Beaverlodge Home and School Association (BHSA) Meeting Minutes for April 9, 2025

In attendance

Ms. Sadler Pam Janciw
Mr. Greenspan Lesley Wiebe
Jo-anne Flatten Emily Irvine

Call to order: 6:04pm

- Greeting and welcome to everyone in attendance.

Review and Approval of Agenda

Motioned by Pam, seconded by Lesley. Motion carried.

Review and Approval of Previous Minutes

- Motioned by Jo-anne, seconded by Emily. Motion carried.

Principal's Report

Please see attached Principal's Report.

Treasurer's Report

- Please see attached Treasurer Report April 2025.
- Current balance of \$5,646.81.
- For next year's planning, Munch-a-Lunch offers a discount if the school is under 200 students.
- Spring Dance items to be purchased include glow sticks, balloons for decorations.
- For Canada Day event still need to purchase freezies for each student.
- Randi's last day is this week, agreed to purchase a gift card (\$25) to give to her in thanks.

Fundraising

- A. Movie Nights
 - License fees increased to \$530.25.

Other Business

- A. Spring Dance April 25, 2025
 - Items left to purchase include glow sticks and balloons.
 - Theme is "Red Carpet". Jo-Anne, Pam and Lesley will craft other décor items.
 - Need parent volunteers to chaperone, Beaverlodge students can be supervised by parent volunteers and will need to follow sign-in/out protocols.
- B. Evan Duncan is scheduled for school visit April 15, 2025.

C. Fun Lunch

June lunch is Boston Pizza.

D. Community Garage Sale

- Scheduled for May 3, 2025, 9:00am 3:00pm. Permit hours are 8:00am-4:00pm.
- Set-up in small gym on the Friday May 2, 2025, at 8:00am volunteers required
- Ms. Sadler requested 20 tables from the school division. Ms. Sadler will inquire if there are hangers available within the division (i.e. drama or theatre equipment)
- Jo-anne has arranged Centre-Flavie, a non-profit organization, to pick up any unsold items on Monday morning as donations for them.
- Jo-anne will share promotion of event on Facebook, Kijiji and email to community organizations and radio.
- Publications will promote bringing your own reusable bags and ask for bag donations and Cash-only event.
- Items will be priced by BHSA using a pricing scale identified by signage around gym. (i.e. specialty items = specific amount, items of clothing = \$1 or 2 depending on size).

E. Grade 5 Farewell/Patrol Event

- Approximately 29 students to be in attendance
- Lastertopia has been confirmed.
- Event will be June 24th.
- Cost is \$19/student for 3 rounds, plus arcade (no prize tickets) and a small slush drink.

F. Yearbooks for 2024/2025 school year

- Grade 5 students have chosen the cover.
- Emily will join Pam on organizing the process.
- Pam will take photos for students who were not present at School Picture Day.
- Student teachers will also be included in the yearbook.
- Ms. Sadler will write an introductory statement for inclusion.
- Jo-Anne will write BHSA statement for inclusion.
- 2026-2027 is the last year of contract.

G. Kindergarten recognition event

Mr. Greenspan to discuss assembly with Ms. Delorme to have Grade 5 present certificates to Kinders.

H. Elections

- Vote for positions will be held at next meeting May 8, 2025 (Thursday) 6pm.
- Notice of meeting will be sent in this week's Friday Bulletin.

The next meeting is scheduled for May 8, 2025, at 6:00pm.

Meeting Adjourned: 6:52pm



Staffing Updates - We are growing!

It is official! We will have both morning and afternoon kindergarten next year, and an additional class (grades are still TBD).

Books!

Thanks to your fundraising efforts, we have been able to purchase \$2500 worth of new books for the school library. Mr. Adam and the divisional consultant had the opportunity to go on a "shopping spree"! We purchased new non-fiction country books, to replace the outdated collection, and many non-fiction books to promote a love of reading.

Taste the Rainbow

Taste the Rainbow was a HUGE success! Students were able to sample fruit of every colour of the rainbow. Many students (and even some staff) tried fruit they had never eaten before. Save on Foods (Bridgwater) donated most of the fruit.

Medicine Wheel Club

Beginning April 24, Indigenous student leaders from Oak Park will be coming Thursdays at lunch to teach students about powwow dancing. This opportunity will be for grades 3-5 students.

