

Barriere Secondary School
PAC minutes
March 2, 2026

Attendance:

Michelle Johnson, Jen Crosman, Elizabeth Ekins, Mr. Markides, Colleen Tremblay, Angie Farrow

Previous Minutes approved.

Financial Report:

Regular	\$1532.68
Gaming	\$5967.27
Bursary	\$4393.53
LNTCF	\$11040.00?
Sign	\$1436.42?

Sr Girls raffle made \$1000 which went into the account and back out again
The grad fire wood raffle will run through PAC
Rugby will be doing a raffle as well

Financial report approved

Principals report:

The February PRO D Day was done by Simpcw

Course selection for next year is complete. It is not finalized but is looking good for next year.

Parent teacher interviews have been moved to Wednesday this week from 1:30 to 5pm. Early dismissal will be Wednesday instead of Thursday.

Simpcw has asked to have a cord for kids who completed the Simpcw language course as this will be the first graduation who had this course available since kindergarten. Simpcw will be providing the cord for all grads taking the course this year. It will be different than the gold cord for district honour students but we are not sure of the colour yet.

DPAC:

PAC 101 seminar happening tonight

There are still a few Food Safe spots still available if anyone is interested.

Beautification Project:

4-H flower orders are available for ordering now if the school wants to order. Principal will check if the teachers want to order again this year. We will discuss at our next meeting.

Picnic Tables:

The total cost would be \$4450 for 2 picnic tables \$2500 would need to be covered by PAC.
Picnic table discussion has been tabled till spring.

Golf and Restaurant Cards:

We have sold about 10 cards in total
There is a poster in the newsletter but it has no info on who to contact or how to buy them
Mr. Markides will make sure it is fixed

Vending Machine:

Quotes for a new vending machine start at about \$5800
they would be a 20v1 direct plug unit
A motion was made to use the sign money for a new vending machine by ???
Seconded by Colleen
All in favour
We could also ask the Communities Foundation for money for the vending machine

Fundraisers:

Michelle had two possible fundraiser ideas.
Selling sheet sets
Armstrong cheese
We are not currently looking for more fundraisers but will keep these in mind for future needs

Grade 7/ elementary communications

Grade 7 kids are missing out on opportunities such as young authors, young artists, and track and field due to a lack of communications between schools. Mr. Markides will reach out to the principal at the elementary school and see about getting on the email list for some of these events.

Next meeting:

April 13th 2026