

## PTO Meeting 10/25/23 minutes

**Attendance:** Allyson Scheck, Kerry-Beth McNalley, Josena Marshall, Vicki Finsted, Katie Roth, Katie Olszewski, Angela Sobiech, Leslie Hedges

### OLD NEWS:

- New members- don't forget to sign up to join the Class Dojo PTO 'class.' We also have the Facebook planning page
- HATS FOR SALE! We still have lots left, fundraiser for 6<sup>th</sup> grade end of the year
- Spirit Sales continuing- looking into adding a flash sale before Christmas? Add new items such as jammies?
- Little Caesars Fundraiser made over \$700
- Silver Graphics- art shipped off! Issues again with getting projects done during art classes, will not try again. Will do during Media or maybe in class next year- fun Fridays? Shop is live and parents will get code to place orders
- Memorial Stones- update from Kim?
- When to plant tree for Memorial- ask Katie Roth; Cindy to contact nursery for donations

### NEWS TO DISCUSS:

- Adding Holiday event on 12/7/23. PTO involvement other than the holiday shop? Will discuss more at the November meeting after Mrs. Finsted talks with Teri to figure out activities and funding. Wishing tree for teachers/staff? Leslie is going to make a QR codes for the teachers' wishlist and preference lists.
- Holiday Shop Updates from KB- decorating? Theme? Volunteers? Will be set up in Room 202- setup 11/16 & 11/17. Holiday Shop will run Nov. 28- Dec. 8. Volunteers needed to sign up during activities (Media)- 8:40 -2:15pm M-Th, 8:30-12:55pm F; Video shown during activities (art, music, media; PE bring students into media at the beginning of their activity to watch the video) on 11/27, possible extra day for setup if we didn't get it done before the break. December 7<sup>th</sup>- night time Holiday Shop
- Parent/Teacher conference night dinners- Nov. 2<sup>nd</sup>, PTO to provide teachers and ask parents to donate desserts. Dinner will be setup by PTO for the teachers to serve themselves. Meatball subs- turkey meatballs & beef meatballs, rolls, bags of chips
- Teacher & Parent Surveys- Allyson
- New Committees
  - Community Outreach would be in charge of reaching out to area businesses for donations
  - Event Committees to run individual events
  - Hospitality Committee to put together staff meals/gifts/student rewards
- Donation websites- will look into possibilities/agencies
- Poppin' Popcorn fundraiser? Allyson will call for details
- Meals or Snacks for Parent Involvement/Title 1 Math Nights to help increase attendance. Pre-orders only for meals. Upcoming 2<sup>nd</sup> grade- 11/16/23. Offer other nights? Offer snacks &

bottled water. Leslie will talk with teachers to let them know. Snacks will be available 5-5:25pm before the

- Added Texas Roadhouse rolls fundraiser for November. Sales 10/27-11/9. \$10/dozen frozen. Get payment to Texas Roadhouse 11/10 & get vouchers for rolls & butter. Roll pickups will be 11/20 & 11/21
- Allison working on murals at school, possibly over Christmas break
- Schedule next meeting- 11/8 3:30pm Media Center