PTO Meeting Minutes January 11, 2022

Amber welcomed everyone.

I. Allison went over the treasurer's report.

II. Old Business

A. Dine Out for Dollars

- January 12th at Sweet P's BBQ this Wednesday 11am-10pm! We will receive 10% of Dine-In and Carryout that Sweet P's earns for this day.
- 2. February Dine Out for Dollars undecided at this time. Cassie Owen will reach back out to McDonalds and possibly Panera and Marco's.
- 3. We earned \$228.00 with December's Panda Express

B. Fence signs

- 1. We've had a total of 7 new banners/signs for the year. We have had 2 sponsors not renew their banner and we have around 3-4 sponsors that have not heard from.
- 2. We are still trying to reach the vendors that haven't renewed,

C. Grounds/Adopt-A-Bed

- 1. Travis at Power T has found us some signs for Adopt-A-Bed that will be ready next week.
- 2. We have 8 families that have Adopted a Bed!
- 3. Spring Grounds Day is tentatively set for April 23rd

D. Merchandise

1. We are still selling merchandise and will start discounting in March.

E. Yearbook

- 1. Lori and Allison have contracted 150 copies with 40 pages.
- 2. They are collecting photos and there is a flier for teachers and parents expressing our need for pics from Red Week and other fun events.
- 3. Deadline for submission to is March 14th

F. Teacher Appreciation

1. Thanksgiving and Christmas meals were with Brown Bag

G. Student Council

 The Student Council will be doing Candy Grams this year. Mrs. Norman is over SC.

H. Cross Country

1. Amber will sign FCE up with Knox Youth Athletics for the school year 2022/23.

I. The Free Shirts for Students and Teachers are ready and will get distributed next week.

III. New Business

- A. Outdoor Classroom
 - 1. Jen and John Ritchie will get quotes on lumber so we can move forward with this. The pandemic and cost of lumber held us up.
- B. Read-A-Thon
 - 1. Will be February 25th-March 4th in honour of Dr Suess' birthday on March 2nd.
- C. Book Fair set for March 28th-April 1st.
- D. Dine Out For Dollars
 - 1. Cassie is working on something for February and March.
- E. Teacher Appreciation
 - February Chocolate and Valentines *Cassie Owen has offered to make cookie bouquets for the teachers
- F. Pepcat Prowl April 1st
 - 1. Amber wants to add a 99 States pledge for the students this year.
- G. Spring Carnival
 - 1. Tentatively set for April 1st.
 - 2. We have sponsors for Bounce House and Hydration Stations. We still need a few more sponsors.
- H. Math Fluency Night
 - 1. Set For February 24th.
 - 2. PTO will have a table of merchandise set up for sale.
- I. Spring Grounds Day
 - 1. Tentatively set for April 23rd
 - 2. We should have our Adopt-A-Bed signs out and should also have a signup sheet for more families to adopt a bed. We currently have 8 families participating.
- J. Teacher Appreciation Week
 - 1. Is May 2nd-6th
 - 2. Amber encourages families to let their student's teachers know how much they are appreciated.
 - 3. May 3rd is In-Service Day for our teachers
- K. End of Year Appreciation Meal
 - 1. We will furnish Brown Bag for our teachers and staff on May 2nd.
- L. Kindergarten Tea
 - 1. Scheduled for May 6th.
 - 2. PTO will help fund that.

M. Awards for 5th graders

- 1. Scheduled for May 23rd.
- 2. PTO will purchase medals for the students
- 3. PTO will have a merchandise table set up for sales.
- N. 5thgrade parties
 - 1. Will be May 24th
- O. 5th Grade Signs
 - 1. Amber has these. She said we will need to order about 10 more since some families want to keep the signs when their student gets them.
 - 2. The 5th grade teachers will put signs in their student's yard yards on May 24th.
 - 3. PTO Volunteers will pick signs up from the yards on June 11th.

IV. Principal Remarks

A. Mrs. Langston was appreciative of all we do.

Next Meeting: 6 p.m. February 15th in school Library

Upcoming Meetings: March 8th, April 12th, and May10th. In May's meeting we will vote on officers.