

PTG Meeting - 11.4.2020

Meeting started at 7:05pm

In attendance: Beth Foley, Stella Dikas, Liz Spinney, Tiffany Bubriski, Maria Adamo, Steve Wiltshire, Wendy Allen, Kristin Wood, Julie Flynn

Discussion of October 2020 Meeting Minutes

Liz Spinney motion to approve October 2020 PTG Meeting Minutes; Kristin Wood second motion, unanimous

Discussion of October 2020 Treasurer's Report

Liz Spinney motion to approve October 2020 Treasurer's Report; Steve Wiltshire second motion, unanimous

- Steve raised a concern that RLA teachers may need more program funds
- PTG/Treasurers looking to revise budget to include additional funding for SPED teachers
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- For November: Corrected bank balances to reflect Dancefit earnings

Discussion regarding Homefield account balance of \$5K to transfer to Unibank

DanceFit goal 20K, based on 95% collection, total raised approx \$25K

NGES to receive an ice cream party

NSS to receive a popsicle party

RLA - possibly at the next RLA pickup

Boxtops total \$109.70 via Wendy Allen

Spirit Wear -

Yearbook / SquareOne Art distributions ongoing

Fall book fairs run 11/9-11/22 - Tiffany Bubriski chair

Community Reading Day - coming up NGES

Teacher Holiday Cookie Swap - yummy mummy \$2 per package,

Principals Update-

Steve

November 4, 2020

- 1. Conferences** - Conferences for all students will be virtual this school year. We are in the process of putting together the invites for families to sign up as they typically have done in the past.
- 2. Box Tops** - A special thank you to Mrs. Allen and her team of box top counters for collecting and counting box tops!
- 3. Fun Run** - Mrs. Lape and I really enjoyed spending time dancing with the students and spinning some music. The students overall seemed to enjoy the time they had, the younger students in particular. We also showed all the videos during lunch and shared with our RLA students.
- 4. Know Your School Night** - Know Your School Night also took a different approach this year and we hope that everyone found it informative. We certainly would have preferred to welcome everyone into the school, but I was pleased with our teacher's

ability to come together and provide something for families.

5. **Summer Learning Passports** - Just wanted to send a message of thanks to the PTG for donating prizes for this year's Summer Learning Passports. Our overall turnout was down quite a bit as was expected, but for those students that did turn in their points it was enjoyable to share their prizes!

6. **Picture Days** - Casson-Foster was extremely flexible to support our students with pictures this school year. We spread out the pictures days over 4 weeks and ensured all social distancing was met.

7. **Student Council** - Over the past two days of school we held our student councils videos. Ms. Gilligan over the past 3-4 years has done a fantastic job organizing and spreading the message of the student council. We had students create and share videos with the school and then the students headed down one class at a time to the cafeteria to vote!

Julie- no new updates

Enrichment - grade level coordinators to reach out to teachers; supplies to be purchased

Yearbook Updates

Cover Contest -

Next meeting Dec 2nd

Meeting adjourned Stella Varellas motioned to adjourn; Julie Flynn second motion, unanimous-all in favor