

# Minutes

## Fundraising Association for Heritage Hills Elementary FAHHE

March 9, 2022

### Attendance:

Lisa Solamillo, Marla Dorin, Lisa McDonnell, Kelly Annesty, Andrea Kardal, Sarah Witholt  
Staff: Bill Schlacht, Kyle Samaratunga, Teresa Wells-Taylor, Stacey Caruthers, Suzanne Cleet

### 1. Welcome and Call to Order

1.1 The meeting was called to order at 8:03 pm by Lisa Solamillo, Chair.

### 2. Approve the Minutes of the last meeting

2.1 Motion to approve the Agenda as presented by Sarah Witholt. Seconded by Andrea Kardal.  
All in favor. Motion carried.

### 3. Approve the Minutes of the last meeting

3.1 Motion to approve the Minutes from January 26, 2022 as presented by Marla Dorin. Seconded by Kelly Annesty. All in favor. Motion carried.

### 4. Old Business

4.1 There has been a little interest in the playground committee but no one has signed up to be on the committee. So far there have been questions around time commitments and the scope of the work to be done by committee members.

### 5. New Business

5.1 The Blaze pizza fundraiser is at the halfway mark. Two nights completed and two more to go. It is easy to order online using the code and also in person mention Heritage Hills Elementary school.

5.2 April 11 - 24 there will be a Little Caesars pizza kit fundraiser with orders picked up on May 13. Online ordering is preferred but there are order forms for anyone not able to order online. There will be a need for three volunteers to run this fundraiser successfully. The goal is to raise \$2000 (about 333 kits). If we are able to achieve this goal there will be a loyalty bonus. Anyone that makes a sale will be entered into a draw for one of three free kits.

### 6. Funding Requests

6.1 There were no funding requests at this time, however Kyle is awaiting feedback from teachers about size small snowshoes. It's doubtful the kindergarteners or grade ones will enjoy snowshoeing because of the difficulty getting them on their feet.

## **7. Reports**

7.1 Marla presented the most recent financial statement. Hot lunch is going well. There is about \$4500 set aside for outdoor play equipment with our fundraising so far. There was First Nation / Metis funding that covered the outdoor classroom rocks. So the money that was raised for the rocks could be put toward landscaping the outdoor classroom area.

7.2 Hot lunch report: shak-a-patate did well with the tourtière. Next year it would be good to split the school in two. The French immersion classes had the bulk of the orders, perhaps because they are more familiar with tourtière. There were 350 hot lunch orders in March. They came pre-packaged and labeled. Very easy to distribute. With Covid mandates loosening, more places are booking up for hot lunches. April hot lunch is Purple Perogy and May hot lunches will be Subway and Cobbs. We will look into a sports day hot lunch for June. There is a lot of support for the universal hot lunch program. If there is a surplus at the end of the year should we donate it to the food bank or purchase a treat for the whole school population?

## **8. Open Forum**

8.1 A huge thank you to Mr & Mrs Cleet for purchasing a class set of hockey helmets. It was a very kind and generous donation that the students will enjoy.

Bill added that the students are enjoying hot lunch days.

## **9. Adjournment**

10.1 Lisa Solamillo adjourned the meeting at 8:25 pm.

The next meeting will be May 11, 2022 after the parent council meeting.