# Kinosayo Parents Association

#### Meeting Agenda - February 3rd, 2025

- 1. Introductions, Welcome message
- 2. Approval of agenda
  - **a.** Errors or omissions from this agenda
- 3. Approval of previous minutes
  - a. Minutes are approved
- 4. Progress Reports
  - a. Megan Treasurer Update
  - b. Kelsey Fundraisers Update
    - i. No fundraisers running in Feb
    - ii. March events are set up- will update at the March meeting: Purdy's, Wilhauk and Little Caesars.
  - c. Mike Playground Update
- 5. New Business
  - a. Open Positions Call out → Treasurer, 2025 Santa's Workshop Chair, Web Design Support & Social Media Coordinator
    - i. Jen has posted on the KPA Facebook page. Margot has a draft for an email to be sent out to the parents. Jen will post again next week to keep up engagement.
    - ii. Megan's schedule is full if we don't have a new Treasurer in place by the end of the month Jen will take over temporarily until the role is fulfilled.
  - b. Charity vs Non Profit Update
  - c. Agenda Items for Next Meeting
    - i. Next Meeting: Monday, March 3rd at 8PM

## Quick Guide on Non-Profit vs. Charity

In Canada, not-for-profit organizations (NPOs) and registered charities are both types of organizations that support people in need. However, they have different purposes, registration requirements, and activities.

#### **Purpose**

- NPOs: Operate for reasons other than profit, such as civic improvement, recreation, or welfare
- Registered charities: Operate exclusively for charitable purposes

### Registration requirements

- NPOs: Do not need to register with the Canada Revenue Agency (CRA)
- Registered charities: Must apply to the CRA for approval and receive a charitable registration number

#### Activities

- NPOs: Have more flexibility in their activities, as long as they don't primarily generate profit
- Registered charities: Must ensure their activities directly support their charitable objectives

#### **Donation receipts**

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#### Spending requirements

- NPOs: Do not have spending requirements
- Registered charities: Must spend a minimum amount of funds per year on charitable activities