

École LaVérendrye
Parent Advisory Council Meeting
Date: February 27, 2023
7:00pm – 8:00pm



ZOOM LINK

Meeting ID: 761 742 7703

Passcode: Alysha

AGENDA:

1. **Welcome**
2. **Virtual Meeting Attendance**
3. **Approval of Agenda**
4. **Approval of last month's Minutes**
5. **Reports:**
 - 5.1 **Principal's Report**
 - 5.2 **Teacher's Report**
 - 5.3 **Finance Report (*Melissa Dupuis*)**
 - 5.4 **Liaisons' Reports:**
 - i. **Fundraising (*Alysha Nagy, Gihan Hodroj & open for others*)**
 - a. Grad hoodies to be organized through online store for parents to order accordingly. 17 students in grade 6. *Motion to pay for grad hoodie approx. \$47/hoodie plus tax= \$800 approx*
 - b. Outdoor reading/eating – beside/behind library corner as well as beside bigger play structure (picnic table/benches) all to be approved by WSD – would Gihan take this on?
 - c. Used book fair during Parent Teacher conference in April confirmed. *Motion to use raised funds towards Orange Shirts for sept 2023*
 - d. Orange shirts
 - e. Grade 6 babysitting course
 - f. Other ideas
 - ii. **French Immersion Advisory Committee (*Martin Hunt*)**
 - iii. **South District Advisory (*Marina Marchand*)**
 - iv. **Vive le Vert (*Tanja Hutter*)**

- v. **Hot Lunch (*James Page*)**
 - a. February pita pit
 - b. Confirmed dates: march 9, April 13, may 18, June?
- vi. **Staff Appreciation (*Renee Lagimodiere & open for others*)**
- vii. **Grade 6 Camp Experience**
 - a. The camp experience total cost is just over \$4000. The school is able to provide \$1500 to offset this cost.
 - b. Would parent council donate \$2005? The cost per child would decrease to \$150.
- viii. **June Carnival -June 22 (*Alysha Nagy, JP Hoe, Melissa Sitter, Stefan Melnychenko, Gihan Hodroj*)**
 - a. *Motion to approve \$10 entry fee, adults and toddlers (4 and under) are free and donations are always welcome*
 - b. What are we fundraising for? Babysitting course?
 - c. Distribution of early bird prizes
 - d. Need parent volunteers with BBQ's and someone to obtain their food handler's certificate
 - i. 5 BBQ stands would be great
 - ii. Melissa sitter to organize all volunteers as last year
 - e. Breanna not prepared to organize musical performance.
 - f. JP & Alysha to come up with other ideas to showcase student talent
 - g. Alysha to confirm 3 bouncy castles
 - h. Stefan to organize and confirm the leisure guide games
 - i. Gihan to organize food
 - i. Cotton candy stands
 - ii. Popcorn stands
 - iii. Food trucks
 - iv. Bbq's - NEED parent volunteers
 - j. Do we offer water or sell water?
 - k. Sponge water fight instead of water balloon fight – maybe we send out a poll to parents?
 - l. Silent auction can only occur if a parent can volunteer
 - m. Face painters to be confirmed

n. Other ideas?

ix. **Holiday Bazaar – to be continued in fall**

6. **Next Meeting Date: Monday, March 20, 2023**