

Grad Parent Meeting Agenda Notes – January 15, 2024

1. Treasurer's Report

Dance: \$1049.17
Purdy's: \$3497.01
Craft Fair: \$4918.68
Poinsettias: \$299.20
BDTA Children's Xmas Party:
Bottle Drive (to date):

TOTAL TO DATE: \$9764.06

2. Hoodies update: (McKenna and Kate) \$61.43 after taxes

-link closes Jan. 31
-emails out/Facebook/in class visits...

3. Fundraisers –Bottle Depot is ongoing (school # 250-442-8285) (report recycling to Kalea Konkin (250-584-9955)

-Kids Night Out – grads babysit and occupy kids so parents can go out (Valentines?)
-Borscht Feed – Michael Konken checking with his father
-Mom's Pantry – any parent volunteers to run this?
-Elementary Dance(Spring Fling)- (Thursday, March 7)???
-Purdy's Easter fundraiser
-GEM Theatre Movie night- Wed or Thurs in the first week of March
-Georama Mothers Day flowers

4. Legacy ideas – still thinking

-contactless debit squares for catering/concession, stoves for the foods room...

5. Prom update

-Casino/Masquerade theme: **Monte Carlo!!**

-looking at borrowing blackjack tables from the legion, adding poker, card games, skully, hacky sack, etc. and using fake money (using the winnings to bid on prizes – maybe)

-hypnotist (emailed...)

-photo slideshow

-grads will check out the ballroom in the Davis building (for prom) (Annika and Alexandra) – done, not feasible

-Looking at options (GFSS gym/CL Community Centre/PV Ranch): vote was split 50/50

-waiting to hear back from The Wooden Spoon about options and cost

6. Decorating Committee (Alexandra Larson)

-if parents or students are interested in being on this committee to research, purchase and decorate for the prom, the first meeting will be at 6:00 before the next grad parent meeting in February

-looking at black/red/gold colour theme, masks, centerpieces, etc...

7. Estimated Costs at this point (rough)

Venue: ?

DJ: \$2000

Food: \$3500

Hypnotist: \$2000

Decorating: ?

Prizes: ?

8. Grad hours report – Kalea

-still needs updating from Dec. fundraisers

9. Capstone Reminder – presentations are this week. Students should have a 15 minute slot of time booked already.

10. Grad Portraits

It's time to book your Grad portraits. Prestige will be here February 5 - 8, 2024 and the portal is open to book your sitting. There is a sitting fee of \$25.00 that can be paid while you are booking or you can pay it direct at the time of your booking. They do have interact or will take cash. The link is on the GFSS website and has been emailed out to you.

11. Other

12. Next grad meeting: Monday, February 12, 2024