

LES PTC Meeting September 13th, 2023

In attendance: Luke Braihard, Jessica Long, A. Knowles, Cushing, Hjordis Rivet, Joy Martinez, Amy Lindenau, Amy Kanaise, Jamie Yenchar, Tiffany Heyse, Jasmine Mott, Charlotte Nickerson, Erin Wohlberg, Andrew Frison, Sarah Curtis, Bridget Ennis

- Meeting called to order at 7:04pm

- **Review minutes from last meeting-** August 22nd. Minutes approved as read by Andrew, seconded by Amy
- **Treasurer Report**
 - **RAZ Kids?**- Andrew has a question on price difference, last year the bill was \$4000, this year it is only \$300
 - Andrew submitted the new school year budget, set up at the Aug 22nd meeting.
 - Teacher support will only be given the preschool lead teachers, not the asst. teachers. Making teacher support budget \$9500, instead of \$10,000
 - Increase safety end of year trip budget, incorrect number of safety's, this year we have 54
- **Old Business:**
 - **Shirts at back to school night-** Agreed that we should continue to do in the coming years
 - **Order shirts**
 - **Adult sizes next year?** - Discussed that we need to have the option to order adult shirts next year, especially for new parents to the elementary
- **Fundraising**
 - Erin had a great idea of a raffle (it was discussed at the Aug 22nd meeting, see previous meeting notes)
 - But we are not a non-profit organization, do not have the correct paperwork, so we will not be able to pursue this type of fundraising this year, will keep in mind for next year and work on non profit paperwork this year
 - Discussion of a Fun Run/ Glow Run - Fall themed
 - Monday October 30th
 - Want to change from individual prizes to either grade or class prizes
 - Send kids home with pledge sheet for sponsor for students
 - Add square link to donation envelope
 - Add explanation of PTC budget and that we are always looking for new ideas
 - Ask teachers to collect data on student participation in
 - Kids will get 10-15 minutes to run around the gym with glow sticks, afterwards they will get donut holes and apple cider (to be donated)
 - Signupgenius for teachers, Katie will work with Ashely to set up times
 - Will also need parent volunteers and snack donations
 - In past years the prizes were:

- Popcorn party- wesco donated popcorn, PTC bought cups
 - Ice cream party
 - Silly String - PTC purchased
 - Stix bowling party - donated from Stix
 - Reward tiers this year amount by grade
 - Each student receives a glow stick for participation
 - \$4000 popcorn in classroom
 - \$6000 ice cream in classroom
 - \$40,000 whole school receives a “Franklin Fun Day”
 - Note preschool can not have popcorn will have something else in classroom and will have different goals, because of the number of students
 - Preschool Goals
 - \$750 - for popcorn party-equivalent TBA
 - \$1500 ice cream
 - Flyers to go out October 16th, have teachers have information at conferences
- **Conferences - 10/18 & 19**
 - **Luncheon** - last fall catered Ludington Meat Company cost \$900 for two days
 - Decided to cater one conference, ask for donations for spring
 - Charlotte will call and arrange Jimmy Johns for sandwiches and unwiches
 - Have parents donate chips, plates, napkins- signup genius, add link to preschool
 - Charlotte and one parent to set up
- **New Business**
 - **Questions**
 - **Comments?**
- **Principals report** - Great start to school year

Meeting adjourned at 8:23pm

Motioned Tiffany

Seconded Charlotte

Next meeting October 11th @ 7pm