



# Swift Water VPO Board Meeting Minutes

Date: June 3, 2024

Location: Swift Water Community Room

## Attendees:

Board Members:

Sarita Smith, VPO President  
Stephanie Guimont, VPO Vice President  
Shannon Clute, VPO Secretary  
Jennifer Fletcher, VPO Treasurer  
Ruth MacIntyre, VPO Communications

## Special Guests:

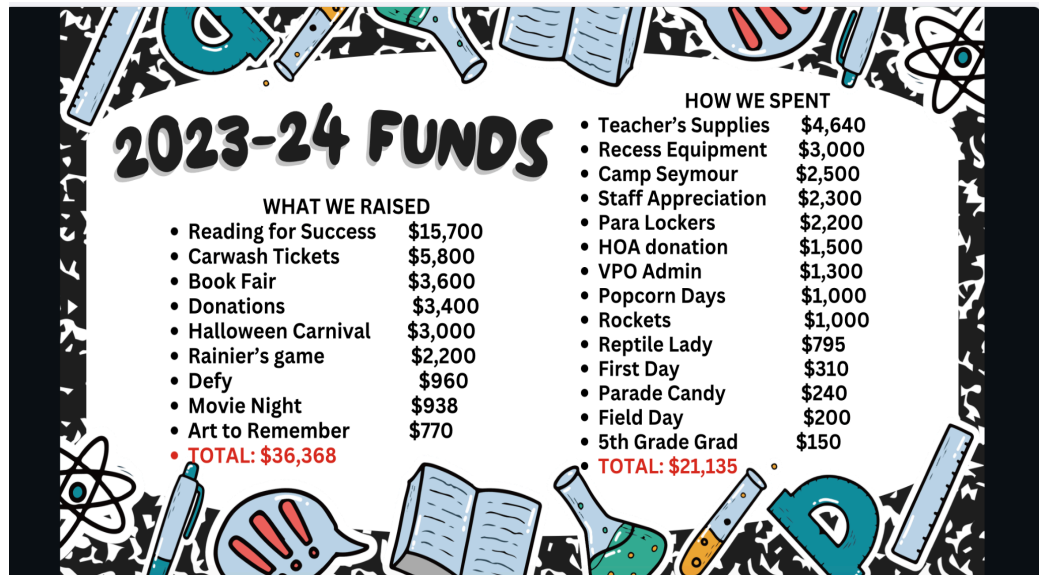
David Brooks, Principal

## Agenda

☐ **Call to order: 6:30pm**

☐ **Welcome: Sarita Smith**

- It has been a wonderful year. We have accomplished so much. The VPO has grown a lot since it first started 3 years ago. We are excited to see what the next year brings.
- Review of the 2023 - 2024 year:
  - September: Meet the Teachers, Welcome Back event, Teacher's Supplies Checks, Art to Remember.
  - October: Fall Carnival, Book fair, Conference Night Dinners
  - November/December: Parent Guide, Popcorn, Staff Treats (all year)
  - January/February: Movie Night, School Play, Reading for Success, Cultural Connections.
  - March: Girls on the Run, Spring Book Fair, Defy
  - April: Reptile Lady at STEM, Rhubarb visits the school, Rainier's Game, Let me Run, Recess Equipment purchase
  - May: Staff Appreciation Week, Parade Candy, Para Lockers, BOGO book fair, Yearbook
  - June: 5th grade camp, 5th grade moving on ceremony, Field Day supplies
- Inclusive Soccer began this year. it maintains a ratio of 1:1 of athletes with special needs to their peers. The kids loved it and can't wait for next year. The VPO purchased medals for all the students.
- How did we spend our money?!



- 2024 - 2025 Board Nominations:
  - Co-President: Shannon Clute and Victoria Bercek
  - Vice President: Jennifer Fletcher
  - Secretary: Adam Markel
  - Treasurer: Stephanie Guimont
  - Communications: Sarah Carruthers
  - Volunteer Coordinator: Brigitte Coudron
  - Member at Large: unfilled
- Ruth MacIntyre motioned to approve the new board. Jessica Gordon seconded. APPROVED.
- Question: Are there any open committee spots?
  - Answer: We are currently reaching out to our committee leads and will be posting on facebook later in the summer or fall of any slots that need to be filled.



**Meeting Adjourned : 7:00pm**