## Stanley Jones Fundraising Association

## **Meeting Minutes**

**Date and Time:** Tuesday, November 26, 2024, at 7:30pm **Location:** Learning Commons, Stanley Jones School

Meeting Called By: Christina van der Lugt (Chair, Stanley Jones School Fundraising Association)

## **Attendees**

 Christina van der Lugt

- Lisa Range
- Heather Smith
- Katie Jackson

- Katherine Lindved-Jensen
- Meghan Boyd
- Michelle Feragen
- Kristen Holm

- Lisa Tornack
- Maureen Souply
- Breanna Shillington
- Megan Waldie
- Mauri Oldford

## **Agenda Items**

- 1. Welcome and Approval of Previous Minutes (Christina van der Lugt)
  - Approval of October 2024 Meeting Minutes:
    - o Motion: Heather Smith
    - Seconded: Katie Jackson
    - Motion carried.
- 2. Treasurer's Report (Meghan Boyd)
  - Non-Casino Account
    - Nothing was spent out of non-casino funds
    - o Pending cost of \$250 for teachers pizza dinner
  - Casino Account
    - Banner can be covered under casino funds (\$80)
    - Closing balance \$85412
    - \$16K of funds that were approved in September but haven't been withdrawn
    - o *Unallocated;* \$69,000 remaining to be spent
- 3. Old Business
  - Update on Casino Fundraiser 2025 (Heather Smith)
    - Dates: May 17 & 18 Saturday/Sunday of May long weekend
    - Keep invites to known people within the school community (do not post on social media)
  - Discussion to consider a virtual meeting in January because parent council meeting is also virtual. Discussed whether timing of meeting (after parent council) is appropriate. Consensus was yes.

- 4. New Business and Funding Requests
  - Casino Funds:
    - Joint SJS/AKA
      - \$1716 for a new speaker system and wireless mics to help with proper sounds during assemblies and celebrations
        - Detailed breakdown of these items attached to agenda
        - Heather motion to approve up to 75% of cost for SJ (with remaining 25% to come from AJA)
        - Maureen to second
        - Motion carried
        - Discussion followed around funding per student vs. per school and breakdown between AJA and SJ
        - Followed by a motion to amend above breakdown. Heather amends motion to cover 50% of cost
        - Lisa to second motion
        - Motion carried.
      - Music Program Funding Request
        - \$1723 for resources to build the school's Music Program
        - Keyboards, drum practice pads, magnetic circles
        - Approve up to 50% (\$861.50)
        - Motion: Heather Smith; Seconded: Katie Jackson
        - Motion carried.
    - SJS Only
      - K-6 Team Request:
        - Book bins to organize K-6 Literacy; up to \$545.00
        - Motion: Katherine Lindved-Jensen; Seconded: Katie Jackson
        - Motion carried.
      - Grade 3-4 Team Request:
        - Experience Metis residency program (finger weaving); Up to \$2500
        - Motion: Heather Smith; Seconded; Kristen Holm
        - Motion carried.
  - Field Trip Funding
    - Discussion as to whether field trip funding discrepancy can be covered by parent councils. Bulk of discrepancy was due to AJA Camp Chief Hector – perhaps this can be covered by AJA Casino funds.
- 5. Adjournment 8:35pm
  - a. Maureen motion to adjourn
  - b. Seconded: Lisa Range
  - c. Motion carried.