

VAPO, The Parent Organization of Valley Academy

January Meeting Minutes – Governing Council

1/10/2023 | Time: 8:15 AM | Meeting called to order by: A. Sessler (President)

Location: VAPO Room

Meeting was called to order at 8:16 a.m.

In Attendance

A. Sessler (President)	V. Brooks (Principal)
K. Morawa (Treasurer)	A. Smith (Office Fundraising)
B. Gebhart (Secretary)	A. Bratlien (Special Events)
C. Ushakov (Coyote Pride)	S. Hochhalter (8 th Grade Promotion)
V. Eckles (Staff Appreciation)	E. Billings (Library)

Guest

A. Hedgepeth

Administrator's Report

V. Brooks – Football and Basketball are both underway. Math Club has its first competition on 2/5/2023. Will be sending out emails to motivate families to donate their tax credit to the school.

New Business

A. Sessler – Review/approval of meeting minutes – S. Hochhalter motioned the vote, K. Morawa seconded. All in favor, no opposition. Voted to approve money for first grade books, Magic Treehouse - Thanksgiving on Thursday and \$528 for classic books for Mr. Bauer's classroom. E. Billings motioned the vote, V. Eckles seconded. All in favor, no opposition.

Treasurer

K. Morawa – Deposit for December's ice cream money and wrote check to Big Boy Ice Cream.

Secretary's Report

A. Sessler – Website is still in the works.

Library

E. Billings – Will start sending out forms for Curriculum reading volunteers.

Coyote Pride

C. Ushakov – Honor Roll ice cream is on 1/11/2023 and the next spirit day is 2/3/2023. T-shirt sales has been opened for online ordering and will be kept open for about 3 weeks.

Staff Appreciation

V. Eckles – The next Staff Appreciation will be a breakfast scheduled for 2/9/2023.

Office Fundraising

A. Smith – Fun Run assembly and breakfast will be 1/19/2023. The prizes will arrive on 1/12/2023. The Fun Run Mascot was approved to come to the school.

Event Fundraising

Athletics

A. Sessler – Field day is scheduled for 1/27/2023.

8th Grade Promotion

S. Hochhalter – Will be picking the top 2-3 t-shirt designs to have the students vote on. The theme is Make Your Mark, 2023 Has Got the Spark.

Office Assistance (Open Position)

Special Events

A. Bratlien – Caught being good 1/11/2023. We have some new items to test out and see if the kids like them.

Office Communication

A. Sessler – The next party is the Valentine's Day party on 2/10/2023.

Next Meeting

2/14/2023 | Time 8:15 a.m. | Location VAPO Room

Meeting adjourned at 8:55 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Brie Gebhart

Secretary

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