



# **CCE PTO Meeting Minutes**

## **Tuesday, October 3, 2023**

### **6:00-7:00pm**

- I. Welcome/Introductions: Megan Blakley-Seiler, Amy Rahne, Kirsten Sola, Liz Wyknenko, Amy Haines, Sara Welles, Emily Guggino, Cassie Rust, Denise Dice, Katie Crocker, Melissa White, Amanda Young, David Conrad, Chelsea Tooker, Kim Carlson, Holly Lair
- II. Feedback on Recent Events
  - Scurry Prize Day (Sept 26<sup>th</sup>)
    - i. What went well:
      1. Every class got to do the inflatable party.
      2. They enjoyed winning the “Running Buddies”.
    - ii. What went poorly:
      1. Some of the prize events ran over and interfered with teacher schedules.  
Next year Mrs.Rahne can help with scheduling.
  - Restaurant Night @ Buffalo Wild Wings (Sept 27<sup>th</sup>)
    - i. Many families went
    - ii. They give 10% back
  - Coffee with the Counselor – Internet Safety (Sept 29<sup>th</sup>)
    - i. Only 4 parents came but they got a lot out of the session.
    - ii. We could do a better job advertising this event - look at how the emails are structured and add all events to the Facebook page.
  - TRHS Parade (Sept 29<sup>th</sup>)
    - i. Klds loved it!
    - ii. Mrs. Rhane asked for 3:45 but they started early
- III. Financial Update
  - Paid out \$600 in teacher grants
  - We bought customized Croc gobbets to sell for \$3.
  - Amy will get out the socks to sell during Teacher Conference/Book Fair week.
  - Staff Appreciation:
    - i. Catered by Craneli's
    - ii. Cost \$400
    - iii. They gave us 20% discount
  - \$274 from Mod Market Restaurant Night
  - \$1600 from Scurry Sponsors
  - \$130 currently in the staff appreciation fund
  - King Soopers card signup with \$100 gift card contest until Dec. 1st.
- IV. Book Ordering Updates
  - PTO offered to front money (\$5,000) for new library books. The District offered to match our \$5,000 and has given us \$10,700 total. Mrs. Stott ordered the first batch of books.
    - i. We needed Early Readers and Graphic Novels, Updated the Non Fiction section.
    - ii. Mrs. Stott sent out a survey to the students about what kind of books they wanted.

- iii. Still need about \$25,000 more to get to the “Green level”.
- iv. The Kids loved “Mrs.Rhane’s Picks”

#### V. Upcoming Events

- Book Fair (week of October 9<sup>th</sup>)
  - i. Need more volunteers
  - ii. Maybe send out one-off email
- Breakfast & Books (Oct 10<sup>th</sup> and Oct 12<sup>th</sup> from 7:30-9am)
  - i. Need more volunteers
  - ii. Chair Sydney and Amanda
    - 1. Working on getting coffee donated
    - 2. Already ordered the donuts
    - 3. They will donate little milk cartons
  - iii. Maybe send out one-off email
- Royal Crest Dairy - for every family that signs up they will give the school \$100
- Staff Appreciation during Fall Conferences
  - i. We still need help
  - ii. People can shop for the items and save the receipt for PTO repayment
  - iii. Monday is lunch - sandwiches and salads
  - iv. Tuesday is Taco’s - obviously
  - v. Wednesday is catered
  - vi. Thursday is breakfast
- Restaurant Night @ Panda Express (Oct 11<sup>th</sup>)
  - i. That’s conference night
- Restaurant Night @ Zelle’s - all day (Oct 25<sup>th</sup>)

#### VI. Chairs/Volunteers Needed

- Staff Appreciation
- Treasurer Position (starting 2024-2025 school year)

#### VII. Principal Rahne Report

- PAWS assembly - recognized individuals, classes, grade levels. Only inviting parents whose kids are in the assembly
- Hit the October student count with 480
- No parents for Thanksgiving Celebration meals this year. Will parent volunteers be allowed to serve?
- Free Lunch is going very well!
- Outdoor Ed was a lot of fun.
- Middle Schoolers were at the school Friday 9/29 for their community service hours - they painted the fence, built two picnic tables, put rock under the shade structure outside and cleaned up the garden.
- 6th grade will start Yearbook soon
- Halloween Parade 9-9:30. Parents go on the outside of the field and kids on the inside. Parties in the morning - done by 10:10.
- Picture retake 24th
- THRS trick or treat street on the 24th

#### VIII. Open Discussion

- The Holiday Light Tour will happen again.
  - i. Thursday 12/14

- ii. PTO will pay for the event
- iii. Highschool volunteers for the event?

- STEM program to come in?

IX. Next PTO Meeting Date: Tuesday November 14<sup>th</sup> 6-7pm (SAC mtg 7-8pm)

X. Adjournment