



January 20, 2022 Meeting

Location:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83259586809?pwd=dGRCZ1lhNi9CbVUyeHBlbWFweGI1QT09>

of Directors Present (out of 16):

of Members Present (including directors):

Minutes Submitted By: Melissa Carthum and Kim Flin, co-secretaries

Time	Topic	Leader	Notes
7:00 pm	Land acknowledgement, meeting norms	Jackie Thai	
7:05	Welcome and Introductions Trivia		
7:10	Votes: <ul style="list-style-type: none">Approve October, November, December meeting minutes	Jackie Thai	
7:20	Admin Update		
	Volunteer Coordinator Update <ul style="list-style-type: none">WEP	Jodi Russell	
7:30	<u>Committee Updates:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Auction updateBudget Committee update	Shelby Reynolds (Auction Committee) Samsy Martin-Gray & Brian (Treasurers/Budget Committee)	
7:50 pm	Topics: <ul style="list-style-type: none">BLM at school t-shirts updateBrief recap of bylaws meeting conversationUniforms update/ AAR	Jackie Thai	
8:00 pm	Wrap Up of Official Business	Jackie	

Next meeting/event: Thursday, February 17, 2022 at 7:00 pm

Welcome

Thanks for being here! Our parent-teacher organization, Friends of Salmon Bay (FOSB), is here to support the school and community. Any adult associated with a student at Salmon Bay is automatically a member of FOSB. Learn more at friendsofsalmonbay.org and follow us on Facebook, [@Friends of Salmon Bay](https://www.facebook.com/ Friends of Salmon Bay).

Acknowledgement of Duwamish ancestral lands: Seattle Public Schools recognizes that much of the land upon which we serve students was once inhabited primarily by the Duwamish tribe. As we start our meeting, we

acknowledge that we are on the traditional, ancestral lands of the Duwamish people. We honor the strength and resilience of the first inhabitants, whose children we serve today.

FOSB Meeting Norms

Before the meeting:

- Read the agenda so that things are less likely to surprise you.
- Review accompanying documents so you are prepared to participate.
- Participate in agenda development if you have news to share.

During the meeting:

We ask Salmon Bay students to be safe, kind, and responsible. As role models in this community, we ask the same of ourselves. At FOSB meetings, we aspire to:

- Speak respectfully to each other as we engage in constructive, honest discussions.
- Maintain a focus on student benefit.
- Listen to understand other's ideas, not to contradict them.
- Share our experience and expertise to help create workable solutions.
- Honor time by communicating clearly and working efficiently and effectively.
- Trust and respect that the Co-Chairs will make appropriate choices about how much time to spend on a given topic.

October/November/December Minutes Vote:

Admin Update-

Volunteer Coordinator Update- Jodi Russell

- WEP has been canceled this winter. An announcement was sent to all families. Staff members met to discuss a modified alternative enrichment program in March. More details will be shared as plans are finalized.
- I am seeking a few parents to help coordinate the laundering and donation of lost and found items. Please reach out if you are interested.
- Watch the school newsletter for more information on additional volunteer needs and school events.

Committee Updates

- Information about FOSB Committees may be found on our website here <https://www.friendsofsalmonbay.org/about-fosb/committees-activities/>
- FOSB committees provide an opportunity to build community, fundraise, and enhance our learning environment at the school. You can contribute as much or as little as you wish. Your volunteer time is always welcome.

After-school program

- We are in the process of discussing what type of After School program we'd like to implement and what size program we can support and sustain.
- If you'd like to join the discussion, please reach out to Jodi Russell jrrussell@seattleschools.org

After-school Theatre

- This committee creates, supports, and produces content for the after-school drama program. If you want to participate, please reach out.
- After-School Theatre is planning on launching programming in the coming weeks, but it will be online until we hear otherwise from the school or district. For more information or if you are interested in joining our parent committee, contact Biz at sbafterschooltheatre@gmail.com.

Auction Committee

- The Auction Committee is responsible for planning the FOSB annual auction-- from ideation to implementation-- and is a working committee. While ideas are a large part of the process, leading and seeing those ideas to action is what makes this an exciting, dynamic committee to be a part of.
- Contact Shelby Benny Reynolds at shelby@ShineEventDesign.com
- *Progress Update (as of January 2022):*

- **This year's auction will again be a live, virtual production and take place on Thursday, March 10, 2022.** The week prior to the auction event will include silent auction bidding, party sales, and hybrid elements to make the auction week a fun one! Mark your calendars and plan to join us in supporting our school while having a great time.
- **Needs** (*Please contact Shelby Reynolds, auction chair, at the email above if you have ideas, can help or are interested in learning more!*)
 - **Live and silent auction items!** Our team is actively looking for items for our auction— gift cards, overnight stays, sporting and theatre tickets, experiences, products... we'd love to hear from you!
 - **Party ideas and hosts!** Auction parties are some of our most popular items. We are looking for people to host covid safe small group activities in person or a virtual setting. If you have an idea or are willing to host (and want us to build the party for you!), please reach out.

