PTA Meeting October 5, 2020

Motion to approve minutes - 1st Rochelle Hunt, 2nd Tonya Mast
Motion to approve budget - 1st Holly Harward, 2nd Tonya Mast

Thought by Holly Harward where she mentioned how she likes to watch “feel good” videos. She reminded us to be mindful of the people around us and find the small ways to be a light in someone’s life.

Old Business
- School shirts were distributed to the students. There were some issues with sizing. The shirts did not end up with the girls fit style as expected. Adults can still order through October 31st. Hoodies are now available online through the member hub store.

Teacher Grants
- Ms. Jiang wants $150 to order a variety of Chinese books for her curriculum. She has purchased the books and wants reimbursed for what she spent.
  Motion to approve this teacher grant - 1st Brittnee Morton, 2nd Bekka Knowlton
- Mrs. Trujillo wants to be reimbursed for supplies and materials she spent on supplies for guided groups and centers in her classroom. The total amount is $204.
  Motion to approve this teacher grant - 1st Brittnee Morton, 2nd Holly Harward

Maturation
- This program was postponed for now. It is not possible to combine classes at this time. Also, it is not an option to have a sex-education class at the school without parents able to attend.
- Discussed the option of an online class being available for this so parents and students can participate from home together.
- Maturation is a requirement and the online recommendation will be passed along to the school nurse.

Reflections
- Kathy reports no submissions have come in so far. A paper reminder with instructions needs sent out. The theme this year is “I Matter Because…”

Red Ribbon Week
- Cannot do assemblies at this time but the Health Department is supposed to record a video for the classrooms.
- Treats for each day (Bekka in charge of this)

Meet the Masters
- First video went out and it seemed to work well for all of the teachers.
- On November 6, a new video will be out. They will, once again, try to keep supply costs at a minimum and use supplies already found in each classroom to complete the second project.

**Book Fair**
- There will be no in-person book fair this year.
- The book fair will be online from November 5-18.
- Scholastic will not be shipping orders to any schools.
- Any order over $25 will qualify for free shipping and if it is under $25 the shipping is $2.49.
- Scholastic will send fliers for the school to use.
- Discussed ways to accommodate teacher wish lists this year. Discussed the option of sharing a google doc with parents or skipping teacher wish-lists this time.
- Discussed providing games such as a guessing game for kids in the library during SEP week.
- Discussed showing a highlight video link during library time to the students.
- Scholastic asks us to do a “principal promotion” to earn bonus scholastic dollars for the school.
- Discussed getting a large sign printed to promote the Book Fair.

**Calendar & Discussion Items**
- Mark would like to put together a school arts team. He would like parent reps who will meet four times a year to help promote arts in the school.
- Discussed final jog-a-thon plans. Lanyards they have at school can be used for their lap cards. Volunteers will be needed. Social distancing and masks will be required by volunteers. Water and popsicle setup will take place starting at 8:30 AM and the first group of students will start running at 9:10 AM.
- Mask requirements and other restrictions will not change in the school at this time.

Next Meeting will be held November 2, 2020