

AGENDA

Aldrich PTO Meeting - January 4th, 2022, 7 PM - Aldrich Library

Attendees: Angel Stammer, Cole Bowermaster, Heather Shores, Kim Cross, Brianna Schenkelberg, Tammy Bronemann, Jennifer Miller, Lizzy Connolly, Dave Berns

CALL TO ORDER

I. REPORTS OF OFFICERS

- A. Chairperson's Report - Lory Pauli
- B. Secretary
 - 1. Minutes from Previous Months Meeting - approved
- C. Treasurer
 - 1. Review Budget - Heather reviewed expenses from the month and revenue received. We have exceeded our budgeted revenue for the year.
 - 2. Teacher allocations - Heather will be sending out an email reminder and will set a due date for later in the school year.

II. PRINCIPAL REPORT - Kim Cross

- A. New Year - a few new students have started.
- B. Budget committee met and had a few things that exceeded the budget from the district. Committee has asked to submit those to CARE for review.
 - 1. IXL - Currently we have IXL for math and many want to continue for math and ELA. Previously we had IXL for English/Language Arts (ELA). Both were purchased for use during the pandemic and for remote learning.
 - 1. 450 students - \$5,513 for 1 year (bid good for 30 days)- current subscription ends for only math at the end of the school year - Lizzy and Ms. Cross will gather more information on exactly how many teachers and grade levels will use either or both versions for further review by CARE.
 - 2. Someone asked if there are any changes in COVID protocols. Ms. Cross reviewed the current protocols. There is a principals meeting on Thursday to determine if any other changes will need to be made. Hoping to be able to return to normal lunchroom procedures soon.

III. COMMITTEE REPORTS

- A. Spirit - Angel Stammer and Jennifer Miller
 - 1. Yearbook - Covers were voted on by students. Winners were announced on Facebook and winners will receive gift cards. We are still waiting on portraits in the system and proofs to be done by the school. Angel is asking teachers to upload more pictures from the classroom to be put into the yearbook. Angel will set a deadline for pictures as the date gets closer. Clubs were reviewed to be added into the yearbook. Online orders should start in March or April.
 - 2. Apparel - All orders were picked up and delivered.
- B. Hospitality - OPEN - Lory is covering - will reach again for Valentine's Parties
- C. Service - Alice
- D. Special Events - OPEN
- E. Wellness - Jodie Huegerich, Brianna Schenkelberg, Missy Boeke
 - 1. Missy completed an inventory of indoor recess games and has ordered needed games.

2. Yoga - still in the works.
 3. Next Wellness Committee meeting - Thursday, January 13th at 7:45 AM
- F. Fundraising - Cole Bowermaster
1. Preparing to launch a readathon and completing behind the scenes set up. QR Codes will be distributed for each student for parents to use to register.
 2. Every student who messages 10 people through the ReadATHon platform will be entered in a nation-wide contest for a trip for 4 to Disney World.
 3. Promotion will begin next week to prepare families for the upcoming ReadATHon
 4. Will begin reaching out to corporate sponsors this week.
 5. February 1st - start two weeks of solicitation and then 2 weeks of reading

IV. OTHER BUSINESS

- A. Difference Makers group starting this week in 6th grade

V. ANNOUNCEMENTS

- A. Next Meeting - February 1st - 7PM - Aldrich Library

VI. ADJOURNMENT - 8PM