1. Welcome & Attendees

Rosette Lee, Azhar McNeal, Marlene Hurshman, Bobby Brinkley, Gussie Rose, Sue Barker, Tamara Larson, Carol Chase, Letitia Tenner, Anne Hooghart, Debbie Enger Eller, Prajna Kishore, Mr. Giddings, Lisa Brown, Shonda Brewer

1. November Meeting Minutes

Sue B. made a motion to approve the November meeting minutes. Seconded by Tamara L. The November meeting minutes were approved.

1. Treasurer’s Report

Not much changed from November. A request for Technology Fund was used (monies had been approved in November and budgeted for). The Art Fundraiser brought in $530. In addition, $812 will be added in December for a total of $1342! All the items were not sold, and the remaining art pieces will be sold in the Spring.

A motion was made by Anne H. to approve the November Treasurer’s Report and seconded by Shonda B. The motion was approved.

1. Admin & Teacher’s Report – Mr. Giddings

Brief introduction, he is the teacher advisor for Student Government (STUGO) a math teacher, primarily working w/Seniors. The decision to open the building and return to in-person classes will happen after break in January. Notification will come from admin. Via email. Hopefully by March the entire admin, staff, and teachers will have been vaccinated.

A question regarding what was going on with IB exams has not be made yet. Hopeful to have a definitive answer by January or February.

Details will be sent via email regarding NWEA testing for 6th through 12th graders after Holiday break to inform parents and students of testing review tips.

Mr. Giddings will be notifying admin of how teacher’s cancelling class at the last minute is going to be handled.

Mr. Giddings was not sure if a feedback survey had been sent to parents regarding the Parent/Teacher Conferences. He will notify admin regarding this issue.

1. Holiday Gift Baskets

Since we were unable to get into the building and assemble the gift baskets as was done in previous years. An Amazon Wishlist was created for home delivery. We have four options: Hillshire Farms Sausage & Cheese, Wood Trivets, Sweet Treats, or a Tea Set. We have 61 recipients and as of Monday (12.14) 46 had responded back. The baskets are planned to ship by January 1st. This is going through Amazon Smiles, so the PTO is receiving a percentage back. An email was sent to WIHI/WIMA parents asking for any amount donations. Our goal was $2500.00 and $2200.00 had been raised as of Monday, December 14th.

1. New Business

The admin sent a “thank you” to PTO for what has been done so far and the budget for upcoming “Teacher & Staff Appreciation”!

MLK Day – January 18, 2021

In the past we have worked with Souls of Hope (denim to make shoes sent to Africa) & renovations in the building. However, this year it will mostly be virtual. Mrs. Henson is the chair of the Diversity Alliance and she will share more with use asap.

Since the Art Fundraiser was such a success (HUGE THANKS to Letitia T., Tamara L., Ruby D. Kathy O., and Sue B.) another one will happen in the Spring.

We have been asked to leave reviews regarding your experience at WIHI/WIMA on the Good Reviews website.

Sue B. wanted to reiterate the needs of volunteer(s) to join the Treasurers’ Team.

As requested at tonight's meeting.  Here are the counselors, social worker and student support coordinators.

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