PTA Meeting
Thursday, March 5, 2020

I. Call Meeting to Order/Introductions

II. Approve Minutes from February 4th, 2020 PTA Meeting

— motion to approve: Daniela
— second: Ashley
— minutes approved

III. Officer & Committee Reports

Treasurer's Report (Crystal for Melissa)
— copies of Budget distributed
— 12 teachers have submitted for their grants
— some discussion about volunteers and timing for Math night
— question about money allocated for clubs
— teachers can submit requests for money for a club this year, and we should vote on a budget for clubs for next year

Hospitality Update (Laura or Fiona)
— March lunch is tomorrow - taco salad bar
— Teacher appreciation is first week of May, which is the National Teacher Appreciation week
— Book Fair is also the first week of May, so it will need to wrap up by Thursday, so that the teacher luncheon can take place in the media center on Friday
— need another co-chair for next year

Spirit Nights Update (Mimosa)
— Papa Murphy's carpool was a success! Sold out before carpool even started.
— Brought 81 pizzas and sold them all. $400-$415 made
— some discussion about doing this again
— Chick Fil A night is March 26
— May 19 is at BJ's Brewhouse

Spirit Wear- (Jessica Mulkey)
— presale flyer will go home to order T-shirts in a couple weeks
— hopefully ready by to pass out by Spring Fling

Coffee & Grounds (Scott)
— Saturday April 18th was decided
— need mulch
— Mrs. Nelson will reach out to churches to help because they want to help

Spring Fling (Jacquelyn White)
— need a PTA concession lead - to sell chips, drinks and possibly a healthy option
— working on the DJ, Paule will get in touch with William Dunning
— Frankie the balloon artist will be there
— silent auction is going well with donations, some follow-up still needed
— need a volunteer to go to Trader Joe's for a donation
— Save the Date flyers will go out soon
— we will have food trucks, pizza as a back-up if a truck doesn't work out

Nominations (Paule)
—Positions that have to be filled per the by-laws are President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer, Audit, Nominations
— cultural arts person needed before August
— If there are positions you'd like to do, let Paule know
— Most positions except President can be filled by more than one person
— 3 people needed for Nominations and 3 for Audit
— suggestion for some communication to families as to what positions are needed to be filled
— job descriptions / skills list needed

Kids Creations (Daniela)
— kids have done artwork, and it has been sent in
— should be returned in the next couple weeks
— may not be back in time for Spring Fling
— parents will have about a week to order

Book Fair (Crystal/Betsy)
— first week of May
— BOGO book fair
— we have the option to opt-out of anything that isn't a book
— sign up will be sent out sometime after Spring Break

Spirit Booth (Nicole)
— Spirit booth is on hold for a couple weeks because of some thievery

Principal's Report- Mrs. Nelson
— Kim Oakley was a nominated teacher through NC Lottery
— can vote every day
— We are registering a lot of students, some base kids, some Weatherstone kids, averaged 3 students a week since January
— 60 kindergarteners registered so far. (This year we have a little over 90)
— Trying to register as many as possible. Why it matters? It helps when Mrs. Nelson determines positions
— we are at 99.3% capacity
— Renovation in 2024/2025, and it's looking like we will have to move out
— we read 70,000 minutes in the month of February. Mrs. Nelson will dress as a heart to celebrate. New form sent out for March, with the goal of reaching 100,000 minutes.
— looking to purchase Bulldog tablecloths, contacted the seller, 5 tablecloths would be around $1000
— idea to use a Cricut machine. Will look into this option and revisit at the April meeting

IV. Announcements/Other

Positivity Project VOTE
— The first year was free
— Last year, the positivity project was paid for with a grant
— Has to be paid for yearly
— $1495 per year
— motion to approve to fund the 2020-2021 school year: Betsy
— second: Daniela
— motion passed

Fundraiser Night at Holly Springs Salamanders?
— summer league baseball
— tickets $9
— no work on the PTA's part
— community event, more-so than a money-maker event

PTA Dates to Remember-
- Next PTA Meeting will be on Thursday, April 2nd @ 7:00PM
- Monday, March 9th- Teacher Workday-No School
- Thursday, March 12th- Math Night (5-5:30 pizza sales and Math night starts at 5:30)
- Spring Fling will be on Friday, April 24th!!