

Boosters Town Hall Meeting

Tuesday, February 1, 2022

Called to order at 6:04pm

Attended by Jaima, Kandice, Harmony, Leonna, Heather, Lynnette, Arianna, Amy, Victoria, Rocellie, Dustin

Admin

- Jaima motions to approve minutes from previous meeting, Arianna seconds, all approve

Principal's Update

- Great Kindness Challenge - was last week, run by counselor Cindy, list of 50 items kids could do throughout the week to show kindness, Cindy was out at recess to help, she will tally up who did the most by class and have winner in the Junior (TK to first grade) and Standard edition (2nd and up), each of those classes will get a party with her
- Black History month – Harmony will be sharing an inspirational Black leader, inventor, etc. each day of the month, student council is helping out with researching people
- Valentine's Day – on Monday with no school, celebrating Friday the 11th in classes
- TK/K yard updates – adding garden spaces, sandbox and rock play will be going in where the basketball hoops were for next school year
- Walk and Roll – tomorrow!
- Mrs. Galloway is taking a leave of absence next year, Mrs. Hildebrandt is moving to teaching a 2nd grade class, searching for another 4th grade teacher for next year
- Had a lot of classes on modified quarantine beginning of the year but it has slowed down
- Library – had wish list at the beginning of the year, got filled, librarian now spending \$500 at Copperfield's sale, will push out another wish list after that if there are still areas we need more books
- Sixth grade field trip / outdoor ed - was shifted from end of January to April because of omicron surge, will give parents more time to pay, paid deposit today, will know soon what amount we have outstanding and what we might need to help fundraise for

SPAC Update from Arianna – January 24

- Will be updating dress code, coming to board meeting for approval in March
- New marquee soon
- Registration for universal TK open January 24 – March 1, any 4 year old can enroll

Fruit & Vegetable Program

- Heather brought in a spreadsheet for one program, was about \$300 a week for 400 students in San Francisco, that included a delivery of a fresh fruit or vegetable per person per day
- Moving forward should look for local partnerships, farms, aim for once or twice a week instead of every day to start with

- Requires parent volunteers, could also enlist 5th/6th graders to help prep maybe?, could even use some high school students to use their volunteer hours to help prep or see if high school culinary program can help?
- Heather will look into farms who might be able to partner, Amy and Leonna will follow up with food services staff
 - Want to make sure we're not competing with on campus food that already exists, make sure we have kitchen access, also possible issues with food safety rules (how volunteers need to be trained, do we need some kind of certification, etc.)

See's Candy

- Too late for valentine's day, do another run around Easter

Read-A-Thon – March 2 to 18

- We have outstanding gift cards from earlier fundraiser, can we use it to put books in the hands of students?
 - Orders took 6-8 weeks when Leonna ordered last year
 - Jaima will try to get a list of available books, send out to teachers, try to get each grade level to choose a book, order one per kid
 - Depending on timing can be end of Read-A-Thon gift or summer reading gift
- Arianna will reach out to someone at Sequoia (or other schools via SPAC) to see how they run theirs
- Alison has run the program in the past, said organizing and handing out the prizes is the biggest amount of work
- Time it to run with Read Across America, around Dr Seuss's birthday
- March 2nd kickoff, end March 18th, maybe popsicles at the end of the school day to celebrate?
- Kona Ice on campus at 2pm on March 2nd, they donate 25% and some books if we book that week, can park on the blacktop like we did for the welcome back party

Color Run & Festival – May 13

- Color Run
 - Kids can bring their own white shirt or buy one from us (keeps it equitable but allows for some fundraising)
 - We will have Sharpies to decorate with
 - Have to provide sunglasses for all the kids for eye protection
 - Also have drinking water, and have Mr. Joe set up the hose so we can use as necessary
 - Colored powder to squirt at the kids while they run laps
- Festival
 - Jumpy house for free, carnival games for tickets
 - Food trucks (taco stand?)
 - Food drive donations for tickets
 - Raffle/auction
- Color Run starts at 5pm, everything else starts shortly after that, sunset is at 8:15
- Perfect timing for kids, is also the last day of state testing!

Jaima motioned to adjourn, meeting adjourned at 7:15pm