



Veritas Parents Support Group  
November 15, 2021

Online meeting

Attendees: Sylvia, Gillian, Callum, Lisa, Sabrina, Jen, Teresa, Dianna

1. Approval for last month's **minutes** – Ronda
2. Approval for this **agenda** – Sabrina
3. **Treasurer report** \$17904 in the TD account; approximately \$4,800 in the gaming account – need to deposit this year's money for next meeting (approximately \$4,300)

Profit for fundraising so far:

Event	Profit (thus far)
Candy kabobs	\$732
Apple orders	\$1489
Purdy's	(expecting \$4000)
Food truck	\$1658
Dielman's	\$827
Epicure	\$680
Hot lunch	\$10,304 (still need to pay for lunch)
Growing plants	\$349
Mom's pantry	\$1192

**4. Hot lunch**

- Sabrina and Sylvia doing second part of hot lunch for year – send out end of year for January – March, then next cycle after spring break – end June
- Pita Pit – Silvia to touch base with Candace re pita pit, business may be sold
- Mac & Cheese – feedback was lukewarm on mac & cheese – pasta has been hard in the past

**5. Treat Thursday** – kabobs for next week; following week may be cupcakes

- 6. Cards by Kids** – got them from Kindergarten to Grade six; have been sent off – hoping to get back this week – send to parents for purchase (hoping closure of highway 1 doesn't impact timelines)

## **7. Upcoming fundraisers**

- January - Trying to do soup and bun day once a week in January in addition to usual hot lunch menu. Sabrina waiting to hear back from Emmy (caterer)
- February - Cookie making kits – Valentine's event
- March - Growing Smiles (Birke) – early March to ensure delivery for Mother's Day; Purdy's for Easter
- March/April - Glow Run (Suzanne) – postponed until late March, early April. Mr Mike's is on board and will help us with burgers – may not be free, but at a heavy discount
- April 26 – another food truck takeout with Filipino Foods; may look at taking walk-ins after certain time for Veritas; learned some things from this time
- April - HoneyBee family photos – profit is 50%; average price is 30 minutes for \$150 for 10 (?) pictures or 15 minutes for \$100; could be done over a few weekend/weekday days – perhaps offer two or three different packages and people can choose
- Everyone in favour of the thermometer gauge for fundraising progress so far. Continue in newsletter
- September – December fundraising so far approximately \$8700 plus hot lunch which should be approximately \$7000. We are in good shape for fundraising for this year for our school. We'll start letting parents know who is volunteering (outside of this group), to help get others engaged in volunteering

## **8. Teachers/principal's report**

- Formal assessments have been completed. Student led conferences were well attended 95% attended. Scholastic book fair huge success. School photos have been done. Retakes this week. UNBC students in on Tuesdays just now
- Social/emotional program underway. Grade 2/3 classes led Remembrance Day assembly.
- Mrs Lima has resigned her position. Active recruitment underway
- November 28 – first week of advent. Report cards Friday, December 10.

## **9. Round table**

- Callum looking into catering options at the College. Will bring prices/options to this group.

Next meeting: December 13 at 7pm