



SCHOOL COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES

Date:	Tuesday January 13 2026
Time:	6:00-7:00
Location:	Monsignor Haller - Learning Commons
Minute Approval:	Kelli. V

Item:	Treasurer Report
Presenter:	Gary. L
Notes:	• Pottery to go- \$1055.05 was confirmed paid and amount removed from funds • Mabels Labels- Received cheque for \$56.22, not yet deposited • Terra Cotta- made a profit of \$727, cheque sent to school but not yet deposited

Item:	Fundraising
Presenter:	Magda. C
Notes:	• Terra Cotta Cookie Fundraiser- was a big success, we had a total of 130 cookie orders for a profit of \$727. Discussed running a second Terra Cotta fundraiser in the spring but opted not to as we felt it may be asking too much from the school community. • Candy Grams- Decided to run a candy gram fundraiser for Valentines day ○ Candy grams will be handed out to students Friday February 13th ○ Email sent to families with details of candy gram fundraiser Jan 16th ○ Candy grams will consist of two lolly pops with a valentines day tag, need to decide on pricing \$1 or \$2 each- Magda will cost out lolly pops at Bulk Barn and Dollar Store ○ Candy Grams will need to be put together and organized by classroom- discussed the possibility of kids in the older grades helping with that task • Mission Day- Decided not to run a mission day this year, the teachers are instead running a multicultural concert at the school ○ Look into if Parent Council could sell tickets or something else at the event to help fundraise • Mabels Labels- Gary will push out more reminder emails to parents about the Mabels Labels promotion and Magda will order more Mabels Labels flyers for the Kindie bags at orientation. • Macmillians- May look into Macmillians for a spring fundraiser, can discuss more at future meetings. • Papa Johns Fundraiser- Papa Johns offered a discount code to Monsignor Haller last year with a percentage of the sales going to the school. Gary will reach out to see if we can run this promotion with them again this year. • Dance-A-Thon- Discussed dance-a-thon time lines and needs ○ Dance-A-Thon will be held March 13th with a spring dance focus ○ Feb 2nd email needs to be pushed out to parents with basket themes ○ Kids will bring in basket supplies from Feb 2-27th

	○ Baskets will need to be collected by Feb 27th so they can be made and put on display by March 2nd for the kids to see. ○ Dance-A-Thon pledges can be made on cash online from Feb23-March 10th. Council agreed to use the same pricing as the 2025 Dance-A-Thon which is (1 ticket for a \$3 pledge, 2 Tickets for a \$5 pledge, and 5 Tickets for a \$10 pledge). Tickets will be put into a raffle for prize baskets. ○ Need to get baskets from the Dollar Store, cellophane and ribbon prior to Feb 27th ○ Need to decide on wording for the Dane-A-Thon e-mail
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Item:	Other
Presenter:	Magda.C
Notes:	● Shrove Tuesday Feb 17th- Decided council was not able to run a pancake lunch in the gym this year as there are not enough hands but we will supply classrooms with the ingredients to make pancakes together in their rooms. ○ Supplies need to be at the school for Feb 12th ○ Magda will pick up pancake mix, syrup, plates, forks and large ziploc bags for each class from Costco ● Popcorn-Discussed what to do with leftover popcorn in the servery, decided to disperse the bags between the classrooms for kids to enjoy ● Classroom Games- Council voted to give \$100 to each classroom to purchase games and supplies for indoor recess

Item:	Principal/School Updates
Presenter:	Gary. L
Notes:	● Pottry 2 Go was a success and enjoyed by the students ● The school Christmas Concert was a huge success, the gym was very festive and the audience was packed for both performances. The kids' hard work was very much enjoyed. ● EQAO Results- will be presented next meeting, Gary did a brief overview of some positive results

Conclusion:	● Next meeting come up with ideas for how to market parent council at Kindie night ● Need to organize Candy Grams and Shrove Tuesday ● Need to focus on Dance-A-Thon so it is up and running by next meeting
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Next Meeting:	March 10th, 2026- Monsignor Haller Learning Commons, 6:00-7:00 PM