Miscoe Hill PTO Meeting Minutes

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| Date: 3/13/23 | Location: Miscoe Library |
| Called by: Victoria Wilkinson | Time:6:37pm |

Attendees

Victoria Wilkinson, Kelly Lucier, Jess Tilley, Tara Corcoran, Jen Mannion, Deb Lane, Laura Devenney, Stephanie Freeman

Call to Order

Minutes approved by email consensus

Opening Reports

President’s Report: Victoria Wilkinson

* Not planning on Spring Fundraiser because we have monies and CNO’s have been very successful
* Left message for Mo at bus company in hopes of changing policy about changing busses so kids can go on visits with friends after school.

Treasurer’s Report: Kelly Lucier

* Accounts overview
* Waiting on Mrs. Manser about the books
* Gallifords CNO Check approximately $200
* Amazon Smile $103 – maybe one more before program ends
* $500 paid out for Super Bowl squares
* $400 paid for skating event
* Deb has receipts for appreciation events. Have $273 from donations towards the staff appreciation events.
* $10,805 balance in the PTO account.
* Started using ZipBooks to track everything finance for the PTO
* Next CNO at Rushford & Sons

Principal’s Report:

* Chris Eaton and Sadia Daigle from STUCO Eboard members. Ideas for socials. Have run Volloween. The PTO is looking at doing 2 socials for 5th/6th and 7th/8th and looking for input on what students would be looking for. Looking to have music in gym and activities in separate room. Model after BVT rec night? Dodge Ball in gym, Movie, Basketball, Hang out space. Use hallway by office as chill area? Not sure we could have enough chaperones for 4 spaces. 4 chaperons in gym, 2 in hallway. Maybe a karaoke space? Set up snacks in lobby area. Sign up genius for chaperones and snacks. Only decorations in chill area? Can use bleachers or folding chairs? School has microphone we could use with karaoke machine. Set up photo booth at the doors.
  + April 7, 14, 28, May 12(half day), 26 available
  + In gym basketball and dodge ball. Hallway for relaxing (board games). Cafeteria for karaoke.
  + Student Council could help with 5th/6th. Maybe high school students.
  + Chips, water (tons), candy
  + April 28 7th/8th and May 12 5th/6th – 6:30 – 8:30pm

Agenda

Old Business- Unfinished

* March Madness/similar squares – too late for this year.
* Staff appreciation March – Deb
  + Dates coming up – National School Librarian, Specialist week that includes Librarian. Can they do note Librarian week and then include Specialist week.
  + Specialists are teachers so can we role it into Teacher Appreciation Week.
  + End of year luncheon will be for all Staff
  + Looking for gift for teachers
  + Catered lunch – Oliva’s? Breakfast? Chocolate Day?
* Teacher requests
  + 7th Grade still figuring out field trip. Ropes course is too expensive. Maybe Mystic Aquarium.
* Ice Skating Event – Recap.
  + About 80 kids went. Was fun.
* 5th/6th and 7th/8th socials(available dates are March 24, 31, April 7, 14, 28 or May 12 May 26) (see above)
* Cultural Arts
  + 8th grade doing RBG performance - Cheryl Fay. They would like to do every year.
  + 7th grade - Drummers & Dancers.
  + 6th grade - Greek mythology-paid for w grant they got themselves-We are helping with with field trip bussing costs/ scholarships for students in need.
  + 5th grade - Abigail Adams performance - Cheryl Fay. – need to set up date with 5th grade team
  + Performing Flying High Dogs show? Need a date and time.Indoors and outdoors?
  + Animal Adventures?

New Business- Ideas, Motions, Announcements

* School kits portal now open – will send login info to Lindsey.

Next general meeting is **4/10/23**

* 5/8/22, 6/12/23