**PTO Meeting Minutes**

**November 5, 2018**

Attendees: Becca Resnick, Lindsey Strauss, Dustin Strauss, Lisa Ruth, Heather Heisey, Ryan Berardi, Stacey Bernstein, Erin Myers, Elli Miller, Tyler Clausen, Emily Ziegler, Kara Zimmerman, Christina Fluegel, Jason Fluegel, Adam DiPerna, Nicole Miller, Diane Harnish, Ashley Jones, Hollyann Yoder, Amber Yohn,

1. Welcome & Introductions – Dr. Berardi
2. Principal Comments – Dr. Berardi
   1. How do we ensure students are learning?
      1. Questions that reveal student metacognition
      2. Daily formative assessments
      3. Strategic intra-unit assessments
      4. Common unit-ending assessments
      5. Opportunities to select, apply and coordinate skills
   2. What is my child learning this year? What about last year and next year?
      1. Parent CCDD Guides: tinyurl.com/GradeLevelPreview
      2. WSD Curriculum Guides: tinyurl.com/WSDCurriculumGuides
   3. Vodcasts – check out each month. Option for students to answer Cella’s monthly question via Flipgrid
3. Teacher Rep. Comments – none
4. Treasurer’s Report – Lisa Ruth
   1. Waiting for check from TheGetMovinCrew for online Climber Dash donations. Gross was $19,537. Net will be approximately $17,600.
   2. PTO wrote a check for $140 for “Art Goes to School” for annual support of the Spring presentation by local artists and framed art print (voted on by students).
   3. Fall Book Fair had similar sales to previous years.
   4. Fall Fest was run different than previous years, stayed within budget for expenses.
5. Old Business –
   1. Book Fair and Movie Night. Positive feedback. Idea of Jesse Rothacker type of event next time vs. movie.
   2. Box Tops – Tyler Clausen. October raised $528. Plan to send home paper flyers for collections every month. November and December will be combined.
6. Current Business
   1. Giant Rewards – Tyler Clausen. Info will come out by Conference time.
   2. Teacher Luncheon – Elli Miller. Will be Tuesday, November 20th. Sign up to go out to contribute food for a meal for teachers during conferences.
   3. Holiday Doors – will be Nov. 28 from 3:45 – 8 pm. Krista Kramer to send out information in the coming week, with guidelines etc. Parents can sign up to decorate a door in the school. Can use decorations already “on hand” or come up with your own creation.
   4. Santa Shoppe will be Dec. 6 & 7th from 4-8 pm. Kara Zimmerman is Chair – using same company as last year for gifts.
7. Climber Dash Review
   1. Teacher Comments. Liked: on-line option, matching T-Shirts, Pig-Kissing incentive. Thoughts for next year: longer running time, overlapping grades (book buddy grades run together), change location (was a distraction for Kindergarten and 1st Grade classes)
   2. Idea for “thermometer” type leaderboard prop in school. Every time $1,000 is raised, a teacher does something special.
   3. Tri-Fold option and space for personal student note on the paper copy for next year.
   4. Tables with laptops set up for back-to-school night helpful for parents to register students.
   5. Incentives: Ryan sleep on the roof, Ryan get slimed
8. Open Comments - none
9. Next Meetings: December 3, January 7, February 4, April 1, May 6. All at 6:30 p.m. in Library.
10. Adjournment