

SANSOME SCHOOL PARENT COUNCIL AGM  
September 15, 2025  
6:00pm in Staff Room

**Attending:** Blake Thompson, Kara Booth, Amanda Turowski, Janice Reyes Bain, Kailey Mymryk, Kelly Cassie, Kristin Thomas, Janice Matthewman, Henrietta Hoch, Alanna Fardoe, Andrew Fast, Kelly Fast, Jill Anderson, Gurpreet Kaur Gill, Emily Tilley, Allyson Grosvenor, Alison Allen & Kylie Wildeman.

**Meeting Called:** 6:02pm

**Welcome:** Henrietta Hoch, thank you to all in attendance. There are over 16 attending which is enough to have a quorum.

- President of parent council duties described. Kara Booth willing to put name forward, no other nominations, **Kara Booth elected as President.**
- Vice-President duties described. Kristin Thomas not willing to reprise roll, Emily Tilley & Gurpreet Kaur Gill put their names forward. Goes to a silent vote in favour of Emily 8 - 5. **Emily Tilley elected as Vice-President.**
- Treasurer duties described. Kelly Cassie willing to let her name stand, no other nominations, **Kelly Cassie re-elected as Treasurer.**
- Secretary duties described. Kelly Fast willing to take on roll, no other nominations, **Kelly Fast elected as Secretary.**
- Thank you to Kailey for serving as President, Kailey may remain involved as the Past President as the Play-space Renewal Project is completed. Kristin will still stay on as the Volunteer Coordinator.
- Current Enrolment is 315.
- Picture Day is October 8th.
- Christmas Concerts are scheduled for December 17th and 18th.

**Fundraising:**

- Would like to keep fundraisers to those that are child centred.
- Pizza lunch will continue, poster with all the dates have been sent out to families. Would like 9 volunteers each Friday, if needed we can ask 2 grade 5 students. Kelly will create a sign up sheet for the Grade 5's.
- Halloween Dance-a-thon on Friday, October 31st. D-Jay is already booked.
  - Kylie, Janice & Alana would like to be involved with the planning. Amanda can help with creating a balloon arch.
- Santa Beards were a huge success and we would like to do it again.
- Krispe Kreme was a successful and easy fundraiser. Would like to do again this year.
- Cash raffle and silent auction during holiday concert.
- Movie Nights are up for discussion. They are A LOT of work and they do not bring in very much money.
- Other fundraising ideas were thrown out:
  - Candy grams and/or cookies for Valentines Day.
  - Candy Tree, sell tickets and receive all of the candy on the tree. Doesn't have to be Xmas, could do for Easter.
  - Spring Cook Book, Families send in recipes. Have them printed for pre-purchased.

- Popcorn to sell with the milk. Kelly Fast will contact Kernels and inquire. Di Chase can also be contacted as she was the one who ordered the popcorn previous years. The grade 4's hand out the milk now, would have to sell popcorn tickets so that money is not being exchanged between students.

**New Business:**

- End of the Year BBQ Committee. Kylie Wildeman has volunteered to Chair the committee. Tyler, Alana, Gurpeet, Janice & Jill will all sit on the committee.
- Janice Reyes Bain has volunteered to take on the Year Book again.
- Kailey has set up all of the Parent Council poster templates in Canvas for easy access.
- Dates selected for Parent Council meetings for 2025/2026 school year will be decided at the next meeting.

**Old Business:**

- Play-space Renewal Project has been underway this summer. Trees and shrubs will be planted towards the end of the month. Money still needs to be raised to replace the wooden structure (Phase 3). Still unaware of how much money the school division will be returning to the Parent Council once Phase 1 & 2 are complete.
- The current Yearbook needs to be approved. Henrietta will send a list of names that can not be included. Moon will review the photos. Next year might be easier to create a Google Drive for the teachers to just add their photos. Thank you Janice for all of your hard work on the 2024/2025 Yearbook.

**Next Meeting: October 1st, 6:00pm (Henrietta will apply for a permit.)**

**Meeting Adjourned: 7:021pm**

**Minutes prepared by:**

**Kara Booth**