

Pending approval

Parent Group Agenda – Thursday, January 4th, 2023

from 8:30am – 10:00am-

1. Introductions; Motion to approve the minutes-post meeting notes prior to approval to make more relevant
2. Introduce Attendees
3. Treasurer Update- Emily's-Holiday mall did ok, had a lot of wreaths left over, donated to community for donation to community also to elderly. Lost money on wreaths. Holiday Mall, minus Dallmans, netted \$373. Down from last year. Was unable to provide a chocolate option. Seems school offerings are down overall, participation is down in all aspects of the Parent Group. Funded this year from last year, will have to re-eval our income vs what we can provide. Paid caution signs for Fall Fest and school activities, and conference meals
Brainstorm how to get the word out sooner to get the most involvement as possible-community going more towards experience and less towards goods?
Winter celebration to pick up Holiday Mall goods?

Old Business

1. Teacher Appreciation Week -Very appreciated-but so much food that there was some waste. Not just people that signed up brought food, so there was an abundance. Maybe do mon-wed instead of tues-thurs. Try to find wording to discourage “extra donations” Had such a good response to this, but are struggling with overall volunteering and participation. Why?
2. Teacher Massages - Coordinated by Rachael C.-Went well-teachers very appreciative, maybe do this for teacher appreciation week-cut back on food
3. Refuel for School - Panda Express (12/15)-\$37 made
Panera Woodstock Jan 19th All Day
Chipotle Woodstock March 12 4-8pm
Other events?
4. Holiday Mall

Ongoing Business

1. Lunches - New orders in January, after return from holiday break-
 - a. Reorder date 1/24 due for 3rd quarter,
 - b. New orders to start the 29th-order forms go out 1/12,changes?
 - c. Change Monday, keep burger on Friday,change to marina and noodles-little worried about a noodle option with the feedback from butter noodles, breakfast/quesadilla? Noodle and Co? Are they an option? Lisa would be in for the pick up change. Jackie will talk to Breaking Bread and will call Noodle and Co to see if it is within the price point. Canes has had a price increase but doesn't affect us.

- d. Confirm Pricing
- 2. Refuel for School - Jess
 - a. Panera Woodstock Jan 19th,, All Day-Bfast date?
 - b. Chipotle Woodstock March 12, 4-8pm
 - c. Other Events?-Jackie will ask Noodles and Co for a refuel for school. Culvers for play nights? Ice skating rink(Crystal Lake) March dates we are off?Charles will call and see if we can work anything out. Pick a day when CLMS PG board members can go. Can teachers share events with the classes to encourage kids to share with parents? Get some excitement for events! PG would love help planning, executing and attending events for toddlers. If you are a toddler parent and have ideas, we would love to work with you!
- 3. Assemblies - Gwen and Renee Coordinating with school calendar. PG will fund.
 - a. Reptiles-reduced price last year they did 2-45min shows-Gwen says that worked last year, so will move forward. Whatever payment is needed to secure, EM will give to he
 - b. BMX dude-Renee sent dimensions of gyms and waiting to here back. CLMS will make dates work as needed when everyone is in school(no field trips)
 - Bubble Guy for littles-maybe link with Spring gardening day-very well attended event-Emily will call- April 11-1pm Toddler/EC event
 - Have enough in the budget for one more assembly this year-No dome this year
 - Science Tellers(may be a different name) link with science fair-if can't make happen this year, will book for Jan 2025

New Business

- 1. Valentines Dance-2/9- Dj booked-
 - a. \$20 per family to get in-
 - b. Sign up for snacks-will need sign up genius,order pizza(whole) ahead of time. Will offer pep, sausage, cheese, veggies, Lisa offered cotton candy, but we want to do it for the play so may save it for the play. Charge or give away?
 - For the play, will sell wrapped. Lisa will send Emily the bags she needs to package.
 - c. Coordinate decorating with room parents-that day-decorating the gym for the dance-have room parents send out-Charles will organize the decorations, lights are ready to go-2pm until dismissal? Mike had ideas for disco ball replacement-Charles will talk to Mike. Photo Booth? Photo Op is the way to go, need back drop, props, Sammi will make the back drop and our name in it. Sammi will talk to Heidi to see what she has from years past.
 - d. Volunteers bathroom monitor, food, Charles will update the flyer from last year-need links for cheddar up and sign up genius
- 2. Book Fair - Literati 2/23 - 3/1/24 - Jackie-purchasing at the beginning and at the end of the week. Need volunteers to help man it
 - a. Science Fair 2/23
- 3. Spring Market will try to get info out sooner than later to try and get more involvment
 - a. End of year shirt?-Slogan from Middle School again
 - b. Patrick's Plants?-Kelly will talk to Paytks to get the ball rolling
 - c. Riverside?-Charles will ask Cece to touch base to see if they are interested

d. Mulch?-only received 6 orders or so, do we still offer it? Very easy to work with Dalman's Photos?

Thoughts and how we shift. Mother's day options? Portraits to sell for family photos in holiday mall? Will include in email to see if there are any photographers in the community who would like to partner with the parent group to offer spring mini sessions to the CLMS community.