



Champs Vallée Fundraising Society
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Minutes

April 20, 2026 6:30pm

Attendees: Patrick Gamache, Brendan Wyant, Amanda Krywko, Carrie Blumenthal, Kelly Shandro, Tamara Conn, Alanna Clark, Chris Edwards

1. Call to Order: 6:31pm
2. Approval of Agenda.
 - a. Carrie makes a motion to approve the agenda, Tamara seconds. Carried
3. Approval of Previous Meeting [Minutes](#).
 - a. Tamara makes a motion to approve the minutes, Kelly seconds. Carried
4. Treasurer's Report
 - a. [CVFS Financial Report - March 2026.pdf](#) Tamara presented the report showing not a lot of activity this past month. Overall, the fundraisers that we have held this year have brought in more money that we had anticipated.
 - b. Kelly makes a motion to approve the report as presented, Carrie seconds.
Carried
5. Hot Lunch Update
 - a. This semester we are hosting an increased amount of in-house meals. Vendor costs are rising and the quality of 3rd party vendors has not been great. The hot lunch committee is going to try in-house meals to increase profits and quality.
 - b. Discussion to sell additional hot lunch food concession-style at the end of the typical hot lunch time frame. Amanda Krywko volunteers to stay a little later on Fridays to accommodate this action.
 - c. Discussion about how to handle outstanding accounts.
 - d. The servery is supposed to be cleaned every night but there have been hot lunch dates where the team was working in the servery and it wasn't cleaned. Alanna spoke with the custodian team and they have confirmed that it will be taken care of.
6. Outdoor Classroom Update
 - a. [UPDATED CONCEPT PLAN.pdf](#)

- b. Amanda sent this updated concept plan to Park Landscaping as a first step to look into costs and options to develop this plan into reality.
- c. Full quote from Park Landscaping was approximately \$73,000
- d. Further discussion planned for upcoming meetings to decide on what steps we want to take for future development

7. Old Business:

- a. Letter to kindergarten teachers -seeking parent engagement on the board
 - i. Amanda reached out to the teachers and did hear back from one teacher who encouraged the idea and would pass along the message to her class families.

8. New Business

- a. Teacher Appreciation
 - i. Tamara and Carrie will organize
- b. Steve & Dan email
 - i. We will do this fundraiser again. Commitment made this spring for a Fall 2026 delivery
- c. 4 on 4 Ball Hockey - Dansereau Meadows
 - i. Dansereau is no longer holding this annual tournament. It brings in a lot of funding but requires a heavy volunteer load. The option is there for Champs Vallee to consider taking this on.
 - ii. Discussion about the pros and cons of this idea
 - iii. It doesn't seem like we have enough volunteers or time to take this project on.
- d. Replacing dead trees: Chris Heron has offered to look into options for replacing dead trees along the outside edge of the school yard. Chris will look into grants available as well.

9. Upcoming Meeting: May 25, 2026 at 6:30pm

10. Adjournment: 7:24pm