

MINUTES

Banks Elementary School PTO

Date | time 11/13/19 9:30AM | *Meeting called to order by* Melissa Fuhrman

In Attendance

Sue Bair	Ashley Kivela	Darci Wilson	Leann Gallion
Melissa Fuhrman	Marjorie Salter	Michelle Bernards	

Minutes

The minutes from the October 2019 meeting were read and approved. Sue motioned, Darci seconded.

Budget

Sue went over our expenses so far for the 2019/2020 school year

- Project fund
 - Box tops expenses
 - Curriculum night
 - News letter
- General requests
 - Bought new clothes for office
 - Classroom supplies
 - Staff appreciation
- Business donations
 - New check form Amazon
- Fundraising Goal
 - Need to vote on this to make it official so that we can communicate this out
 - Darci motioned and Melissa seconded.

Principal's Message

- Cover for play structure
 - Working on getting in touch with other schools who have similar structures
 - Calculus students, Mr. Mayo's class, coming from the high school to help gather data/measurements (Salter will touch base with him)
 - Mellisa will look into getting quotes for the structure and installation
- Playground upgrades
 - Looking into getting hoops lowered on the blacktop and outer hoop turned around to avoid
- Gaga ball pit
 - Has been removed due to it falling apart and causing arguments amongst kids
 - Possible warranty
- Sensory path
 - Creative design class from high school might be helping with this
 - Creative design class creating rules for wall ball to post on the playground

- Volunteer Management System
 - No updates yet
- Run for the Arts money
 - Anny Painter will come teach teachers how to incorporate art
 - Possible Hawaiian club come out to do a luau
 - Possible Mariachi come out to teach dance
 - School wide rock painting project to create a pathway in the raised beds out from
 - Based off of Only One View book
 - More art supplies
 - Music teacher looking into having someone come out to teach the kids how to create their own songs
- Book Fair money
 - A little over \$4000 for new books
- Pennies for Patients
 - We will be participating in this Dec 2nd-13th
 - Makayla brown from Banks High School is running this for all three schools
- NEDs mindset assembly to help kids set goals January 6th
 - Ask that a table is set up to sell yo-yos and all of the funds go back to providing these assemblies for other kids
 - Looking for volunteers to run table 7th-10th from 8:00a-8:25a each morning
 - Sue will do this to handle money and would like other volunteers
 - Ms, Salter will email this to Sue and will also include the flyer in Friday folders

Ongoing Business

Eat Out Fundraisers

- November 21st: Red Robin 4pm-8pm
- December 6th: Chick Fil A 5pm-8pm
 - All mobile orders
 - Give back 15% to the school
- January 11th: Panda Express in Cornelius and the school gets 20%

Long Bottom Coffee

- Darci gave update
 - Flyers will go out on November 15th orders due on December 3rd
 - Will post on FD and Ms. Salter will post as well
 - Darci will ask for volunteers if needed, but last year she was able to manage by herself
 - The display basket will be raffled off to those that turn in order forms by Tuesday the 3rd
 - Darci will let school district know we are doing this again
 - Also reach out to the other PTOs and principals for teacher gift ideas

Penny Wars

- Ashley will put together Duck/Beaver jugs for Nov 18th for the civil war game on Nov 23rd
- Delay January penny war

Next Meeting

Wednesday January 8th at 9:30AM in BES library classroom