Upcoming Events

- 11—PD Day (teachers)
- 15—Westdale Exploration Grade 5 students
- 16—MTYP comes to Beaverlodge -Blue Beads and Blueberries a celebration of Metis culture
- 25—Spring Dance
- 30—Spring Concert 1:30 pm and 6:30 pm

May

3—Beaverlodge Community Garage Sale

Treasurer Report April 9, 2025 Current Balance \$5,646.81

Transactions since last meeting:

Date	Cheq # or DEP	Description	Amount
03-07-2025	69	Beaverlodge School - \$1625 for loft and \$2375 for library books	\$ (4,000.00)
03-15-2025	DEP	E-transfer from R. G. – Non-Event Fundraiser	\$ 50.00
03-17-2025	DEP	Cheque from S. D. – Non-Event Fundraiser	\$ 500.00
03-17-2025	DEP	E-transfer from P. J. – Non-Event Fundraiser	\$ 100.00
03-17-2025	DEP	Munchalunch Deposits	\$ 45.59
03-24-2025	DEP	Munchalunch Deposits	\$ 60.15
03-24-2025	70	Virgie Fabbri - Milk order for Fun lunch	\$ (61.99)
03-26-2025	71	Subway	\$ (458.65)
03-31-2025	DEP	Munchalunch Deposits	\$ 27.74
03-31-2025	DEP	Interest Credit	\$ 0.22
04-07-2025	DEP	Munchalunch Deposits	\$ 315.38
75		P. Janciw - apple juice, bear paws and wagon wheels for fun	
04-09-2025	73	lunches, water for movies	\$ 60.34
04-09-2025	DEP	Cheque from N. G – Non-Event Fundraiser	\$ 125.00
04-09-2025	DEP	Silver Collection from Movie Night	\$ 32.05

Transactions Pending:

- The following cheques are waiting to be cleared: #73
- \$151.55 in snack sales from March 21, 2025 movie night. Keeping for floats for April 25 Spring dance and May 3rd Garage Sale. Will be deposited second week of May.

Upcoming Events with income and/or expenses:

- Yearbook sales April 10th to May 12th
- April 25 Spring Dance Decorations and snacks. Fall 2024 decorations and glow sticks \$32. Spring 2024 decorations and glow sticks \$40.
- April 30 Pizza Fun lunch
- May 28 Subway Fun Lunch
- June 18 Boston Pizza Fun Lunch
- June 24 Grade 5 event at Lazertopia
- Canada day event previous years BHSA purchased jumbo freezies last year expense was \$45.26
- Munchalunch fees if continuing to use next year Pam will ask for new rates

Other Items:

- Randi's last day is tomorrow.
- Movie license expires April 30, 2025. Prices have increased again. Regular price is \$625 however since we are a smaller school they have reduced it to \$500.00. Last year we paid \$477.75, previous was \$451.50.
 UPDATE: received the new invoice and it is \$530.25 to include GST and a handling fee.

Fundraisi	ing efforts for 2024	/2025	Year	
	Full Profit	50%	b towards Library Books	Notes
September Smoken Bob's Fun Lunch	\$ 150.12	\$	75.06	
September Fall Dance - Profits	\$ 94.38	\$	47.19	
September Fall Dance Donations	\$ 17.00	\$	8.50	
October Subway Fun Lunch	\$ 194.84	\$	97.42	
November 1 - Movie Night - Snack Sales	\$ 27.52	\$	13.76	,
November 1 - Movie Night - Donations	\$ 9.00	\$	9.00	full amount to library books
Farm to School	\$ 677.50	\$	338.75	
November Pizza Fun Lunch	\$ 253.28	3 \$	126.64	
PTSD Grant	\$ 375.00	\$	375.00	Full amount of grant is being put towards books
January Subway Fun Lunch	\$ 266.28	\$	133.14	1
January 30- Movie Night - Snack Sales	\$ 94.38	\$	47.19	
January 30 - Movie Night - Donations	\$ 25.25	\$	25.25	full amount to library books
February Pizza Fun Lunch	\$ 350.05	\$	175.03	***************************************
February 21- Movie Night - Snack Sales	\$ 65.71	\$	32.86	
February 21 - Movie Night - Donations	\$ 14.25	\$	14.25	full amount to library books
Non- Event Fundraiser	\$ 1,925.00	\$	1,925.00	full amount to library books. 16 donations made
Donation from City of Winnipeg - Evan Duncan	\$ 2,000.00	\$	1,625.00	\$375 towards Spring DJ and \$1625 towards loft in Kindergarten room
March 21 - Movie Night - Donations	\$ 32.05	\$	32.05	full amount to library books
March Subway Fun Lunch	\$ 226.90	\$	113.45	ev ev
Total	\$ 6,798.51	\$	5,101.08	
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March 7, 2025 Cheque to Beaverlodge School		-\$	4,000.00	\$1625 towards Kindergarten Loft and \$2375 for library books
Balance	5	\$	1,101.08	