

## Mattie McCullough School Council January 15, 2025

1. Call to Order: 6:32pm

In attendance: La Keria Clayton (Chair), Kelsey Hanson (Secretary), Deanne Good (Principal), Travis Pregitzer (Treasurer), Christa Elliot (General Member)

2. Approval of November minutes: Motion: Travis Pregitzer, Second: Kelsey Hanson  
**MOTION PASSED**
3. Grade 5 Presentation by: Christina McGonigal, Lori Coleman, Steve Roslinsky, Jenna Connon: Have been doing grade 5 camp about 10 years, usually costs about \$2600 and is covered by field trip fees. \$11/student is leftover for other options, which is not enough for another field trip.
  - a. If they do the in school science based field trip for 91 grade 5 kids. It would be about \$630
  - b. If they do Fort Normandeau/Kerrywood they would require about \$130-465 for the program plus about \$700 for two busses.
  - c. **ACTION:** Grade 5 teachers to choose an option for council to review for final approval. Discussed removing gift cards from the Grade 5 grad funds, and instead focusing on the water balloons and the magnets, and moving that gift card fund to this field trip fund.
4. Business Arising from Minutes
  - a. ASCE grant - Looking at how to use the ‘captive audience’ with the open house format, and Move Your Mood is not an option. Rania - Stronger Families - **ACTION** Kelsey to email Rania Page to discuss options with Prevention/Promotion with AHS
5. New Business
  - a. Photography option for school/class photos for 2025/2026 school year- LifeTouch photography as they can do yearbooks, class photos, for \$26 can get a digital download and a set of pictures, and there is a parent in the school who works for them. Smart Photography was unable to give pricing for this year until the fall, and therefore had no new information to review.
    - i. Motion to use LifeTouch next year: **MOTION:** La Keria Clayton  
**SECOND** Travis Pregitzer **MOTION PASSED**
6. Principal’s Message. Deanne Good
  - a. So many exciting things going on. The kids have started skating and skiing, practicing skiing for the Loppet at lunch this week. Today there were 45 kids skating at lunch. The old snow pile was taken down and much more fun and safer now. Read-A-Thon will be for all of February, and will fundraise for new furniture for the library and common areas to make the common areas more functional for the children. Kati Ramsden

will introduce something new in Character Ed for “Classroom Champions” and Olympic athletes zoom in to talk about a championship mindset, and includes t-shirts. There will be 8 different mindsets. There are some curiosity projects to showcase during student led conferences, teachers are working on those right now for March. Pound IT is for all grades, 45 minutes a day, Friday at 1pm will be the showcase.

7. City Wide Presentation - Next meeting Tuesday March 11 at 7pm hosted by Westpark

Next Meeting Wednesday February 26, 2025 at 6:30 pm

Close: 7:13pm

## Mattie McCullough Parent Association November 21, 2025

1. Call to Order: 7:13 pm

In attendance - Voting Members: La Keria Clayton (Chair), Kelsey Hanson (Secretary), Travis Pregitzer (Treasurer), Non Voting Members: Deanne Good (Principal), Christa Elliot (General Member/second meeting)

2. Approval of October Minutes: **MOTION**: La Keria Clayton, **SECOND** Travis Pregitzer **MOTION PASSED**
3. Fundraising
  - a. Mabels Labels: We will get a payout once we reach \$50 in commission.
  - b. Christmas Fundraisers
    - i. Raffle total: 50/50 sold \$2262, VIP sold \$450. Minus fees and 50/50 prize, total is \$1307 raised and deposited in the account. All proceeds will go towards the Pound It week.
      1. **ACTION**: Kelsey to complete financial reporting for these raffles
    - ii. Discussed option of having the raffles take care of the cost of the Christmas Concert next year (\$900 for the Church and about \$740 for the bussing).
  - c. AGLC: Now that we are set up and approved, it is easy to set up any further raffles or 50/50's.
    - i. CASINO application is complete and we are awaiting the next step of "slotting". Travis has set up the separate CASINO account in accordance with AGLC standards for CASINOs
  - d. Big Box fundraiser, a box of 35 cards or so for \$36 with a variety of cards in it. Tabled for next year, this may be a good option for next fall.
  - e. Discussed option of having a raffle for gift cards for father's day, Tabled to April.
4. New Business
  - a. To approve \$950 for Grade 1 Classroom Books and **MOTION** Travis Pregitzer **SECOND** La Keria Clayton **MOTION APPROVED**
  - b. To approve \$650 for Grade 2 Classroom equipment, privacy screen, whiteboard, and scrapbook **MOTION** Travis Pregitzer, **SECOND** La Keria Clayton **MOTION APPROVED**
5. Treasurer Report: Some mail was delayed with the Canada Post Strike, so this is as up to date as of November, 2024.
  - a. Hot Lunch: \$6527.89
  - b. General Funds \$5169.27,
  - c. Common shares \$1.28
  - d. Total: 11699.72
    - i. minus cheques to be cashed (Staff luncheon and pound it) \$9407.30

- ii. yet to add christmas Raffle money + \$1307
- iii. Estimated current total: \$10706.72

Next Meeting: Wednesday February 26 after Parent Council Meeting

Close: 7:43 pm