

**École Barrie Wilson School Council Meeting
Monday, March 18, 2023 @ 6:00pm**

École Barrie Wilson School and online

Video call link: <https://meet.google.com/rcr-bwby-hmk>

Attendance

- Attendance:
Colette Pedde (Principal), Tiana Harker (Vice Principal), Meagan Parisian (Chair), Crystal Kosak (Vice Chair), Tracy Chabot (Secretary), Amity Sponholz (Treasurer), Callista Anderson, Adam Niemetz, Laurel Street, Ashlee Drummond
- Grade Three Team:
Mrs. Berlinguette, Mrs. Hart, Mme. Williams, Miss Cummerford
- Online Participants: Cherdel Tarney, Michelle Howdle, Beena Kotak

Call to Order at 6:03pm

1. Welcome
2. Approval of February 2024 Minutes
 - a. [Link to February 2024 Minutes](#)
 - i. Cherdel motions to approve.
 - ii. Crystal seconds the approval.
3. Approval of Agenda
 - a. Amity motions to approve.
 - b. Ashley seconds to approve the agenda.
4. Principal's Message
 - a. Celebration
 - i. Grade Three
 1. Mrs. Amy Berlinguette
 - a. Cards and dice are used to have fun in numeracy.
 2. Mrs. Hart
 - a. Page protector fact fluency.
 3. Mme. Williams
 - a. Daily math covering different strands over the week.
 4. Miss Cummerford
 - a. Esti-Mysteries
 - b. Principal's Report
 - i. Student led conferences went well.
 - ii. Band

1. Hillgrove band coming April 17th for a whole school presentation.
 2. Eastview band coming for Grade 5 on May 1st.
 - iii. Upcoming Events
 1. Open House May 2, 2024
 2. Kindergarten Orientation May 2, 2024
 - iv. Parking Discussion
 1. Bylaw has been present following the incident that happened a few weeks ago.
 2. Topic added to large group health.
5. Trustee Liaison - Matt Gould
 - a. Sends his regrets.
6. School Council Events
 - a. Hot Lunch Update
 - i. Going VERY well!
 - ii. Looking for help, as Crystal is limited for the next coming weeks.
 - b. Grade 5 Fundraising Update - Crystal
 - i. Bake Sale
 1. Huge success! Students were raving about it and so excited.
 2. Crystal would love to chat with Grade 4 parents about what it could look like for next year.
 3. \$1538 was raised for Grade 5 camp.
 - ii. Bottle Drive
 1. Total to be determined.
7. 10 Year Anniversary
 - a. Discussion continued from the last meeting.
 - b. Potential scholarship
 - i. The idea of a scholarship was considered by those present, as a way to spend the current casino money.
 - ii. Those present liked this idea and would like to gather information on what this could look like.
 - c. Crystal, Megan, Ashley & Beena are willing to help out with the planning for celebrations.
8. ASCA Update
 - a. Registration for ASCA Conference 2024 is open.
 - b. AGM Resolutions Discussion
 - c. [Link to Proposed Advocacy Resolutions](#)
 - d. Resolutions:

- i. P24-01: Integrate Climate & Biodiversity Education Throughout the K-12 Curriculum
 - 1. Not in favor
- ii. P24-02: Funding for More Assessments of Learning Disabilities
 - 1. In favor to support
- iii. P24-03: Improving Indoor Air Quality in Alberta Classrooms & Shared Environments
 - 1. In favor to support
 - a. Amendment: Sent to both the Minister of Education and the Minister of Infrastructure.
 - b. Removal of bussing regulations.
- iv. P24-04: Equity in Playground Funding
 - 1. In favor to support
- v. P24-05: Preserving Safe and Inclusive Spaces for 2SLGBTQI+ Students
 - 1. In favor to support
- vi. P24-06: Resource Support for French Immersion Teachers
 - 1. In favor to support
 - a. Amendment: For the Minister of Education and the Francophone Secretariat
- vii. P24-07: Enhancing Reporting of and Support for Class Size and Complexity
 - 1. In favor to support
- viii. 20-05 Class Size Archives
 - 1. In favor to support
- ix. A24-01
 - 1. In favor to support ALL
- x. A24-02
 - 1. In favor to support ALL

9. Other Business

a. Spirit Days

- i. Crazy hair day: miscommunication on advertisement.

10. Winter Concert

a. Adam Niemetz was curious about feedback in regards to the Winter Concert.

b. Colette pulled up the current responses from her survey.

- i. So far the results favored the 2 concert options versus 3 mini.

Adjourned at 7:55pm.

Barrie Wilson Parent Fundraising Association Meeting Held after School Council Meeting

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Call to Order at 7:56pm

1. Approval of Previous Minutes
 - a. [Link to November 2023 Fundraising Assn. Meeting Minutes](#) (end of document)
 - i. Ashley motions to approve.
 - ii. Lindsey seconds.
2. Approval of Agenda
 - a. Crystal motions to approve.
 - b. Ashley seconds.
3. Treasurer's Report - Amity
 - a. [Link to Treasurer's Report](#)
4. Suggestion of spending
 - a. Potential Scholarship
 - b. Playground additions
 - c. Soundboard
 - d. Alternative seating (Wiggle chairs, rocking chairs)
5. Fundraising
 - a. Hot Lunch
 - i. Going great!
6. Funding Requests
 - a. Half of the cost for bussing for Grade 5 camp,
 - i. Ashley motion to allocate \$700 to Grade 5 Camp.

- ii. Crystal seconds.
- b. First Class Planners for 2024-2025
 - i. Crystal motions to allocate \$3000 for agendas.
 - ii. Cherdel seconds.

7. Other Business

Adjourned at 8:01pm