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## Silver Ranch August PAC Meeting

*Our purpose is to provide support for students' educational and recreational needs and increase cooperation between parents, guardians, Silver Ranch Elementary staff, and the Bismarck Public School District*

### I. Call to order

- a) Purpose & direction of Silver Ranch PAC
- b) Introductions

### II. Secretary's Report

- a) [June Meeting Minutes](#) - mentimeter approval - Jen S. Reviewed, all voted yes, motioned by Ashley M. to approve, Tammy Weiler seconded.

### III. Treasurer's Report

- a) [Treasurer's Report](#) - mentimeter approval - Jenna reviewed, all voted yes, Jen S. motioned to approve, Ashley M seconded.
- b) [Proposed 26-27 PAC Budget](#)
  - i) Review, Discuss, Final vote of approval to take place at September meeting.
    - (1) Add a chart on column G and H to show holding funds for future scholarship (\$1-2K) and climbing apparatus (\$17K)
    - (2) Most items are the same budget but teacher conferences went up a bit, snack cart went down; misc wasn't all used but left the same just in case other items pop up this year.
  - ii) Determine 5th grade field trip
    - (1) Bowling field trip within the \$500 per grade level separate so 5th grade gets 2 trips
    - (2) Bowling is more of a celebration trip versus a learning field trip
    - (3) Proposing to put \$500 for bowling and leaving the \$500 per grade level for field trips
    - (4) Proposing the Superslide as an end of year send off event
      - (a) Would need parent volunteers, how much time is spent there
      - (b) Weather needs to be considered - not fair if other grades get to go



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- (c) May is extremely busy so it's hard to fit these days in so we need to plan early
  - (d) Consider doing a Silver Ranch family night at the Superslide park instead of during the day.
  - (e) Field day at the school gives the classroom teachers a 45 minute break to breathe at the end of the year when it's crazy versus going to Superslide and teachers don't get that break
- (5) Add \$5k to budget for now to form a committee and discuss further

#### IV. Staff Report

- a) Celebrations - we are 1 staff instructional aide member away from being fully staffed
  - i) Miranda Morey will take first grade opening from Mara Fischer leaving
  - ii) Kim Stein will be gifted ed teacher
  - iii) Gaga Pit and funnel ball are installed!!
- b) Current enrollment is 352 students - down from last year as 5th grade class was very large that left
  - i) 55 new kinders
  - ii) 10 new students - 5 transferred out
- c) Classroom placements will be sent out August 7th
- d) Attendance school goal of 95% of students will be in school for 95% of the time for the school year
- e) BNC Bank will be grilling for open out again on August 17th from 4-5:30
- f) Operations & Safety updates
  - i) Crossing guard will be put on the crosswalk at 43rd Ave before and after school



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- ii) School starting at 8:00AM will give more time for drop off, doors will open at the same time at 7:15
- iii) Lighting has been added to the playground

#### V. Old Business

#### VI. New Business

- a) Back to School Open House - Monday, August 17th 4:00-5:30
  - i) PAC Table - PAC board will figure out how to staff the table
    - (1) Candy & Stickers to make families stop by
  - ii) [Flier](#) for all school events - mentimeter approval for funds to print
    - (1) Remove open house date
    - (2) Add QR code for facebook page
    - (3) Add dine to donates if dates are set
    - (4) 11 approved \$100 for printing, motioned by Chelsea, seconded by Ashley M.
  - iii) [Shirts](#) for Kinders - mentimeter approval for funds to order
    - (1) Mentimeter all approved for \$900 to order 75 shirts, Chelsea motioned, Ashley M approved.
- b) Dine to Donates
  - i) Discussion around JumpWorks
    - (1) Set up all year so families can plan
    - (2) Jumpworks - jump back into school night September 15th or 17th

#### VII. Adjournment - Jenna motions, Jen S seconds