

PTO September Minutes

September 8, 2022

Members attending: Nate Artz, Heather Fink, Mike Brunner, Jeanine Snyder, Jamie Hanssen, Melissa Monk, Brian Monk, Jessica Siegel, Daisha Love, Sally Schach, Mary Schneck, Dana Risser, Nancy Soulliard, Erik Soulliard, Adam Szadja, Sarah Conville

Called to order at 6:02 pm

Board Reports

- **Secretary Report**
 - None
- **Media Secretary Report**
 - Lots of post about the Cornwalk and they will post the top classes tomorrow
 - If you see PTO posts please share them to increase visibility on facebook and instagram
 - A sign up genius will be posted for the Cornwalk Festival
- **Treasurer Report**

Principal Report

- Transportation issues are starting to settle down, part of the issue was a lot of construction through town and with the middle school run.
- SOAR is being implemented as a positive behavior rewards system
 - This was created with Mr. Artz and teachers
 - SOAR can be for the whole class or individual
 - Classroom SOAR—As a classroom they can earn each letter which gives the class a falcon that can be cashed in for prizes. SOAR can be collected for larger prizes like extra recess, private movie, pizza party
 - Individual SOAR—students can hold it and collect a small prize or they can hold it for different prizes.
 - SOAR slips—are for students who misbehave instead of red light cards
- Mr. Szadja noted that this school year has started so much better than last year and there is a major shift in the school climate
- Falcon Foundation has a golf tournament coming up. The PTO used to sponsor a hole for \$200 or can sponsor a hole and 4 people for \$320
 - Motion made by Jeanine Snyder to sponsor a hole for the falcon foundation and second by Adam Szadja. 16 yes votes, 0 no, 0 abstentions

Fundraisers

- Cornwalk
 - As of now, \$14,250 has been raised and the first round of prizes were distributed
 - There is a crazy hat day tomorrow (9/9/22)
- Superhero 5K
 - A flyer will be coming home soon
 - A QR code will be available for online sign ups
 - Registration is \$15 ahead of time, \$20 day of and T-shirts are \$12

- Movie at the festival will be Lightyear
- Corporate Sponsors are starting to come in
 - Several companies are at \$1000 and one is at \$2000 level supporter and names of the companies can be see on 419
 - Mike Brunner made a motion that we give a banner to Annubis Production as a thank you for all the videos he has made. Brian Monk 2nd the motion. It passed with 16 yes, 0 no, 0 abstention
- Boscov's Friends Helping Friends
 - Discussion on if we want to do this again this year. It had always been handled by Kim Berrier
 - It was decided to skip it this year because no one was willing to be in charge
- Restaurant night coordinator position
 - This person would be in charge of setting up a restaurant fundraiser every month.
 - Daisha Love will be taking this position

Cornwalk Festival

- Heather is looking for a co-chair
- Mancinos is charging \$6.25 per pizza (ordering 50 pizzas), will be adding popcorn, apples, cookies, drinks
- Movie will be Lightyear
- A signup genius will be coming with jobs

Teacher/Staff Appreciation

- Discussion about doing one week of appreciation vs monthly gifts

Garden Information

- Garden is going well
- 3rd grade will be coming out this year on Friday afternoons. They will be eating in the garden, collecting seeds, and celebrating the garden

Holiday Shop

- Lots of shopping will be going but it looks good for this year
- It will be December 5-9th
- Set up could be Friday after school or Saturday morning

Budget Vote

- Addition to Increase the proposed budget by \$500 for second grade field trip
- Garden budget adjusted to \$400
- Mike Brunner made a motion to approve the budget and it was seconded by Erik Soulliard
- Voted 16 yes to approve the budget with the changes listed above

Meeting Adjourned at 7:16 pm