



Helen Gorman Elementary School

Parent Advisory Council Meeting

November 4th 2025

In attendance:

~Dani Walls ~Kacy Martin ~Selena Hermann ~Carlyn McLaren
~Jessica Anjos ~Christy Wiens ~Britney Morrison

Regrets:

~Melanie Boomhower ~Laura Gustafson ~Jacqueline Pizzey

Call to Order: @ 6:01

Adoption of the Agenda:

Motion to accept the agenda for Tuesday, November 4th 2025

Motion: Kacy **Second:** Selena

Adoption of the Minutes:

Motion to accept the minutes from Tuesday October 7th 2025

Motion: Kacy **Second:** Selena

Presidents Report:

-Have everything in place to request donations for the playground, putting a pause on things until we have a date.

Treasurers Report:

General Account Balance: \$44,198.71 (Reconciled- \$42,739.71)

Gaming Account Balance: \$5,164.19

Hot Lunch: \$8,759.27

Fundraising Profits:

1. Quarter Wars- \$341.96
2. Halloween Event \$678.40 (profit)

COPAC Report:

-New bylaws November 19th 2025

-COPAC parent conference February 28th

-CARE- Climate action ripple effect program will be coming into school.

Principal's report and funding requests:

See attached Principal's report for details.

- Robin Kimmie- \$350- Winter Concert items

Motion: Kacy

Second: Selena

- Dennis Hardmann- \$600 for larger computer in Library

Motion: Selena

Second: Christy

Events discussion:

Halloween Event:

- Good feedback, everyone happy to have it back again this year

Pumpkin Walk:

- 95 pumpkins brought in by students
- Prizes by grade worked best
- Remind families to bring in their lights

Upcoming movie night proposed for late January early February.

Fundraising discussion:

1. Purdy's cut off November 30th and pick up December 12th
2. Growing Smilies order cut off November 25th (Delivery December 11th- Jacqueline and Selena) Pick up December 12th
3. Silent Auction- collecting donations- ongoing spreadsheet and letter available. Auction will take place Wednesday December 17th at the winter concert.

Next meetings:

Tuesday December 2th @ 6pm

Tuesday January 6th @ 6pm

Tuesday February 10th @ 6pm

Tuesday March 3rd @ 6pm

Tuesday April 7th @ 6pm

Tuesday May 12th @ 6pm

Tuesday June 2nd @ 6pm

Principal's Report: Helen Gorman Elementary School PAC Meeting
Jessica Anjos | November 4, 2025

1. Updates

- a. Thank you to PAC for hosting the Halloween Dance.
- b. Supporting the Quarter Wars
- c. Celebrating the Pumpkin Walk

2. Upcoming Events:

- a. Parkour (November 24-28) and Great Way Martial Arts (January 12-16)
- b. Remembrance Day and Indigenous Veterans Day Ceremony (November 10)
- c. Cultural Performance with Axe Capoeira (November 13)
- d. Harmony Day Assembly (November 20)
- e. SHE in Grade 4s in December 2025 and Grade 5s in May 2026
- f. Winter Concert (December 17)
 - i. Reminder of purpose of tickets
 - ii. Reminder of video and photography

3. Funding Requests

- a. Robin Kimmie for \$350 for Winter Concert Items
- b. Denise Hardman for \$200 (cost share) for a new laptop to support all teachers