

Parent Circle Meeting Minutes

Wednesday, February 14, 2018

Welcome/Introductions

President: Amanda Tressler
Secretary: Stephanie Miller
Treasurer: Dante Fantozzi
Food Coordinator: Allison Evans
Craft Coordinator: Stacie Kiffer

Attendees:

Amanda Tressler, Allison Evans, Dante Fantozzi, Stephanie Miller, Stacie Kiffer, Darin Mazepa, Lauren Kiss, Nikki Hoppel, Janine Teixeira, Emily Mohry,

Treasurer Report

- Total money in all accounts \$19,426.00
- Currently owe \$1,868.70 for upcoming pizza weeks
- Phantoms to be paid \$2,442.00
- Uncleared checks \$239.13
- Expenses
 - Vinny's Pizza \$2,247.12
 - Winter Faire Costs \$563.38
 - Merchandise Purchase \$80.00
 - Teacher Gifts (water bottles): \$198.20
 - Yoga Mats for Ms. Edit \$110.24
- Spirit Wear purchases totaled approximately \$3,000, yielding \$400 in merchandise to add to our stock and \$435 in commissions
- Fall book fair credit has been used for purchase books for 2nd grade guided reading library
- Winter Faire brought in a total of \$1,863.50. After expenses the event profited \$1,291.92

Winter Faire

- Overall the event was a success!
- Food was well received and the crafts were very busy. King Winter did a great job!
- Thoughts for improvements for 2019 include the addition of different activities for children/families to do to allow people to spend more time at the event.

Playground Project Proposal

- A proposal created by Ms. Sherman was presented to all present at the meeting. Proposed is a major renovation to the

school's grounds that includes a large variety of play structures that follow Waldorf methodology, promote creative and competitive play. A detailed map with marked play spaces was displayed.

- The staff has contacted a company (Kompan) to obtain pricing
- The Staff has requested that the Parent Circle financially contribute to help make this project possible.
- The project proposed would be a long term project being completed in stages with the help of community volunteers, parents and contracted workers.
- Implementation of the project would likely not begin until after the building renovation has been completed.
- Members present voted to consider devoting funding to this project. Exact amounts to be determined at a later time.
- The full presentation can be viewed [here](#)

Chipotle Fundraiser 2/27/18

- People just need to show the flyer (printed or on a phone) for the school to get credit
- Multiple Facebook events are set up to help spread the word to friends and families, request was made to have attendees share the event on their social media pages.
- COS will receive 50% of the profit from this event.

Spaghetti Dinner 3/3/18

- Will be offering an expanded menu (salad, meat sauce, vegan sauce and bread)
- Centerpieces are being made by Stacie K and will feature pasta with a candle inside a mason jar
- Paper will be placed on the table with crayons for coloring
- We also will be offering a noodle necklace station for something for the kids to do.
- Bread will be offered by Bolete, additional donations of bread will be needed.

Conference Week

- Dianne J will be helping to coordinate the teacher luncheon and will take care of organizing the sign up genius.
- Chair massages have been scheduled for teachers to sign up for throughout the day, they can choose the time that works in their schedule.

Phantoms Event 3/9/18

- Deadline extended to 2/16 with payment being due 2/23

May Faire

- A raffle committee meeting will be held on 2/28 at 7pm, all are welcome to volunteer for this. Meeting to be held at Panera on Tilghman Street
- Donations are coming in already!
- We are waiting to hear from Rachel on if she will be able to help us again this year with the food.
- Signature items for the event were discussed. Travel Mugs, umbrellas, and water bottles.
- Crafts to be planned still, will need supplies
- Giant bubble station was discussed as well as the potential sale of giant wands and special bubble solution
- Set up will need to be Friday Night 5/11 due to Mrs. Moore using the purple room as a classroom because of the renovation.
- There will not be a live auction, the items created by the grades will be bid on in a silent auction.

- Book Fair has been scheduled and will be held in the wood working room.

New Business

- Pizza Make up day will be held on March 23rd
- We need to move the items out of the PC storage room ASAP
 - Will have another closet and used of the shed to store items
- Darin Mazepa has volunteered for the Vice President position.
 - nomination was made by Dante Fantozzi, the motion was seconded by Alison Evans, all present were in favor.

Meeting Adjourned 8:35pm

Next Meeting: Wednesday, March 14th at 6:30pm