

Valley View School General Meeting

Date: January 20, 2026

Time: 6:02pm

Present: Allison Ho, Daryle Todos, Shafina Dharmasi, Amy Bennett, Stefan Sam, Sarah Trotter-Beadle, Jailene, Rashed Haydar, Farhad Wahid, Boutaina Ifassiouen, Ashraf Amin, Marsha MacDonald, Mahesh HK

1. **Call to Order:** 6:02pm
2. **Welcome & Introduction:** Land acknowledgment
3. **Approval of Minutes:** Approved by Amy Bennett, Seconded by Allison Ho
4. **Business Arising from Minutes:**

Reports:

1. Principals:

a. Shafina

- i. Reviewing the School Development Plan during the March Parent Council Meeting
- ii. Valley View will have Video Surveillance Technology. This information will be shared during March Conferences.
- iii. Inline Skating is starting March 2nd-19th. This is partially subsidized from \$22 to \$10 per student. We will be able to take cash this year.
- iv. YMCA Camp Chief Hector for grade 6 students happening virtually and in person on Thursday Jan 22/26
- v. Scholastic Book Fair scheduled for March 16-20. We are looking for volunteers to support this event.
 1. Before the fair: receiving package and set up, Set up books, Host classes to preview
 2. During the Fair: Cashier, support parents and kids, and send orders to scholastics
 3. After the fair support with packing up any unsold books, process payments and submit reports.
 4. Purchasing is available during the week and during teacher conferences.

b. Daryle Todos

- i. Valley View School was successful with the grant - allotted over \$30,000 to start the outdoor classroom. Looking to start the construction after the May long weekend.

2. Key Communicator: Marsha MacDonald

- a. First meeting is coming up. Normally this happens in the fall but given the election it was postponed.
- b. The Key Communicators are asked to come with ideas from the following three questions:
 - i. What is important to our school community?
 - 1. Safety, inclusion, clean, student wellness, self regulation, and learning to reflect for the kids, cultural awareness, update on current technology, educators and staff to feel supported.
 - ii. What creates community at our school?
 - a. Events, opportunities to build leadership skills, team work,
 - iii. What are the most important topics in your school?
 - 1. Resources, assistance for learning delays or special needs, supplies for learning

3. Community Representative: Amy Bennett

- a. Dover Community Association
 - i. Putting on a free learn to skate - equipment is provided
 - 1. Starts Jan 28 from 5pm-7pm
 - 2. Register 403-273-6124 or email doverdenca@gmail.com for more information
 - ii. Every Friday there is last chance produce.
 - 1. Bring your bags and a donation

4. Next Meeting: March 17th, 2026 at 6:00pm

5. Adjournment: 6:30pm

Superkids Society General Meeting

Date: January 20, 2026

Time: 6:30pm

Present: Allison Ho, Daryle Todos, Shafina Dharmasi, Amy Bennett, Stefan Sam, Sarah Trotter-Beadle, Jailene, Rashed Haydar, Farhad Wahid, Boutaina Ifassiouen, Ashraf Amin, Marsha MacDonald, Mahesh HK

1. **Call to Order:** 6:30pm
2. **Welcome & Introduction:**
3. **Approval of Minutes:** Approved by Marsha MacDonald, Seconded by Ashraf Amin
4. **Business Arising from Minutes:** Two positions still available - Community Liaison and Casino Chair

Reports:

