

# PTO Meeting 11-9-18

## **In Attendance:**

Bethany McCauley  
Jessica Waters  
Erin Macicek  
Elsye Grieco  
Tracy Goloborodko  
Suhailah Beale  
Christopher Bailey  
Erin Rebrook  
Leah Turnbull  
Jennifer Cantu  
Sunnye Nowlin  
Christy Julien  
Cristian Alatorre  
Hanne Langkaas  
Gabriela Sparrowe de Corral  
Courtney Llamas  
Josie Torres  
Vikki Clove  
Shawn Creswell

## **Welcome:**

Fall Fest: Very Successful

\$35,000 net profit

Thanksgiving Activities- Friday, Nov. 16<sup>th</sup>

December General Meeting (time change)- Thursday, 12/6 at 9:00am (speaker at 10:00)

Kelly Locke will be speaking- district crisis counselor- about FOMO (Fear of Missing Out)

Race for Awareness- voted on election day for this year's theme

Winner= Animal Therapy Race will be held on Saturday, April 13<sup>th</sup>

Kids will vote on a theme color

Titan Trading Cards have just come out for the Land Mine Dog we have funded through Family Geography Night

New this year -Holiday Spectacular on Thursday, Dec. 13<sup>th</sup>

Band, Orchestra and Choir will all be performing

Informal family event involving blankets, hot cocoa, and pajamas

This is an event for everyone, not just fine arts students

Jingle Bell Jog the next day, on Dec. 14<sup>th</sup>

## Financial Report:

Josie- We are still getting residual donations from companies  
Partnershare has been lucrative this year

### **\*\*Checks written this month\*\***

Gabriela Sparrowe	Teacher Appreciation Lunch	\$9.98
Texas Renaissance Festival	5 <sup>th</sup> Grade Field Trip	\$1,593
Nutty Scientists	Kinder In House Field Trip	\$295
Sunbelt Rentals	Fall Fest	\$675.44
Victoria Clove	CT Logo Doormat	\$244.05
Stenhouse Publishers	Software License	\$487
Game Truck	Fall Fest	\$347.50
Coco Cola	Fall Fest	\$308.50
Victoria Clove	Fall Fest	\$986.19
Laura McCabe	School Store	\$48.76
Angie DeMarco	3 <sup>rd</sup> Grade Field Trip	\$850.00
Jennifer Hunter	Fall Fest	\$162.48
Texas Comptroller	Quarterly Taxes	\$841.12
Jessica Waters	Counselor Program	\$337.63
Stevi and Co	PTO Spiritwear	\$983
Chick Fil A	Fall Fest	\$1,919.50
Papa John's	Fall Fest	\$335
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Print Max	Membership	\$1,691
Houston Party Rental	Fall Fest	\$1,386.56
Theresa Morgan	Fall Fest	\$400

## Membership Directories:

\$1700

Questioning whether or not to actually print these next year  
Another option is to have an online directory  
Parents appear in favor of this

## Field Trips:

Completed- 3<sup>rd</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup>

Third grade in house field trip visit from the Houston Zoo

Renaissance Festival- 5<sup>th</sup> grade went last week.

Mixed reviews as many activities were an additional cost

Dec. 6<sup>th</sup> Kindergarten Nutty Scientist

2<sup>nd</sup> Grade Field Trip- Little Mermaid play on Feb. 2<sup>nd</sup> at Woodlands High School

## Book Fair:

Enchanted Forest Theme

Set up Nov. 7 and sales Monday, Nov. 12- Friday, Nov. 16

## Winter Wonderland:

Monday, Dec. 3- Friday, Dec. 7

8:00-3:00 Kids bring CTPTO Check or money to buy gifts for their family  
No school store in December or January

### **Fall Fest:**

Survey will be on Google Docs to determine what the families liked best, so we know what we should continue to invest in next year

Positives:

5:30-8:30 Good Timing

Raffle- Good to have baskets in the raffle vs the auction

Silent Auction- online worked well

Helped increase participation when the teachers promoted the event

5-6 grade area very engaging

Needs:

Lights- In the back outdoors by the soda and in the rotunda by the scientist

### **Timing of our Fundraising?**

Too much to do two fundraisers in the fall?

We had Boosterthon in the spring, but we no longer have that fundraiser due to the added fees

We now have Race for Awareness in April

Field Day was changed due to the weather at the end of the year

Many parents complained about the heat

This allows for more pleasant outdoor weather for the students

### **Yearbooks on sale now and the sales will end January 31<sup>st</sup>**

All will have personalization

First Deadline at the end of November

ReplayIt - This is the way to contribute the pictures that you have taken to the yearbook

Update the Apple App and wait because it may take time to download

### **Teacher Appreciation:**

December 14- Winter WonderFlavors Cozy Teacher Lunch

### **Partner Share:**

Hyderabad (\$250)

Dairy Queen (\$280)

Flippin Pizza (TBD)

Republic Grill (TBD)

MOD Pizza 11-27

Five Guys and Bahama Bucks 12-12

### **Minutes:**

Approval of Minutes from 10-11-18

Courtney Llamas motioned to approve the minutes  
Motion Approved

**Playground:**

Cost is \$86,000

We need approval to move forward with the playground since it is more than \$85,000

Approval Given

Playground will be installed over Christmas Break and possibly Thanksgiving Break

Kids move around to different places on the playground based on timing of recess

We replenish the school balls and equipment through funds made from box tops

Biker- Walker A is getting out late and the school zone is not long enough for walkers

Recommended to call CISD police and Woodlands Township to extend the school zone  
from 3:45 to 4:00

**Upcoming Dates:**

11/16- Thanksgiving Activities

12/6- PTO Holiday Party