

Fountain City Elementary School PTO

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Meeting Minutes

February 16, 2021

Meeting was called to order by Jennifer Ritchie at 6:00pm via Zoom.

1. Treasurer's Report: Amber Edrington provided updated treasurer's report. Will have around \$1500-\$2000 to end year, we still have spring fundraiser coming up.
2. Committee Chair Reports:
 - a. Grounds: Marissa Buchanan – Spring Grounds Day scheduled for Saturday April 10th 10am-1pm. Discussed light simple lunch to be provided. Currently have \$256 left to use in Grounds budget. Amber mentioned contacting Lowe's for donation or store cost of mulch or other grounds day needs.
 - b. Peecat Pick-Me-Up: Zerita Brockman
March: Lucky Charms bars, April: doughnuts
 - c. Volunteers/Community Engagement/Carry Out For Cash: Next Carry Out for Cash will be Archer's BBQ this Friday 2/19 5pm-close "Mac & Cheese". Robo call to go out on Friday. Mrs. Langston will have teachers push a picture of the flyer on dojo. Need dates for Salsarita's, April? If same 20% go with Amigo's instead of Salsarita's this year, have Courtney check into. End of April date, get with Courtney on this
 - d. Yearbook: Jessica Gambino –LifeTouch online sales is activated, yearbooks can be purchase with code 10026121. Need to continue to push to friends and on social media. Currently 68 sold and contracted for 151. Jessica will get with Wendy about getting another flyer out this week. Will also get with Morgan to push on social media. Mrs. Langston will ask teachers to push picture of flyer on dojo. Will also put 5 more weeks and the code on street sign and in staff newsletter. Jessica has all photos of missing students and teachers, Jessica's final YB submission is March 15. Deadline for sales is 3/26. Filling in activity shots, will get with teachers to fill this as well, will reach out if need help with getting photos.
 - e. Video/Media: Natalie Curl video ideas for teacher appreciation week and squadlocker (wait for squadlocker until after do Ham 'n Goody's video) to put on smartboards for kids to see and go home to tell parents etc. Also on principal email to families have video attached for parents to view. Teacher appreciation video discussed, Mrs. Langston can work with Natalie and Lori on this and will plan a meeting to discuss details. Planning to do a video to push Ham 'n Goody's as well. "It's a safe fundraiser" "These cookies are so ham and goody" Videos can go out on dojo if small enough, play on smartboards as well as Mrs. Langston embed video in emails to families.
3. Old Business:
 - a. Current: Ongoing online FCE gear store on SquadLocker.com. Jennifer updated website with new spring apparel options, flyer went out end of January.
 - b. Candygrams last week, kids really enjoyed it. Sales were \$534, net \$310, provided each student/teachers/staff so no one was left out.
 - c. January and February Peecat Pick-Me-Ups were hot chocolate (Jan.) and cakes/cupcakes from Magpies and Litton's (Feb.)
 - d. School needs: Kristi's Mother-in-law's work donated 50 water bottles that Kindergarten needed.
4. New Business/Upcoming:
 - a. FCE school needs:

- b. Spring fundraiser – Ham n’ Goody’s, provided flyers and order forms. Roll out week before spring break, March 12th. Sale date starts: 3/22 Ends: 4/6 We pick up on 4/15. Pick up date for families is April 16th. Mrs. Langston to ask teachers to put on dojo as well. Will need help with sorting for pick up.
 - c. May Teacher Appreciation lunch: Archer’s BBQ nacho bar and hoping for banana pudding “Nacho Ordinary Staff”. Wednesday, May 5th on the stage
 - d. Continue to think of more ways PTO can provide lunches/treats for staff: Amber contacted Brynn Coffee Truck. Mrs. Langston said Dream center is bringing and paying for coffee cart around March 2nd . Per Mrs. Langston could do sign up genius for morning or during lunch. Amber will talk with coffee truck on a time. Could do this for a pepcat pick me up if her budget allows. Zerita will email Mrs. Langston about dates/times etc. Amber will check into additional food truck options that Shannondale used. Zerita mentioned doing a pizza lunch and possibly gift cards to those with dietary restrictions.
5. Principal report and closing remarks: Mrs. Langston expressed her appreciation of PTO. They did not get the grant but are exploring other options.
 6. Next meeting: Tuesday, March 9th at 6pm, location TBD

Attendees:

Jennifer Ritchie

Zerita Brockman

Amber Edrington

Ina Langston

Kristi Pendley

Jessica Gambino

Lori Hensley

Marissa Buchanan

Natalie Curl