

**S.T Worden Public School**  
**School Council Meeting Agenda**

February 20, 2025 - 6:30 pm at S.T Worden PS

Minutes recorded by Michelle Booth

1) Welcome and Land Acknowledgement 3 min

6:45 pm call to order

Present Members:

Heather Bell, Shannon Gainey, Rebecca Leary, Michelle Booth, Sarah Carroll, Chantale Legall,  
Lauren Bower

2) Agenda Approval 2 min

Motion to Approve

First: Michelle, Second: Shannon

3) Adoption of last meeting's minutes - January 15th - 6:30 pm 2 min

Motion to Approve

First: Heather Second: Rebecca

4) Principal's Report -

- Extracurriculars/Clubs - Jr. Basketball (took 1st place!), badminton, forest of reading, and Hacker Girl club
- Hot lunches - Subway, Harvey's, and Pizza are still going strong
- Winter Musical (Feb 18)
  - Matinee and evening show - attendance - was high
  - Possible ideas for investments in the school - Spotlight and drop ceiling microphones on the stage for concerts and future musicals, more below
  - Raffle for baskets status (Delayed)
- Book Fair - struggled with the amount of snow that week and the re-scheduling of the Musical event
- Basketball net in kindergarten yard information (from last meeting) - Email from facilities - will require the connection bolts to run through the brick and block wall with mounting plates inside. Typical installations also need mounting brackets which support a backboard and hoop, while aligning the unit away from the wall for safety and playability. The cost for the brackets is estimated to be around \$600 on top of the hoop and backboard. (discussion about portable hoop that can be stored in the shed as best option)



File Name: Gared Sports Front Mount Backboard with Hoop and Net

Item #: 2124407

~~\$881.95 CAD~~  
**\$793.76 CAD**



- Grade 8 Graduation - Date June 24th, 2025 (doesn't interfere with CSS Graduation)
  - Past practice from SCC? (contributions towards awards/food for grads/etc) - agreed to contribute \$500 (motion passed)
  - Ceremony and Student celebration will be held at the school - Winter Wonderland theme
  - Approx. 6 tickets per family (398 capacity in the gym)

#### 5) Teacher Representative Report - Lauren Bower -

- Track and Field event will be at Clarington Central on Tuesday, May 27th (intermediate) and Wednesday, May 28th (junior)

#### 6) Treasurer's Report- Shannon Gainey

- \$1075 from Pizza lunch is the only change

#### 7) Fundraisers & School Council Events

1. Coffin Creek (formally known as Deadly Grounds) - discussed fundraising specifically for lighting and sound equipment for the stage, STEM resources
2. Raffle baskets - Suggested to move to spring and maybe host a family games night at the same time. - discussion about the organization, how it might run and the importance of children being with their parents

#### 8) Other business to discuss.

- Yard rejuvenation project - Painting in Kindergarten pen, new equipment like tricycles, sun shade and sand.
- Additions to gym - New volleyball net, scoreboard, hockey net, badminton racquets, soccer socks and shin pads, jerseys, pinnies
- Extension of library (outside space ideas) - seating for new fenced-in area
- Games for indoor recess, LEGO, all suggested as well.
- Musical/ Concerts/Stage - art supplies, microphones

\*Purchasing games and introducing them at a Family Games Night in the Spring was suggested. Games would then be divided up among classrooms after event.

\*Looking into "Jays Care" for baseball equipment.

Next Meeting Date: **Thursday, March 20th, 6:00 pm**

9) Meeting Adjourned

Shannon Gainey Motion to Adjourn.