

Louis St Laurent School Parent Council Minutes
Monday, April 9, 2018

In Attendance:

Shannon Frost, Tom Wasylenko, Cecilia Latorre, Sid Eriavaz, Paula Holt

Cartier McGee-Louis St. Laurent Parent Advisory Association (PAA)

Call to order @ 7:15pm

Opening Prayer

Approval of Agenda and Minutes - Motion Paula Holt, seconded by Sid Eriavaz

Old Business

1. Principal's Report - Tom Wasylenko (see attached)

Discussed the considerations for Baron Block schedule in high school for the 2018/19 school year. The 2 options for Thursday mornings: 5 - 44 minute blocks with 4 blocks for core subjects and 1 alternating between a Baron Block and TA time; or 6 - 36 minute blocks with 4 blocks for core subjects and 2 blocks for Baron Blocks (with one of those blocks alternating with TA time)

2. Treasurer's Report - Sid Eriavaz (see attached)

Bank Fees Update:

Current balance in General Account is: \$7,869.94

Current balance in Casino Account is: \$93,593.57

Currently waiting on receipts from the student council for the \$800 approved in September to assist with events such as the SMASH tournament and multicultural days.

3. Teacher Appreciation Lunch

The Teacher Appreciation Lunch is set for Thursday May 31. The committee has asked Frosted Fingers to cater a light breakfast, and Cecilia Latorre will be reaching out to catering businesses for the best options and prices once allergies have been confirmed with the office by Paula Holt. A call for cash donations will go out through Swift mail to offset the cost from the general account.

4. Chapel Project

The first chapel project meeting on March 13, 2018 was a great success and will be meeting again on April 10, 2018 to continue to discuss the modernization and making decisions on furniture, fixtures and art for the area. There is \$7000 from the general fund as well as \$5000 in modernization dollars to accomplish their goals. It is a priority to have the chapel ready for September 2018.

Adjourned @ 8:10pm

Louis St. Laurent School Advisory Council (SAC)

Call to Order @ 8:10pm

Approve Meeting Minutes: Motion Paula Holt, seconded by Sid Eriavaz

Old Business

1. Fundraising

It was decided that a Pub Night for Spring 2018 was not feasible due to time and volunteer constraints. Other suggestions included a paint night, school dance, garden gift cards and a raffle of gift baskets.

A motion by Shannon was made to take \$200 from the general account to create 4 gift baskets as door prizes to raffle at the Parent/Teacher night on April 18. Cecilia Latorre seconded the motion. Sid volunteered to get the license to sell tickets and Shannon, Cecilia and Paula would collect the items for the baskets: 1 wine and cheese basket and 3 movie themed baskets.

The committee agreed to look into the sale of plants or Salisbury Green House gift cards as well to attempt to raise funds for the general account.

New Business:

1. Mr Wasylenko requested \$737.34 for the replacement of women's basketball uniforms. Paula Holt made the motion, Shannon Frost seconded.
2. The dance department requested support the purchase for reusable prop items and costuming to be shared with the drama department in the amount of \$10,000. Shannon Frost motioned, Cecilia Latorre seconded.

Adjourned @ 9:03pm