

CCE PTO Meeting Minutes Tuesday, September 10, 2024

Join virtually: <https://meet.google.com/ucc-fdwy-zyn>

- I. Welcome/Introductions: Liz Wyknenko, Sara Welles, Kim Carlson, Amy Rahne, Steve Getchell, Amy Haines, Danielle Torley, Tracy Meier, Natalie Sullivan, Katie Crocker, Elaine Tunkel, Holly Lehr

- II. Feedback on Recent Events
 - New-dle Night dinner: Friday, August 23rd – Families thought it was very fun and good welcome to the school. Their kids loved the gym play time.

- III. Upcoming Events
 - Scurry fundraiser – raising funds for playground equipment (cost is about \$15K, Amy R will place the order), field trips (estimate we will be able to pay for \$50 per student towards field trips this school year), and classroom chairs for a few grades who were in need of new chairs
 - i. Fun Run: Weds Sept 11th in the morning, broken up by grade, we have 6 volunteers signed up per time slot
 - ii. Prize Day: Weds Sept 25th
 - iii. School-wide Prizes:
 1. School-wide Goal is \$47K (\$100 per student) – about \$36K raised so far on the website (including sponsorships and checks, we are up to \$40K)
 2. \$15K raised by 9/6 => earns Popsicles on Run Day
 3. \$25K raised by 9/6 => earns the FOAM PARTY on Run Day
 4. \$30K raised by 9/18 => Hat Day
 5. \$35K raised by 9/18 => Pajama Day
 6. \$40K raised by 9/18 => Inflatables on Prize Day
 7. \$47K raised by 9/18 => Sandy Candy on Prize Day (kids get to make their own pixy stix type candy)
 - iv. Classroom Prizes:
 8. Top Dollar Class (highest average/student) => Class Mascot stuffy (one winner for K-2nd grades, one winner for 3rd-6th grades)

- 9. Best Spirit Grade on Run Day => Cotton Candy Party
- 10. Most Laps on Run Day => Extra Recess
- 11. \$85/student average by 9/18 => earns a Hamster Ball Party on Prize Day
- v. Individual Prizes:
 - 12. \$50 – twisty pencil
 - 13. \$100 – crazy candy
 - 14. \$250 – Plinko for prizes
 - 15. \$500 – \$175 gift card for bounce house rental or foam party
- vi. Skate City passes – we had extras donated by Skate City so we will also use these for Scurry prizes. We discussed how to disperse them – the consensus was to provide them to the students in the top fundraising class for each grade

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- Book Fair: Sept 16-19 – Volunteers still needed, there are 10 slots still open
 - vii. Parent Teacher Conferences/Staff Appreciation week
 - viii. Breakfast & Books/Coffee Truck on Weds Sept 18th
 - Skate City Night: Thurs October 10th 6-8pm
- IV. Financial Update
- Carnival – wristband sales - \$4500
 - ix. Expenses – kona ice, artsy face, inflatables, fun services \$6250
 - x. Net loss (\$1750)
 - Chipotle restaurant night \$216
 - Milk caps \$150
 - Merch: \$1300 in sales (not sure of profit)
 - We'll do a king Sooper drawing in October and one in the Spring - for a \$100 gift card
- V. Principal Rahne Report
- Community service day Oct. 4th– high schoolers come to school to volunteer. Amy has list of jobs.
 - 30th anniversary of CCE is next year, we would like to celebrate in some way – consensus is to put 30 new trees on school premises. Quote is \$700 per tree, installed. Maybe have trees sponsored by classrooms and then PTO can buy the others. Spring planting so fundraise this year. More conversation about this in the coming meetings.
- VI. Open Discussion
- Holiday show is run by parents of sixth graders and a first grader parent. Need to find

- Monday crop to run by parents of sixth graders and a first grader, parents need to make new chairs for events that have been supported by parents who won't be at CCE next year
- PTO calendar is done by Katie Crocker via google doc and it goes to the website – will need someone to pick this up
- Talent show – need to determine if we need a chair for this for the 2025-2026 year.
- August 13th 2025 school starts

VII. Adjournment

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