

Miller PTO Meeting Minutes
December 5, 2019
7:00 pm Media Center

Attendance

Board Members: Erin Barker, Kristy Batt, Heather Nolan, Andrea Schultz

Staff Members: Mr. Billings, Mrs. Klco

Attendees: 7

1. Introductions and welcome - meeting called to order at 7:01 pm
2. Principal Updates
 - a. PBIS reward (Bingo) this past Monday. Negative behaviors have been cut in half since last year.
 - b. Friday: PTO is selling popcorn; Student Leadership Team is selling hot chocolate to support their pending project
 - c. Report Cards next week, Dec. 11th; the district will share a video from Dr. Brady regarding the changes
 - d. Whole child wellness meeting was before the PTO meeting; several printouts available for parents, contact the office
 - e. 3rd & 4th grade music concerts next week
 - f. Puzzle Club to start after Winter Break on Mondays
 - g. Partnering with Cedar Brook Senior Center; read with K students; worked with 4th & 5th graders on intervention
 - h. Share Cart in the Cafeteria: only school-purchased items
 - i. Most successful Book Fair to date \$11,000 (vs \$7,000 in the past); almost \$700 in donated books were distributed to students
3. Budget Overview/Discussion:
 - a. Total Revenue in November: \$4,921.40; YTD \$20,599.16
 - b. Total Expense in November: \$2,229.08; YTD \$13,477.34
 - c. Net Surplus in November: \$2,692.32; YTD \$7,121.82
 - d. 2nd Movie Night net of \$838.56
 - e. Girls' Dance net \$1,228.03
 - f. Yoga Night net \$65.00 (Thank you, Momoki Sanuki!)
 - g. Wreath/Poinsettia sale net \$572.15
 - h. Mini Grant awarded: Mrs. Goocher (Resource Room) - \$115.63 for sensory items
4. Vote to increase spending budget for Boys' Bowling Night - amount not to exceed \$2000. Cost will depend on the number of participants signed up. Super Bowl requires a deposit, based on the number of lanes needed. **Motion to approve (K. Batt). Supported by J. Warne. Unanimously carried.**

5. Events Overview

- a. Popcorn Friday - tomorrow 12/6
 - b. Hungry Howies Fundraiser Forms Due - 12/9
 - c. Five Below Fundraiser - 12/20-12/22
 - d. No School - 12/23-1/3
 - e. Back to School - 1/6/2020
 - f. PTO meeting - 1/9
 - g. Popcorn Friday - 1/10
 - h. Mavericks (formerly World of Beer) Fundraiser - 1/15
 - i. Half days - 1/16-1/17
 - j. No School - 1/20
 - k. Movie night - 1/24
6. Volunteers needed: Popcorn Friday 12/6 and 1/10
7. Parent Council Update: The 10 year facility study bond proposal was approved by the School Board. The bond will go to a vote in the community on March 10th. More info to come from the district.
8. Discussions:
- a. Parent recommended "Madison Miles & Friends" author visit
 - b. Parent asked about lunch debt at Miller. Mr. Billings mentioned the Applebee's Fundraiser that will go toward lunch debt, a check has yet to be received. Mrs. Klco and Mr. Billings assured parents that kids do not know that they have lunch debt, the cafeteria serves them regardless.
 - c. Parent recommended sending out plea to parents at the end of Book Fair if goal of donated books is not met.
 - d. Parent recommended not waiting until Spring Book Fair to give remaining kids books. Suggested a collection for books to give as Christmas gifts.

Meeting Adjourned at 7:31 pm

Next Meeting, Thursday, January 9th at 7:00 pm

Minutes approved by H. Nolan 12/6/19