



William Aberhart High School Friends of Orange Association



Friends of Orange Association Meeting Minutes: Sept 23 2024

President: Farouk Gillani	Treasurer: Josh Orzech	
Vice-President: Olga Tourin	Secretary: Tracy Duncan	

Attendees:

Nicole Rossi, Tracy Duncan, Lisa Gibson, Lara Mack, Syed Ayub, Sehar Rehman, Gitte Julien, Josh Orzech, Mike Van Wensem, Shelley Wiart, Tanis James, Dawna Morrow, Farouk Gillani.

- Meeting called to order at 7:41 by Farouk G.
- Consent Agenda reviewed. Motion to approve agenda and March 18 2024 meeting minutes by Dawna, seconded by Tracy. All in Favour. Approved.
- Financial update by Treasurer (Farouk G)
 - The bank balance as of today = \$1293.52
 - Our treasurer for this year (elected at the AGM) will be Josh Orzech.
- Follow-up from previous meeting / Actions: None
- Fundraising Actions:
 - FOA normally supports school for one \$500 or 2x\$250 scholarship.
 - Coco Brooks fundraising ongoing. Needs to be completed 16th Oct. Approx 25% return.
 - Posters around the school but need alternate ways to communicate this.
 - Could add to community newsletters
 - FOA could have an initiative to do an education matters donation.
- New business:
 - Next FOA meeting we should add an agenda to explore other fundraising sources such as grant writing.
 - Social media: Aberhart has social media accounts, nobody to manage them. Might be a better way to communicate to other parents.
- Next meeting date:
 - **Oct 28 2024 at 8:00 pm and will be held as a hybrid meeting.**
See FOA page on school website for dates and details [William Aberhart High School \(cbe.ab.ca\)](http://WilliamAberhartHighSchool.cbe.ab.ca)
- Motion to adjourn at 8:12 PM by Nicole R, seconded by Tracy. All in favour. Adjourned.