Minutes for PTO Meeting November 7, 2023

Meeting held at Hickory Center Elementary School

In Attendance: Amanda Fudge, Kari Akey, Chaylee Anderson, Carmen Albany, Jenn Fitch, Kaylin Nichols, Roanne Marlow, Amy Johnson, Molly Golden, Annie Federspiel, Kamie Libey

- Meeting called to order at 6:26pm
- Minutes from October 3, 2023, approved (Chaylee & Carmen)

Old Business:

Treasurers Report: Katie/Amanda

Completed Fundraising Event Committee Reports

- October Fall Enrichment (Amanda Reporting)
- Collected \$2105, Expenses \$1415, Profit \$690
- There was an issue with a student that didn't go to the Candle Class. A refund was requested but the candle company had already purchased the supplies needed for that student, registration is going to be moved to the Spring Candle Making Class.
- Reminder that a disclaimer needs to be made that classes are non-refundable.

October Movie Night: (Amy/ Amanda)

- 107 kids participated, Collected \$749
- Pick up time changed from 4:45 to 4:30. Kids seem to be doing well with check ins and breaks and the movie times are shorter.

October Popcorn: (Kathy/Amanda/Kaylin)

- Popcorn days have gone well so far. The Sign-Up Genius volunteer sign up is helpful.
- Day of Sales \$84

Mad Anthony Laundry Soap: (Katie/Amanda reporting)

• Soap pick up November 13th from 5-7pm. Flyers about pick up sent home.

Carnival: (Molly Golden)

• Fall carnival went well. Profit roughly \$3000. Still waiting on some donation checks from the vendors.

New Business:

TLC/Ways and Means: Sarah Beth Shaffer

December luncheon will be coffee truck and pastries.

Communication: Sarah Starcher

• When emailing for the newsletter be sure to send to Holly and Megan and cc Roanne, Jenn, and Kaylin

Silent Auction: Molly Golden

No report

Yearbook/Pictures: Chaylee Anderson

- Deadline for submissions for the yearbook cover design is November 21st.
- Yearbook sales will start within the next couple of weeks. Flyer will go out.

Spirit Wear: Amanda Fudge

- Pop up sale 11/13- 11/26
- There will be a website to purchase from. Items purchased will be delivered before Winter Break.
- A minimum of 12 shirts in each option/design choice will need to be purchased or the PTO will have to cover the remaining cost. We will cancel orders for a particular design that are less than 10.

November Movie: Amy Johnson/Amanda Fudge

Currently there are 3 parent volunteers.

November Popcorn: Kathy Phillips/Amanda Fudge

• Upcoming popcorn days are November 17th and December 15^{th.}

RaiseRight: Mike Fudge/Amanda Fudge

No report

Dine and Donate: Katie/Amanda

- November 14th at Panera (have to use the code)
- December dine to donate will be at Panda Express

Dessert Dash: Carmen Albany

- Flyers were sent out. We are going with Purple Mountain Cheesecake.
- Orders will be dropped off Friday 11/17. Pick up will be Saturday 11/18
- We looked into Nothing Bundt Cakes, but they needed a 3-week ordering time.

Ice Skating: Katie Fultz (Amanda Reporting)

No report

Holiday Shop: Katie Fultz (Amanda Reporting)

• Will run the week of December 11-15

Glow Dance: Sarah Beth Shaffer (Amanda Reporting)

- Sarah Beth would like to have a co-chair.
- Dance will be held end of January.
- DJ is lined up.
- Possible neon art wall (working with Mrs. Gordon)
- Kona Ice, hot chocolates
- May also do a pre order on neon t-shirts (checking on prices)

Komets Night: Roanne Marlow

• No report. Still waiting on more info

Bingo Night: Chaylee Anderson

- Planning for February 21st 6-8pm. Flyer ready and will be sent out closer.
- Sign up genius will be used for volunteers.

Teacher Reps: Kaylin/Jenn

No report

Meeting Adjourned: 6:47 pm, Amanda and Chaylee ** No December meeting