

Fundraising Association for **SouthPointe** School

MEETING MINUTES

Oct 16, 2024 5:00 PM

SouthPointe School

FASS Board Members		
FASS President: Laelia Winstone	FASS Vice President: Tracy Patrick	
FASS Treasurer: Tracy Corbett	FASS Secretary: Ashley MacFarlane	

Agenda Item	Details	Note
1. Call to Order	President calls the meeting to order	5:04 PM
2. Attendance	Meeting Attendance Sheet	
3. Review & Approve Agenda	 Presentation of Agenda Items & Vote for Approval Opportunity for Additions/Changes 	Approved -
4. Approve Previous Minutes	Starting next month, we will review and approve minutes from the previous meeting.	
5. Voting in of Board Mbrs	President: Laelia Winstone - Approved Vice President: Tracy Patrick - Approved Treasurer: Tracy Corbett - Approved Secretary: Ashley MacFarlane - Approved	All voted in for FY 24/25
6. Reports	 President's Report: Discussion of FASS membership and signing requirements for voting. 	

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	 Meeting minutes will be posted on the website; the office will be copied in communications. Thanks to the parent council for their motions so far. Encouragement for volunteer involvement from parents and council. Seeking a canteen coordinator responsible for running the canteen and organizing their one team of volunteers. Review of motions (more details below) Vice President Report: A wishlist was requested from the school for large items for future casino funds; a casino license will be pursued, with the potential for bingo events. 	
7. Fundraising Updates	 No fall bottle drive The hot Lunch program continues with a \$5 credit to boost parent participation. Amanda Sandford is the new coordinator; all inquiries should go to her Beartracks not happening this winter; will reassess for next year 	

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8. Motions	 Review of Approved motions: Teacher Appreciation Dinner 1: Date confirmed as 23 Oct - meal will be pizza Teacher Appreciation Dinner 2: Date will be March 18 or 19, details to be finalized soon - meal will be pizza Teacher Appreciation \$100 cheques: suggestion of GC or cash cards instead of cheques - MTF from school staff Christmas Elf: Gift wishlist for classrooms needed, budget up to \$25 per gift Movie Night Pancake Breakfast: Scheduled for March 4th requesting water-only mix 	
	 Motions Pending Approval: Nummeracy Night - no date yet hoping Nov, more details required before we can seek donations (will focus on games that parents can play at home to promote math) Family Dance (Valentine's Day): Board agrees date is not a concern and past dances have been a success - suggestion of silent auction - date night themed prizes 	
	 New Motions Brought Forward: Agendas for school year 25/26 up to \$2140.80 (amount based on 24/25 order: 480 agendas x \$4.46 each - includes tax) 	
	 Future Motions Expected: Laptops: no funds required from FASS right now; school budget can cover. A motion for next year is expected soon (up to \$30k) 	
9. Running Motions	 Hot lunch drinks: Up to \$150 per month (Sept 2024 to June 2025). 	
10. Financial Overview	 Inquiry about invoice for this years agendas and photocopies; principal to follow up. FASS is not authorized for e-transfer at this time - we will look into it 	

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11. New Business	 Discussion on expanding canteen offerings (e.g., hot coffee, popcorn, hotdogs) during school events to increase revenue. Suggestion to test the popcorn machine before planning any events Inquiry about secure storage for canteen supplies. Principal confirmed there are closets available but may require rearrangement. Potential for the canteen coordinator to manage a snack bar for junior high students monthly (students can help out and gain work experience). Encouragement for more junior high student volunteers, particularly for hot lunch and fundraising events. Awaiting updates on McDonald's partnership. School staff mentioned hotluch may go back to pizza friday for Jr high - more to follow President announcement: next year will be their last year as president, this will allow for an adequate handover to her replacement. 	
Announcements	Next meeting details: Nov 20th 2024	5:00 PM
Adjournment	President calls for adjournment	5:50 PM