

PTO Meeting

April 19, 2017

Call to Order-7:30 pm

Principal's Report-Mr. Coch

Hope everyone had a great spring break. Mr. Coch went to Williamsburg to Busch Gardens and Jamestown.

Staffing—HR to do projected enrollment 50 less than what we have now. 183 6th graders

He has to reduce quite a few teachers. He can't keep them here but they are guaranteed a job in the county. There is a hold on 3 teachers so they can be offered a job if we do end up getting new positions. Only 1 classroom teacher was de-staffed in Kindergarten.

Only 2 positions available Mrs. Abernathy is retiring and Librarian

Interviewed 12 people so far. Once it is official he will let everyone know.

Basketball game was fun and always fun when we win!! Bragging rights!!

PBL Community Night—good night and we had a teacher represent all grade levels including the AAP and the K-2 teachers. The teachers are all being consistent.

There is a video of PBL on the Navy website. It is a 5 minute video of the kids.

Engagement Survey—our staff just took it and rates our schools environemtn—we are in the top tier so this is a good working environment.

President's Report-Janna Wolf

Thank you for coming

We have a busy spring from now until the end of the year. June will be light but from now until the end of May will be very busy.

Treasurer's Report-Status of Finances—We have money.

Balance sheet and profit and loss sheet is posted online

Half of the teachers have asked for reimbursements so far. The assemblies have only used \$350. And we have kindergarten assembly coming up.

Grade level money—still \$1500 left so far only \$600 has been asked. There is field trip money left. It is all on the website.

The gift to Navy—submit your receipts.

Made some adjustments—Increased Blket o School \$450

School Dance \$525.

Teacher Appreciation got more money-

Movie we are going to be hosting for the parents.

We used Square at Basketball Night. It is really easy and then we don't need to use cash and no counting at the end. It only costs us 2.2%

Budget survey will be sent out. General questions to ask the parents and staff.

\$91,000 in the Savings Account

\$21,000 in the Checking Account

We are looking really good. Part of the survey we will have to figure out how we are going to spend this money. Track will cost about \$40,000. This will be a longer process. Marquee would be \$15,000 and the laptops would be about \$70,000.

1st Vice President's Report-Dana R couldn't be here tonight so Janna gave the report.

Silent \$8709

Dining for Dollars brought in \$1909

We are thankful for all of the supporters that are helping our school.

Dogfish has been wonderful and they even let us reschedule due to the snow. How do we get on their list to get another date for next year? Jen Weinke and Dana coordinated it to end on the silent auction night.

Next Fall's Fundraiser will be the Boosterthon Fun Run. It will be held Oct 18-27 and we are looking forward to it. Boosterthon offers a higher level of service than any other company.

Spring Fundraiser

Navy Fun Run

2nd Vice President's Report-Catherine—Janna gave her report.

Volunteers will be needed for committee heads for 2017-2018; SUG to follow

Committee Reports

Original Works: Online ordering was a huge success! The orders will be coming home in the next week or so. Total profit of \$4,060, which all benefits the Art Department. It will help with the clay figurines and other art projects.

Yearbook-Ordering deadline is this Friday, April 21st. Deadline is Monday, April 24th-the yearbook has to be submitted on Monday. The final product goes in on Monday and it will arrive at the end of May and Hagan will distribute when Mr. Coch lets her know he wants them to go out.

5th & 6th Grade Dance-110 students coming 10 volunteers

Working with Mrs. Cofer and Mrs. Boey

This Friday, 4/21, from 7-9pm

Permission slip required

No food; just free water and glow sticks

DJ playing for a fun, informal night! It's in the gym and nothing fancy. There will not be any slow songs.

Bike to School-May 10th-Ken Mahieu year 3

Thank the board for bumping up the budget which will allow us to have another crossing guard. Keep the safety of the students. Usually have about 170-180 kids.

Email survey monkey permission slips for the event. This will make it easier for people to participate.

6th grade girl scout troops will help out with bike locks, handing out prizes, safety video and help with crossing.

Eco School-

Fair & Flea Market on Friday, 4/28-Big Event—25 student merchants—will sell their trash—which is treasure. The kids are very excited. Everything that is left will be donated. If your child is not participating than please don't bring anything to donate.

Mom's Organic will be collecting corks, eyeglasses and batteries

Master Gardening will be here

Whole Foods is giving a generous donation.

Cupcake Decorating Table

Students and teachers have been growing things and you can purchase plants. It will be a cash free event. We are swipping credit cards.

Advance Sale tickets will be sold next Thursday or Friday. Raffles from Mom's Organic and Whole Foods.

Earth Week activities focusing on energy.

Kids will be doing some activities and a lesson in their classroom.

Treks have to be clean and dry.

Potted plants for kiss and ride to mark where people can drop off.

Eco Club is resolving some issues of water collection

Silver Award GS—Native Grasses in the garden and putting a sculpture in

Courtyard is transforming

Eagle Scout is going to help transform the space—Chalkboard and a few other things

3rd grade PBL-working on conservation

Scanner codes in the garden so you can learn about the plants. We are

Apply for Eco Club it will come out in May.

Volunteers & Parent Support Needed; look for SUG—bunch of middle school volunteers

Please consider volunteering for a 1 hr shift.

We can post this on the Navy website.

Navy Appreciation Week-Teacher Appreciation and staff

May 1st-May 5th

Information is hitting the room parents in the next day or 2.

Monday-The PTO will provide the coffee bar

Tuesday-Students bring in supplies or snacks based on what the teacher has said they like or need

Wednesday- We care Wednesday—notes or pictures or letters as thank you notes to the teachers

Thursday-PTO is providing Lunch for all of the staff—Mexican and it will be set up in the library.

Friday-Bring in 2 flowers for the teachers. Parent volunteers will be filling the vases.

New Business

School Supply Kit Sales for 2017-2018 are coming; sales should be in May-June

We have gotten the lists from all of the grade levels. If you order from the PTO it will be delivered at the Open House.

May 11th-Parent viewing of Screenagers; Mrs. Marshall reached out to the PTO. It is about the students' screen time, their social media, how their brains are reacting, and all of the negative and positive impacts it has on the students. Time has not been set yet. It is open to the kids who are 10 years old plus.

Announcements

Old Business

Adjournment 8:14 pm