

Meadow Park Middle School PTO: Meeting Summary

Location: Meadow Park Middle School Library

Date: 4/13/16

Time: 3:45pm-4:45pm

Approximate number in attendance: 7

Meadow Park Middle School Asst Principal: Tina Myers

Meadow Park Middle School PTO Co-Presidents: Cyndie Pelto and Jennifer Yamashiro

Principal's Report

Outdoor school was a success

Preliminary news is that outdoor school will not need any additional funds.

\$2,000 will be set aside in 2016-17 to cover transportation costs of Outdoor school. Ask for an official request (RFF) for transportation costs so that PTO set aside funds for next school year.

Mesa Club has a competition at PSU to be held on 5/20/16. Need help with transportation costs; \$750 for 30 students. Jared will forward PTO an official amount.

Teachers have been asking about the token store. Jennifer will be back in store this week.

Jog-a-thon

Pre-planning for a Fall 2016 needed to happen before the end of the school year. There is consensus around the fact that improvements need to be made in order for it to be a more successful event for 2016-17 school year.

- MP student leadership could be involved in planning and advertisement.
- Solicit community sponsors
- Provide community in-service hours
- Look into Sunset HS's service day as a possible model
- The Jog-a-thon planning meeting has been scheduled for 5/10/16 at 9am in the MP Library.
- Kristin McCartney will be involved, Jared will be invited.
- Some LEP student families thought participation was mandatory, make sure communication is clear to all families.
- Have jog-a-thon flyer ready before the end of school year and have it translated.

Staff should send all 2016-17 budget requests to Jared, and Jared will forward along to the PTO.

8th Grade Updates

8th grade summa trip to Ashland is scheduled for May 25-27. 2 full scholarship requests and 1 partial.

8th grade celebration

No more popcorn sales.

GoFundMe account has been set up (<https://www.gofundme.com/agumduhg>)

Goal fundraising amount for celebration: \$2000-2500

Party will be similar to last year.

Jennifer will work with Jared or Carol around securing a limo.

Play-a-thon

Raised \$13,460.30 (reflects the matches received to date)

After all funds have been deposited, a check will be cut for the band.

Village Baptist Church event was a success, 900 seats were all filled

Concert prior to Play-a-thon was a success and helped raise needed funding.

Treasurer's Report

Not a lot going on.

GOTCHA incentives; More teachers will use this next year. New PBIS team for next year.

Other Business

SuperPlay, Former Valley Lanes came to meeting to give a quick presentation. Ideas of how SuperPlay could be folded into MP activities/fundraising efforts:

- Field trip for bowling. \$9 a kid.
- After 6pm wed/sun food,drink and activities are set aside for fundraising.
- 8th grade celebration.
- Can also set up a booth at MP.
- Prizes for the jogathon.
- Fundraising card cost is \$10 and then we can charge what we want and keep the margin of profit.

Facilities request (online) is confusing. Online system is called "School Dude"

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