**West Melbourne School for Science**

**School Advisory Council**

Meeting Date: Monday, November 14, 2022

Meeting Location: Zoom

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| Voting Members | | | |
| Member | In Attendance | Member | In Attendance |
| Theresa Benson | X | Amy Bredemeyer | X |
| Kelly Rouse | X | Brian Schwind | X |
| Amanda Peters | X | Jeff Brown | X |
| Cathy Mistretta |  | Nicole Nalty | X |
| Melissa Valentine | X | Russel Bruhn | X |
| Pam Coard | X | Sanaa Zidal | X |
| Elizabeth DeLaere | X |  |  |
| Kum Kum Pandit | X |  |  |
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| Guest |  |  |  |
| Heather Wyatt | X |  |  |
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Meeting Brought to Order - Mrs. Bredemeyer @ 4:04PM

Review of the minutes from last meeting Mrs. Bredemeyer

* DeLaere moves to accept minutes, Coard 2nds

Treasurer’s Report - Mrs. Valentine

* $620 remains in budget

Old Business –

Fall Festival - Mrs. Benson: made over 15,000$

Pros from the night:

Food, lots of people/support, Presales and holding tix until the event, Parent involvement with games, Benson brought in extra SRO

Challenges:

-Is the footprint of the school allowable for big crowds?

-Need to spread food around campus. Have drink stations around and split cotton candy/popcorn

-Got dark too early, maybe do it end of September, beginning of October

-More games to help control the lines…2 games per grade level?

V. New Business

1. Principal’s Report Mrs. Benson

-Fortunate to be awarded School Recognition Bonus for being an A school. Staff will vote on how the money is dispersed – either 95% or 90% to go to bonuses, remaining for supplies and technology. SAC will confirm the results at next meeting.

1. Fun Run Boosterthon

-Discuss whether to have a Full service operation or 60/40 support from Boosterthon. Prior year was Full Service…Booster team on campus every day, fundraising platform, materials and prizes provided. Very high energy. Made $53,000 – profit 29,000 plus 5000 in matching funds: total of 34,000$

Shared service is 60/40. The only come on the day, have fundraising platform, strategis and materials.

Bruhn – Full, so we don’t bite off more than we can chew…would like to retain our staff.

Brown – Full…worth it for manpower and staff

Schwind, Bredemeyer, Nalty & Wyatt – agreed with Full

Boosterthon date tentatively 8 March, 2023

1. School Store fundraiser update from Rouse. Company will give 10% back to the school! Last year: $1872.92 school profit, 384 Gift Cards for a total of $15,725 raised for teachers.

* DeLaere mentioned that maybe 10% could be given to Activity teachers…Rouse reminded that activities have their own budgets.
* Leftover gift cards from last year will be disbursed as to not get wasted

VII. Public Discussion

Bredemeyer asked for follow up on Chipotle night – Benson responds that we made over $600.

Debating Krispy Kreme fundraiser – Benson suggents holding on that due to the Holiday Gift shop fundraiser coming up. Brown suggests doing it in the Spring.

Brown expresses his appreciation for Benson and Rouse’s leadership and is very priviledged to be a part of our school

VII. Meeting Adjourned at 4:48pm.

Our next scheduled SAC meeting date: 12 December, 2022