

Hammonds Plains Consolidated School PTA Minutes

January 13, 2026 - online

In attendance:

Carmen Bartlett
Michelle Croxen
Carolyn Milne
Robert Bonnar

Lesley MacInnis
Cathy Noseworthy
Orr Frohlich
Anna Barkhouse
Donna Bohemmier

Regrets:

Sharon Higgins

1. Welcome/Call to order

Michelle Croxen calls meeting to order 6:34 pm

2. Approval of January's agenda

Moved by: Anna Barkhouse

Seconded by: Rob Bonnar

3. Approval of November's minutes

Moved by: Michelle Croxen

Seconded by: Carolyn Milne

4. Administration Report – Leslie MacInnis

Ms. Marsman and Ms. Corkum have retired. Notice went out from HPCS today.

Mr. Mugford is the Vice Principal since mid-November and he will continue until the end of the school year.

Lesley is a retired principal from West Mount & Chebucto Heights. She has experience as a student services facilitator with HRCE. Last year she was at Joseph Howe school and is happy to be at Hammonds Plains. She has been going around to classrooms meeting staff and students. She is happy to be filling in as principal.

5. **SAC Report – Orr Frolich**

Approved a collection of amendments for SAC including membership with community members. SAC will be purchasing books.

6. **Treasurer’s Report – Cathy Noseworthy**

All monies are deposited for Santa Social, Front Row Raffle tickets, and cheque from the clothing, MLA supports from Rick Burns.

Motion to approve \$509.33 receipt for reimbursement to Mr. Dykeman

Moved by: Carolyn Milne

Seconded by Michelle Croxen

Motion carried unanimously

6. **Other Business**

a. Santa Social recap

Total - \$3798.49

Anna Barkhouse is our Elf – next year we need at least two teenage volunteers. Staff volunteer numbers were very low this year. One retired staff member helped the day of event. CP Allen students volunteered too.

Photography – request for Iver next year for great service

Thank you to Santa Ron for helping us out

Thank you to Cathy for arranging the hot chocolate & coffee donation from Crème. We ran out of hot chocolate. We may need to invest in coffee urns.

\$1205.00 – Auction raised

Front row seats – two sets of 2 seats sold really well

Pet Valu would like to come back for BBQ

Next year, book gym for the night before for set up

b. School Clothing recap

Bit of a headache – everything has arrived and is distributed. We may be reopening the store if we can meet minimum requirements again.

c. Upcoming events & fundraisers

Valentines Dance – Feb 12 – 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm - Carolyn is lead. Selling roses. Dance is in the gym, quiet zone in cafeteria

Name tag fundraiser with Mike Pratt - \$5 for each goes to school - \$7.00

another smaller size available for lesser price. Michelle can get this fundraiser out right away.

Make it sow - \$681.00 last year – very little work – online store, very organized easy fundraiser – Michelle will gear up for the spring around March

Spring hop – Carolyn will lead

Motion to adjourn meeting

Moved: Rob Bonnar

Seconded: Michelle Croxen

Motion carried unanimously

Adjournment 7:10 pm

Next meeting: February 10, 2026 (online)