

Fairfield Elementary Parent Council Meeting
February 4, 2026

Call to Order: 6:02pm

Minutes from previous meeting: Kristi & Rebecca

Add to agenda: n/a

Principal's Report:

EQAO results were really positive and a strong improvements in grade 3 and grade 6 from 2 years ago

Kinder yard: facilities and consultants were met with discussions about a dedicated yard, removal of dated equipment. Sketches passed around for the proposed layout

Math night: date in March TBD

Vice Principal's Report:

Karate is going really well, kids showing interest

Staff has been partaking in a secret spirit week

Teacher's Report: Mr Stover

BAsketball Sr Boys and girls feb 19 at queens

Jr basketball starting in march

Music: staff talking about missing music, instruments - quote on 30 ukelele \$1600 for better brand and \$1400 for a lesser brand.

Dance on Feb 13

Financial Report:

\$1690

7340.80 fundraising acct

9700 hot dog acct

23307.58 total - 4000 for shirts, 500 is a grant

Motion to support purchase of ukelele's: to spend up to \$1700 kristi first alana seconded

Lunch program

Supplies needed for preparing food for program

Call out in the news letter for donations

Motion to support lunch program: \$200 first sasha second rebecca

Hotdog day:

Call out for volunteers for 13th and 20th

Support group for parents with Neurodivergent Kids:

Call out to form group to bring parents together to share experiences, challenges and strategies

Tattoo the teacher fundraiser:

Get temporary tattoos of different sizes, price by size and tattoo willing teachers
Spring time or coordinate with fun fair or assembly

Chuck a pep

2 parent volunteers
Jess may have volunteers
8 spots left

Fun Fair

Pie in the face for staff - pricing higher for admin, lower for teachers
Dunk tank
Bouncy rentals: 3 inflatables
Fire dept will do foam party again
Air craft simulator
High school kids to help run games
\$5 entry
Cake walk - will do ticket system
Face painters - will get another set of face painters but will need to spread them out
Balloon artist - yo yo dave, volunteering time
Fry way, jp weirdos, kona ice, lemonade stand, ice cream bar (thank you Sasha!)
June 3rd
Gabbage Cans - will need to increase # or find bigger bins
Vendor market to set up again
Classroom baskets - classrooms to vote on theme
Addition of making a Map of where all of the activities are (will help with the volunteer sign up sheet to have the stations mapped and then to offer the map so when people arrive they can see where the activities are)

Sleds for the school

Look for sleds for next year - the supply this year will not last past this winter
Parent donation coming!

Milk Program

Quote of \$41 for a case of 50 reids dairy
To look at option through lunchbox

Hot lunch:

Boston pizza has been late delivering lunches
We may need to reconsider using them as an option if they continue to be late

Card Fundraiser:

cards should arrive on feb 26. Will run from march 9th until march 27th

Pancake Breakfast:

March 23rd

Syrup is already taken care of

Motion to purchase supplies up to \$200 krisi first sasha second

Thrift Sale:

Saturday april 11 - registration is open now

Vendor fees are funds raised for the school

Volunteer sign up coming soon

Motion to spend up to \$500 - dawn first and Kristi second

Kinder Grad:

Discussion regarding bringing a celebration to FES

Admin to talk to teachers

Parkinglot at dismissal:

Getting busy with limited space due to snow banks and parents parking in ways that are blocking busses and flow of traffic in the lot

Next Meeting:

March 11th

Meeting Adjourned: 7:24pm