

RDMPA Meeting Notes - 3/7/24

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Laura's updated

- Run for Rio - raised \$2k
- Auction:
 - Event is Friday, April 19.
 - Tickets on sale.
 - Sponsorship to cover cost of teacher and staff tickets.
 - Students had option to do class baskets or class art project.
 - Friendship benches: One for each playground.
 - Little Free Library - Ms Allen's class will decorate; will auction off with a dedication and installed in playground.
 - Principal for the day
 - Graduation seats: For 6th grade, first row sell for \$50, 2nd row sell for \$35 each. Could auction kinder seats, Meghan will check if we can rent the stage for another couple days.
 - Auction off birthday message for students' birthday - \$75 each
 - Auction off parking space - suggestion to add 3rd for RDMPA president
 - Games area
 - Drinks for first hour
- Marquee should be installed by end of March
- Logo: Jamie mocked up designs for RDMPA logo
 - Like top right, but maybe flip the letters for Parent Alliance so they're not upside down. Circle will fit best on social and other marketing. Would RDMPA logo and Rio Elem logo go together very often? Consensus is not likely, so may not be a concern.
- Restaurant Night:
 - Erik's Deli: \$770

- Next one: March 21: Betty Burgers
- See's Candy: Spring fundraiser: Online orders deliver to you. Ends in two weeks.
- 5th grade spirit wear competition: Info went out last week. Kids can work in pairs/groups. Deadline is May 1
- Monterey Bay Soccer Night: Back to School night Aug 24 - area reserved. Last year, we got a group rate. This year there will be a fundraising option, but group rate is better. Need to buy 10 tickets now in order to book the group rate. Suggestion to use RDMPA funds to purchase.
- Basketball nets: Have 8 basketball hoops, but most don't have nets. Wants to encourage kids to play, suggests mesh nets. Needs 7 nets and a rim. Meghan talked with Operations and they're install everything. Amazon has chain nets for \$13. Cynthia can put in an order and give invoice to Kevin. Approx \$400 max - 1 rim and 8 nets. Can possibly pull out of P.E. so we don't need to vote, since that's already approved.
- Evelyn - Another round of coffee coming next week

Meghan's updates:

- Behavior Reboot:
 - Positive Behavioral Intervention:
 - No fairy gardens
 - Closed the hill where the bleachers are. It's eroding and was causing issues. Also extends to Ace program.
 - New electronic device policy:
 - March 11 start
 - All devices off and in backpacks, including afterschool
 - Can use with teacher permission, including afterschool
 - If kids are using it, it will be confiscated
 - Same policy for watches. They can be worn, but not used for other purposes than time telling without permission.
 - Parents should call the front office to give kids messages rather than just texting/calling kids directly so the school is aware if kids are being picked up.
- Rio families should add broadcasts@schoolmessengermail.com to their contacts
- Dropoff & pickup: Use two lanes and merge at the first curve
 - Center parking is for staff only
 - Parking in handicap spots is illegal without placard
- 5th & 6th grade Health Curriculum
 - Zoom recording will be sent out
 - Possibly consider splitting students with teacher they're more comfortable with
- Mathnasium: 8 students signed up; there's space for more! Can take up to 24 students.
 - Twice a week for an hour (Monday/Tuesday)
 - \$400 a month
 - Room 5 with Ms Allen's son
 - Going well!
- Website: Only certain people with specific training can update the Rio site.

- Superintendent: No news

Kevin's updates:

- Donations have gone up
- Fundraisers:
 - Run for Rio - haven't received checks yet
 - Spring Auction:
- Classroom funds: Teachers still have about \$2k left to spend
- Campus Beautification: Tools going in boiler rooms and shed
- Budget wise, right on track