

ECVS Home and School Association Meeting Minutes
March 7, 2023
6:30 p.m.
ECVS - Library

Present: Sarah, Cory, Tracy, Sandy, Lisa, Ashlee, Leanne

Regrets: Araceli, Tracy P, Tannis, Donna, Saima

1. Welcome

- Chair welcomed everyone to the meeting along with our guest, Melissa Morrison from the FRC

2. Chairperson's Report

- Winter skating evening ended up being cancelled due to extreme cold weather, will try again next winter
- Sarah wrote a technology grant letter for the school for support
- Sarah created and is going to send out a parent survey about some goals and ideas for the next school year
- Donut day was a huge success and the children were very excited! There were fruit cups as an alternative for those opting out of a donut
- PAWS presentation will be set up for the spring time
- Background checks for volunteers will be tabled for next meeting

3. Treasurer's Report

- Reimbursements:
 - Staff appreciation \$44.38
 - Donut day \$345.00
- \$2.00 for Etransfer charge as reimbursements were sent via etransfer
- Account balance: \$19,673.91

4. Principal's Report

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5. Teacher's Report - Michelle Hauser

- Student led - April 20 & 21
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6. Fundraising Plans

- Rain Barrel sale
 - Have a sample rain barrel set up at the Spring Dance to look at (possibly to raffle off)
 - Plan for the spring - week of May 31
 - Will need 100 rain barrels sold in order to get a truck for delivery
- Mordens Chocolate Bunnies

- o Saima has contacted Mordens chocolates and will make up the order form to go home with students
- o Sell for \$6/bunny
- o Bunnies will be packed Monday, April 3 at the school by Cory and volunteers
- o Bunnies will go home the 4th and 5th with pick-up option

7. Special Events

- **Spring Dance**
 - o Friday, April 28th from 6-8pm
 - o Theme will be flowers, rainbows, bees
 - o Cory passed on DJ information to Sarah (D&D - cost for school dance is \$325 which includes; event, consultation, discussion of music, sound system, enhanced light show. No deposit needed just a letter about event)
 - o All proceeds from the bunny fundraiser will go towards the dance
 - o Sarah makes a motion to spend up to \$1000 for dance, Ashlee seconds the motion, all at meeting were in favour. Tracy V agreed to help out with any over costs
 - o Cory will talk to people about possible snack donations
 - o Families will have to let us know if they will be attending so we don't exceed capacity for the gym
 - o May have tables/chairs available for outdoor seating and refreshments
- **Spring Concerts**
 - o Will be planned for Grade 3 & 4 students
 - o Dates will be confirmed at a later date - possibly June
 - o Ashlee will apply for 50/50 or raffle if needed/planned
- **Popcorn Day**
 - o Just like the donut day, provide popcorn for the kids to have as a treat on a special day
- **Sponge/Dunk a teacher/**
 - o Plans will be made at a later time
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8. Round Table

- Next meeting will discuss parent survey results and rain barrel sale

9. Next Meeting

- Tuesday, May 9, 2023 at 6:30pm