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## Attendance:

Name	Role
Amy Hamilton	Vice-Chair
Meghan Gellineau	Teacher Rep
Kristina Brown	Chair
Victoria Mounzer	Communications & Food Program Coordinator
Krista Doyle	Secretary
Courtney O'Reilly	Parent-at-Large
Janice Beun	Parent-at-Large
Carole Lapee	Parent-at-Large
Chelsea Laughren	Parent-at-Large
Absent	
Mallory Peisley	Treasurer
Stephanie Myers	Principal
Jolene Scherr	Parish Representative
Allison Lipson	Parent-at-Large

Minutes taken by: Krista Doyle

**Secretarial Note:** The minutes of the previous meeting were approved previously via e-mail and have been posted on the school's website under the Parent Portal.

Principals Address	Motion, Action or Notes
<ul> <li>Awareness Days/Weeks and social initiatives</li> <li>Socks and Suds donations for the month of December went very well. The material goods donation was made to the Shepards of Good Hope along with a cheque for \$100</li> <li>Robyn Guy has been working with students during class time on a musical theatre production. Each class has their own song and performance exclusive for them, in a variety of themes.</li> <li>The Valentine's Day dance dates did not work, it was decided that we would change to a "Spring Dance" instead <ul> <li>Things to work on would be a dj or source of music, snack table, a quiet craft room as an alternative to the dance</li> </ul> </li> <li>Sports</li> <li>Currently the only intramural sport running is pickle ball for grade 4 - 6.</li> <li>Mr. D brought in nets and has been working with the students</li> </ul>	March 4th is Shrove Tuesday     Kristina motioned to     continue with the pancake     snack for students, Chelsea     second the motion     o Decisions to be made     will be who provides     the snack, possibly     Lunch Lady
<ul> <li>Operational Updates</li> <li>Recesses have been inside more frequently with the cold weather</li> <li>Students have been given body breaks to provide short breaks while their outside time is limited by the weather</li> <li>The 2nd ski trip for students will be January 30th, the first ski day on January 16th went well aside from the number of same day pick up change requests</li> <li>Students are working through an online comprehensive bullying prevention program called Dare to Care</li> </ul>	

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## Important dates that are coming up January 30th is our Carp Pizza fundraiser night January 31st is a PD Dav February 13th report cards go home • Grade 3 + 6 will receive their pathway letters for immersion or core French February is Black History Month • February 13th will be the "Winter Play Day in French". The day will be led by the grade 6 students during blocks 1-3. Grades 1 through 6 will participate in the activities March 4th is Shrove Tuesday Treasurer's Report/budget (Kristina) A motion was put forward by • There was very little to report on the finance Kristina to purchase more side of things grad t shirts for any new • Aside from the usually Jo-jo's pizza students who may join the cheques, the only other money coming out schoool of the account was for the T-shirts that Chelsea second the motion Parent Council purchased for all grad students at a cost of \$874 The cheque for the painting of the 4 square lines had been sent, but not yet cashed Food Program Update (Kristina) Food programs are running well • Pizza Thursdays will resume February 6th and run to June 19th. o ordering cut off for the 2nd session will be January 29th, 2025 **Fundraising** January 30th will be the Carp Pizza fundraiser night, 20% of all purchases made will go back to the school Mabel's Labels fundraiser continues to run, we hope with the change in season there will be a spark in ordering Parish Update Jolene was absent, there was no Parish update provided • It was however noted that any grade 4-6 students that did not participate in the Thursday ski trips would be attending mass with the younger grades

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## Grants

- The Proud To Be Me grant was approved, Thank you to Courtney for submitting the application
  - The grant money will be put towards the scheduled visit from Aubrey Noronha's visit on January 22nd, for grades kindergarten through grade 6
  - o If there are left over funds, Aubrey Noronha may be brought back to complete the 2nd part of his talk for the students

Wrap-Up	Motion, Action or Notes
Kristina was to confirm if the new dates brought forth for the now "Spring Dance" were available, May 2nd or 9th	Next Meeting, February 18th