am – 12:00pm
 - HSA approved budget for banner ~\$125.00
 - Spring Fair Committee will meet on April 15th, 2:00pm at Cottage Café; all HSA members welcome (coffee will be expensed through HSA!)
 - Admission \$1.00, 50 cents per ticket/ \$10 for 22 tickets
 - TBD – tickets can be purchased in advance through School Cash
 - Possibility of Grade 6's having a coffee & bake sale fundraiser (separate from canteen)
 - After school event to make decorations for the Spring Fair – more details to follow
 - Possibility to have Toy Drop off box at Ceilidh (donated items to use as prizes)

- Healthy Hunger
 - Wednesday, April 5th will be a Pizza Day in lieu
 - Ms. Gourlay to send reminder to parents via email
 - The remainder of healthy hunger dates to go live on website (hopefully no more snow days!)
 - School Pizza Day June 9th – HSA to provide pizza for all students and teachers
 - Individuals with dietary restrictions will be accommodated