

Athlone School Parent Council Meeting

April 4th, 2024

6:00 p.m. (In-person)

Agenda

Introductions/In Attendance:

- Ryan Miller Principal
- Melissa Maruca President
- Crystal Krzemiem Vice President
- Katie McGregor Treasurer
- Janna Thomson Secretary
- Amanda Jordan Attendee
- Ashlyn Bohonos Attendee

1) Review of Minutes from Previous Meeting (March 5th, 2024):

- a. No errors or omissions
 - motion to accept the minutes as presented - Katie
 - second - Mel
 - Motion carried

2) Treasurer's Financial Report for March (Katie)

- a. Correction to be made to reflect the net profit on the popcorn fundraiser after paying Shelley for garbage bags and pizza prize expenses.
 - motion to accept the treasurer's report as presented - Mel
 - second – Amanda
 - Motion carried.

3) Principal's Report (Mr. Miller)

- WSO field trip for intermediate was today, Primary (Gr 1-3) May 6th
- Grade 3 swimming to run from May 6 – June 17th
- Circus Show – afternoon – May 23rd
- Moose Game anthem (4,9 and 10th) April 13th
- Grade 5 Farewell – June 19th
- New windows have been installed over Spring Break

4) On-going Business

- a. April Fun Lunch –April 26th, IHop, email to go April 12th, kinder snack order form goes out April 12th, due April 21st, same as IHop orders.
- b. Spring Dance
 - Deejay – price is still unknown, price given was \$350-400
 - Prize for individual and basket for Raffle (ballot for every \$10 raised) – still to be determined what the prize will be, discussion will be held in chat.
 - Decision made that only one prize will available to win, no individual prize for top winner.
 - balloon arch – Crystal to order, spring colours
 - glow-in-the-dark tattoos – Amanda to order (pending the deejay if they have a black light), and to go home the day before the dance.

- **Motion** – to spend up to \$700 total on deejay, a prize and decorations, glow-in-the-dark tattoos - Amanda
 - second – Katie
 - Motion carried.
- c. Movie Night - May 2nd – *Cancelled and to be planned for 2024/25 year at May PC meeting*
 -Permits need to be booked mid-May (book 3-4 dates for 2024/25 year)
- d. June 19th BBQ/Grade 5 Farewell
 -update on Sargent Sunday (Amanda) – little cups, we buy in advance \$1.25 (4 ounces), dilly bars, choose what flavor, \$2 dilly bars or sandwiches
 -Fit Kids – has been contacted for booking
 -Firehouse – contact to see if they will come out
- e. September Welcome Back Event – date still pending for AGM
 - book food truck – discussion was have whether to have Willy Dogs or look at new food truck. Tabled until AGM is booked.
- 5) New Business
- a. Shade Shelter – \$10,000 has been raised.
 -Grant – Janina and Amanda to look into some grants opportunities
- 6) Other business
- a. Scholastic Book Fair – Set up April 10th from 3-4pm
Schedule:
 Thursday 4-7pm: Janna, Amanda, Crystal on April 11th
 Friday 9-11:30: Katie and Mel (including boxing up), Crystal’s husband (Eric) can assist with first hour to cover shifts when attending parent/teacher appointments
 -Crystal and Amanda offered to donate their \$25 each gift certificate from attending the webinar towards a golden ticket, which will be offered to one kid in each classroom to win a book up to \$X amount from the book fair. Amanda to organize.
 -Principals “Shelfie” – Mr. Miller has the link to submit a creative picture for a chance to win \$250 credit from Scholastic for the school.
- b. Kernals donated popcorn – to be used for May 22nd – Earth Day, watching a movie in the gym.
 -Amanda to pick up bags for popcorn and scoops.
 -Katie to pick up the popcorn.
- 7) Note for next year Teacher Appreciation:
 - 10 Large Pizzas, 2 salads, (note for next year - vegan, cheese and gluten free can be ordered smaller size)
 -6x 2Liters
 -2 veggie trays
- 8) Next meeting date: May 7th, 2024 at 7pm in-person.
- 9) Adjourn Meeting