



# Hillcrest Academy Home & School Association (HAHSA)

Tuesday, February 15, 2022  
7:00 pm  
Via Zoom

## HAHSA meeting

**Attendees:** Renee Neratzas, Maria Guglielmino, Karen Palassian, Jennifer Charbonneau, Theodora Zikos, Dora Tavares, Jefferey Drake, Patrick Cristofaro, Lola Moyle, Kia Cunningham, Andrea Chotintomadis, Naushine Bakali, Jennifer Maselli, Sheyda Senoglu, Catherine Kapogiannatos, Sotoria Kamperogiannis, Despina Psilios, Veronica Morgentaler

**Guest:** Jennifer Butler

**Absent:** Maria Dimopoulos, Maria Patstis, Lucy Makris, Jenny Georgiopoulous, Angie Lazanis, Athena Kuimanis, Shannon Capstick, Tanya Rembacz, Frangiska Xenopoulos, Cathy Carbone, Katerina Stavriadis, Maria Almedia, Sylva Yapoudjian, Tania Creswell, Danielle LeBlanc, Izabella Truschnigg

### Minutes

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**Agenda item:** 1. *Approval of Agenda (revised)* **Presenter:** Renee Neratzas

- The agenda is approved by Karen P. and seconded by Maria G.

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**Agenda item:** 2. *Approval of Minutes – January 11, 2022* **Presenter:** Renee Neratzas

- The January 11, 2022, minutes are approved by Karen P and seconded by Patrick.

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**Agenda item:** 3. *Business Arising* **Presenter:** Renee Neratzas

**Discussion:**

**3.1 Spring Carnival**

There is a 3k budget. A teacher is exploring the idea of a sugar shack outing. Will have update after teacher meeting.

Will see about eco-museum, reptizoo, etc. as an activity. Naushine will reach out for prices. Butler will verify with teachers as well.

**3.2 End of Year Fun Day**

Ideas about bouncers and can use the giant slip & slides purchased from Costco in spring 2021 as the kids loved them.

The idea of a Carnival Theme is suggested. Lots of enthusiasm.

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**Agenda item:** 4.1 *Principal/Vice Principal's Report* **Presenter:** Jennifer Butler

**Discussion:**

- Loved the punch a tree which was organized for after the holidays. The kids loved it.
- Staff is loving the teacher appreciation week treats. Survival kit is a hit.
- Would like to transfer the funds for the cancelled holiday brunch for the year end BBQ which will be held in the last week of June. As the BBQ is a bit more expensive, she will confirm the amount. Rough idea may be 3.5k.
- Asking for funds for computers to have a set for each class so there will be no more sharing between classes. We could have future fundraisers solely dedicated for computers. Hillcrest computer technicians can take care of the updates & etc. as the devices belong to the school. There are currently 8 classes that need devices. New devices would be for grades 2 to grade 6.
- Spirit week is this week. It's a nice energy with the kids.



