

**Woodlands Parent Advisory Council**  
**March 14, 2023 Meeting Minutes**

**Present:** Andrea Estensen, Colleen Rosing, Billie Jean Oliver, Margaret Delipper, Jessica Burns, Brette Park (via Zoom), Vanessa Park, Jen Mazur, Grace Purdy, Jennine Campbell

**Regrets:** Tim Lee

**Called to Order:** Meeting was called to order at 6:33 pm

**Minutes:** January 2023 Minutes were read. Grace Purdy moved to have the Minutes accepted as read; Vanessa Park 2<sup>nd</sup> the motion. Minutes were Adopted as read.

**Treasurer's Report:**

Regular Chequeing:	\$5,873.13
Playground Chequing:	\$11,109.84
Playground Savings:	\$19,950.84

**Fundraising:**

- 50/50 draw – tickets are being sold; not as successful so far but still have some time. Draw is March 22, 2023
- Hot lunches – February Hot lunch was a success; ended up earning \$187.00; having one in March (Chicken Burgers with veggies & dip); Received donation of a case of chicken burgers and 10 packages of in-store made buns donated by Stonewall Co-op; will put a thank you in our newsletter; Marquette Co-op has indicated that they will donate \$300.00 towards April's hot lunch.
- Created a thermostat fundraising "chart"; being printed by Staples.

**Principal's Report:**

- Mr. Lee was unable to attend;
- Billie Jean touched based on what was happening at the school;
- Swimming lessons are almost completed – huge success; students really enjoyed the program; they also enjoyed the opportunity to skate and walk on the indoor track while they weren't in the pool; Will try again next year to make this program happen again;
- Report Cards will be sent home on March 24<sup>th</sup>;
- School Clothing order was submitted;
- Holding a wellness day on March 15<sup>th</sup> with different stations to explore all types of wellness;

**Playground Update:**

- Settled on a play structure
- Quiz Night – Rebecca Good organized and booked one for April 14<sup>th</sup> at the Woodlands Hall; would like someone to organize the silent auction; Grace will help out with it as well;
- Community donation letters have been sent out and many of the businesses want to donate auction items as opposed to cash; Some business want to know how they will be recognized before committing funds; need to explore recognition options at next meeting;
- Rebecca and Vanessa are working on a proposal to the RM
- Stephanie and Margaret are coordinating and sending out letters;

**New Business**

Andrea brought up a couple of other fundraising ideas:

- Bacon fundraiser – this fundraiser is held online with little effort on the part of the school or board members; 11 lbs of fresh bacon for \$85.00 with 20% return to the school; requires a 50 box minimum; they will wave any delivery fees;
- There is a Vendor's sale going on in Stonewall on May 13<sup>th</sup>; they have a table set aside for a non-profit and applications need to be put in; the successful applicant will receive admission costs to the event; the vendor table rental is waived; it was decided that if we are the successful candidate we would obtain rose bushes in 2 gallon pots and sell them for Mother's Day; Jennine and Colleen both volunteered to be there to sell; - this is only if we are the successful candidate;

**Next Meeting:**

The next meeting is schedule for Monday, April 24th @ 6:30 pm at Woodlands School library

**Adjourned:**

Meeting adjourned at 8:00 pm