

PTO Meeting

December 10, 2020

In Attendance:

Amy Formolo
Melissa Martinez
Christy Julien
Kelly Blum
Bethany McCauley
Amy Peters
Jessica Cronin
Anastasia Parker
Laura McCabe
Melinda Dennis
Whitney Jones
Leslie Rodriguez
Illiana Castellanos
Debbie Price
Jennifer Smithson
Jennifer Cantu
Robin Deferrari
Barbara Lowery
Rebecca Harrison

Welcome-Bethany called meeting to order.

- Book Fair was substantially different, raised only \$6,000
- Accepted a check for \$600 from Wunderlich Fund
- Outdoor furniture was delivered and assembled and able to use

Approval of Minutes

-Kelly Blum called for approval of minutes, Jessica Cronin and Amy Formolo approved the minutes

Principal's Report-Christy Julien

- Thanked Laura's family for assembling the outdoor furniture and teachers are already enjoying them, a few more will be installed and put in car line
- Fine Arts are doing some recitals outside under the Pavilion
- Thanked PTO for all they do to help the school
- Student Population is 80% in-person and 20% virtual
- Students are complying well and following all the protocols
- Few more teachers are switching from virtual to in-person
- District is in need of Substitute teachers, cross guards and bus drives

Financial Report-Laura McCabe

- Good financial standing
- Company matches are rolling in, it's not too late to get more company matches
- Updated budget is on website and is available for questions
- Checks written this month

Ready Refresh - Misc - \$31.38

Maria F. Malvido - Staff Appreciation - \$148.90

Claudia A. Cantu - Staff Appreciation - \$39.70

Amy Peters - Staff Appreciation - \$307.28

Conroe ISD - Campus Enhancements - \$2,805.60

Conroe ISD - Staff Development - \$4,400.00

The Park Catalog - Campus Enhancements - \$6,410.00

Staff Appreciation-Amy Peters

- Thanked everyone for their generosity for the Bigotes Tacos luncheon on Friday, December 11

Field Trips

- Museum of Natural Science is on hold due to the recent Covid-19 surge
- Currently looking into other date options in late March/early April

Partner Share-Melissa Martinez

- Gringo's next Tuesday, December 15th All Day Event
- Jersey Mike's January 28th

Yearbook

- On sale in January!

Language Arts teaching and methods learned from Columbia University

- Rebecca Harrison
- Melinda Dennis
- Barbara Lowery

Presented on Units of Study

- Mini Lessons
- Independent reading, partner or group
- Teacher Confer with kids (the most important)
- CT is one of the first schools that was selected to implement Units of Study and is also a project school again
- Not looking for perfection but looking for Growth

Next PTO Meeting January 14,2021