

Minutes of Home and School Meeting



Children's World Academy

2241 Ménard, LaSalle, H8N 1J4



Date: May 7, 2025

Start time: 6:50 pm

End time: 7:23 pm

2025.05.01 ATTENDANCE

Carla Nappi, Diana Trochei, Erica Caruso, Jessica Foglietta, Josie Montesano, Kim Jones, Kristen Reid Kristina, Lina Marino, Lisa Baylis, Lisa Cuscuna, Lorry-ann, Mara Nazzari, Maria Bonaventura, Maria Trochei, Mariana Vetro, Megan Smith, Melissa Nudo, Michelle Colavincenzo, Milika Lee-Nurse, Rina Rainone, Samuel Durant, Silvia Di Ciaccio, Soo-Lin Ng, Stephanie Rizzo, Tamara Dell'Olio, Tania D'Alessandro, Teresa Verelli, Vanessa's iPhone, Victoria Aube

2025.05.02 APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Agenda proposed by Tamara

Agenda seconded by Erica

2025.05.03 APPROVAL OF PREVIOUS MINUTES

Previous minutes approved by Tamara

Previous minutes seconded by (minutes were not seconded by mistake, president is aware)

2025.05.04 H&S NEWS

- QFHSA Awards & Banquet-Email sent to winners with an invite to banquet - 12 Golden Torch Winners & 20 Unsung Hero Winners.
- Award Banquet is May 24th - Deadline to register is May 9th
- Awards can be picked up at our last meeting in person in June
- The QFHSA's 81st Annual General Meeting - Thurs June 5th via Zoom
- AGM next month - 3 positions are up for election, Vice President, Treasurer, Membership Chair

2025.05.06

Principles Report

- We have had a few evening events that our students have taken part in that have given us reason to be proud! A big thank you to Ms. Tiffany, Mme Valerie and Ms. Rebecca for prepping out students for the Qui Lira Vaincra. There were a few hiccups along the way to getting there but we made it!
- A big thank you to Ms Laura, Mc Dougall Jocelyne for their work with the Dance Crew. I have to mention that Dora made all the shirts.
- I have been sending home the message that evaluations are starting. It's important for students to be in school and on time, please send them home to you students' families also.

2025.05.07

TEACHER'S REPORT

- Last week grade 6 was at Jouvance, our grad trip. We had a really lovely time. It was really fun. The kids seemed to all really enjoy themselves, only a little bit of rain on the last morning, so we kind of lucked out on that front. But honestly one of the better years. We've had weather and enthusiasm wise. So that was really great on the kids behalf.
- Today we had our 1st Ever Wellness Day at Cwa, so that was organized by the grade 6 students as part of their exhibition project. That was the action that they all took part in, and it was really fun to kind of go around. And the feedback, so far from the younger classes that took part in it, was really positive; they really love yogurt and fruit.. they did things like music, therapy, pet therapy, art therapy. They created some different small paintings that they're putting together into one large display that we're actually going to be donating to some local shelters that help support women going through domestic violence issues. We had physical fitness outside. So just a lot of really great things happening in and around the school. And a really positive day all around.

2025.05.08

GOVERNING BOARD'S REPORT

- No Update

2025.05.09

Treasurer Report

- Round 2 Meal, we have collected \$61,459.26 total expenses to date \$31,127.82.
- Jam Jerk we have collected \$3,950.00 we needs to pay out \$3,020.00 our profit was \$930.00.
- Catalog fundraiser we still didn't get the funds. However, the profit would be \$690.11.
- Yearbook 2024-2025 - sponsors/MFH/Patrons we have collected \$2,475.00.
- Grade 5 teacher we helped her pay for essential oils for the classroom \$53.64
- Bank fees to date \$699.93.
- Opening Cash-September 1, 2024 \$22,764.30 Petty Cash - Cash on hand \$600.00
Net cash generated/used in 2024-2025 \$26,318.02 Ending Cash balance \$49,682.32.
- Expenses-Approved and not yet incurred
- Green Committee \$204.51 Student Council \$122.19,
- Cabane a sucre 2024 \$1,000.00, Food Truck Event June 2025 \$6,500, Yearbook 2024-2025 \$4,000, Bouncy \$3,000, Library \$252.51, Meals - 2nd Round (January -June) estimate
- \$ 15,512.18, Smoothfruit \$3,551.58, Chair cups \$400.00
- Expenses to be Incurred – Approved \$40,239.81
- AVAILABLE FUNDS for future events/activities \$15,139.35

2025.05.10

FUNDRAISING

- We do have a meeting tonight. So anyone on the Fundraising Committee or anyone that wants to stick around will be collecting to have it approved at the next Gb.
- Our next fundraiser is Super Recycleurs that's booked for May 14.th
- Ecole Enracinée has been approved already , we are setting a date tonight at our evening

2025.05.11

ACTIVITIES

- Bogo Book Fair - May 12-14th , we are still looking for volunteers

- Food Truck - June 13th . We received our permit , lots of vendors this year and only 1 food truck this year. Pasta , Sandwiches , Jam Jerk . Entertainment will be finalized shortly .
- Bouncy Day June 6th , form will be going out soon for volunteers
- Smoothies Dat June 5th - 8:30-10:30am the children will have 3 choices to pick before hand
- Grad- We have all the dates confirmed for pool party and grad breakfast, we will be sending e vote for the gift cards for the grads.
- Yearbook- Everything is on track , Yesterday Karina and Megan and Lori-ann went to do the k picture with the grade 6's. By Friday May 9th we are hoping to have a trest print created .
- Staff Appreciation- We will be sending an email to the staff appreciation committee and we will think about some ideas for a little treat for the month of June .

2025.05.12 **GREEN COMMITTEE**

- We would like to be doing some triaging at the food truck fest which we've done at past events, where we have volunteers, help guide people for their waste management. To make sure everything goes in the right container, recycling compost and trash. Some suggestions are that people are not really listening to volunteers standing there to triage the garbage or compost .
- We would like to find solutions on how to make people be aware where to put the items , like plates of garbage and so on .

2025.05.13 **PROJECTS/WISH LIST**

- If anyone has ideas of something needed in the school or send us an email

2025.05.14 **VARIA**

- We did celebrate our administrators on Administration Day. We gave them just a card and a little gift card as a Thank you.

2025.05.15 **ADJOURNMENT**

Meeting adjourned by Kim at 7:23pm
Next meeting June 4th, 2025 In Person