1. **President: Amy Bennett**

- a. Vacation Positions:
 - i. Community Liaison. Amy nominated Jailene for Community Liaison, Seconded by Marsha MacDonald,
 - ii. Casino Chair. No one came forward. If anyone is interested in learning more please email Amy at president@calleyviewsuperkids.com or 587-433-0773
- b. Susan - Board of Trustee would like to attend one of our meetings. She will be invited to our April 21, 2026 meeting. Marsha will email Susan directly to confirm.
 - i. This will be an opportunity for the school board to ask questions.
- c. Movie Night:
 - i. Film Makers Projectors Licensing rights has responded. 690.00 to have access to all movies that are available. This could be used for teachers and staff. This would give access for 365 days.
 - ii. Motion to spend 690.00 to purchase the licensing rights. Allison Ho approves, seconded by Farhad Wahid.
 - iii. Movie nights are scheduled for April 2nd and May 14th: Movies TBD.
- d. Save the date for the End of the Year dance - June 18th
- e. Teachers Wish List:
 - i. This was provided by the teachers. Amy went though to find where we can source these and included the cheapest link. The total to purchase everything on the list is \$3983.

- ii. We wrote a check to BDI- for the east playground at the beginning of the year. This was accidentally paid twice once by SuperKids, and once by Valley View School. This double payment was returned to Valley View School and the school has given it to SuperKids. We can use this money to pay for the teachers wish list.
 - iii. The check is for \$4196.85.
 - iv. One potential adjustment. If we do not need all of the books we will purchase two sets of walkie talkies.
 - v. Motion by Amy proposed to spent the returned money on the teachers wish list items. Marsha MacDonald approved. Sarah Beadle seconded
- f. Every year there is a \$500 mastercard from the Alberta Parent Council Society Association. It does need to be spent by May 1st and needs to support parents (books, resources, info sessions)
- i. An idea to spend this is a constable to present on online safety. This is \$2100 - this is a great choice however, we would like to see if other schools are interested. We would look at this for next year. Information can be found here: <https://socialnetworkingsafety.net/>
 - ii. Another option is a therapist to discuss self-regulation or gentle parenting.
 - iii. Raise of Hands to approve spending the 500 on the psychologist. 6/8 have raised their hands in favour.
 - iv. Vote on Gentle Parenting (1) and Self Regulation (4).
 - v. ACTION: Amy to book this.
- g. Resource Fair: April 23rd 5:30-7:30pm
- i. This is an in school event to bring resources to families.
 - ii. Interested in helping out contacting companies? Send Amy an email if you are able to support.
 - iii. Needing volunteers for the night of (set up, take down, manning the table) 5:00pm - 8:00pm. If interested in helping send Amy an email.

2. Vice President: Farhad Wahid

- a. Nothing to add.

3. Fundraiser: Sarah Beadle

- a. Make it Sow fundraiser - They are ready, Forms were sent home today. Due back February 9th. Order will be placed on Feb 11 or 12. Delivery date is one week after the order is placed.
- b. Popcorn will go out February 19/20 and due back March 2nd
- c. Coco Brooks will go out Feb 24-26 and will be due back on March 16th. Orders placed March 18/19. Delivery will be March 30-April 3rd. Two locations - Whitehorn Police Station and School Parking lot
- d. Texas Donuts will come out in April. Set dates to follow.

- e. The last popcorn fundraiser made \$810.15. This is higher than our average of \$400.

4. Treasurer: Ash Amin

- a. General account balance is 39,864.63
- b. Casino account balance is 78,534.86
- c. Met with the Treasurer taking over next year.
- d. Accounts are standing where they should be.
- e. The 30,830 from the CFAP should have been deposited today. We need confirmation by February 15th. Ash will go to the bank to confirm the deposit.
- f. Proceeds from two fundraisers: Coco Brooks and Texas Donuts will go towards grade 6 Camp Chief Hector.
- g. Friendology: Coming up to renewal time. Shafina to follow up with exact renewal date.
- h. Needing two signatories - Allison Ho (Secretary) and the new treasurer will become the signatories along with Amy. Hoping to schedule May 13 at 9:30am.
 - i. Action: Ash to check in with the Bank to confirm the process. Quest to ask the bank: Can the new treasurer be added before the AGM vote in November?

5. Casino Chair: Vacant

6. Secretary: Allison

- a. No updates.

7. Next Meeting: March 17, 2026 at 6:00pm

8. Adjournment: 7:30pm