Bike to School

- May is Bike to School month.
- Contact Heather Darval kultervals@gmail.com.

Direct Giving

- As of 12/17/21 the total raised was \$63,980. We may reach \$65,000 goal with matching donations
- The Direct Giving campaign ended on 12/17/21
- Questions? Contact Caitlin Collins caitlincollins37@yahoo.com and Jessemine Fung jesseminep@gmail.com.

Equity Diversity and Inclusion

- This committee is different from RET as it is parent-led and supports parents.
- Contact Phoenix Johnson fosbdiversity@gmail.com.

Finance

- The Treasurers are developing an online form for teachers to submit reimbursement requests. This should streamline the process for reimbursement.
- Contact fosbtreasurer@gmail.com

Funding Equity Committee

- There is an opportunity to connect with other Northside schools who are interested in developing a fundraising alliance inspired by the [SE Fundraising Alliance](#). If you would like to be involved please reach out to Julie Schneider at kajulie@hotmail.com for more information. It could be for your own personal involvement or connected to a (currently not) reinstated temporary Funding Equity committee.

Garden Committee

- Jenny Melnick and Erin Rosenberg –Contact: SBGardencommittee@gmail.com

Legislative Committee - OPEN -

- This committee needs a chair. The legislative committee helps parents stay apprised of legislative issues in public education at the local, state, and national level.
- Contact: FOSBChair@gmail.com

Parent Information Exchange (PIE)

- The PIE committee is still exploring speakers to book. Please be in touch if you'd like to join us or if you have ideas you'd like the committee to consider.
- Stay tuned for a free invitation to a Mar 2nd viewing of Screenagers: Next Chapter, hosted by PNW Parent Education.
- Contact Julie Schneider at kajulie@hotmail.com.

Rock for FOSB - OPEN -

- This committee needs a chair. In before times, Rock for FOSB, was an annual event where parents gathered to listen to other teachers and parents play music.
- Contact: FOSBChair@gmail.com

Special Education Disability Committee (SED)

- Designed to be a resource for the Special Education parent community.
- Kristi DeVadder's set up a series of TEFOS events with the approval of the committee.
- Cheryl arranged over the summer with the approval of committee members a presentation from ARC of King County to explain the 10 steps to navigating IEP's/504 plans and advocating.
- Kristi has approached the building admin for the SED Committee to sponsor 3 teachers/staff to attend Mona Delahooke's workshop for teachers. She is part of Roots of inclusion and the author of Beyond Behavior. They're looking at Jan 8 but might be challenging for staff on a Saturday- date still TBD. They're also looking for a Middle school teacher to attend as well (currently an IA and 2 Elem school teachers)
- Events in the works for 2022 OSPI ACE presentation from Lee Collyer/this will be a multi school event
- Lee Collyer has put Cheryl in touch with someone from UW- she's working with them
- I am in touch with Kelcey at the UW SMART Center to do the event Lee Collyer was going to do. Still waiting to confirm. We set the date for March 23.
- A multi FOSB Committee film screening is part of our upcoming agenda more info will come later
- Will be putting together an IEP/504 Bootcamp for Special ed parents to help them through process - 3 part series with speakers in the works
- At our last meeting 1/5/2022 we discussed the Bootcamp and best option to reach out to special ed families mindful of privacy rules, with the plan to have their input as to what is most important to them for Bootcamp topics. We have a good list to work from. We will have some presenters to help with the Bootcamp.
- Contact Cheryl Jenrow at cjenrow@gmail.com

Open FOSB Positions

- Open Committee Chair roles (now): Legislative Committee, Rock fer FOSB

Topics:

WEP

BLM at School Week- T-shirts update

- First week in February
- RET (Racial Equity Team) is taking the lead on this and making plans for curriculum, activities, etc.
- Discussion around possible EDI coordinated Parent Education night that week
- T-shirts- we did not do them last year but had the 4 years prior, would like to do this again this year
 - student-created artwork
 - Julie is taking this on, is supported by Jodi and Principal Dixon

Wrap Up/Adjourn