

Meeting Minutes

Thursday, Nov. 16, 2023, 6:00pm In-person Meeting called by Ashley Ptacek

In Attendance

Ashley Ptacek, Sue McMahon, Dee Larios, Carlye Sherrill, Jessica Erickson, and Wayne Ryder

Future Meetings

Third Thursday of the month @6:00pm

Discussion

Old Business:

- -- Café Zupas restaurant night: We earned \$474.
- --Book Fair: We may order a rug for the library with money earned. Discussed asking for more books for adults and less preschool books next time. Discussed limiting teacher wishlists to five books so more are available for the students.
- **--Trunk or Treat:** There was a good turn out. One hour was a good amount of time and one food truck seemed like enough.

New Business:

- --APEX: Will be January 8-12, and will have a Glow Run.
- --Applebees: Will be Jan. 20 from 8-11 am. Discussed adding another day since the event is so popular and we have a limit of 300 people. Will also ask if the 7th and 8th graders could serve on the second day to earn money for their Boston trip.
- --International Night: Moved it to Feb. 5 from 5:30-7:30 so it gives families more time to prepare.
- --Middle School Dance: Will be Feb. 16 from 6-8PM. Plan on serving pizza, popcorn, lemonade and water. Will do the glow theme again. Discussed using the same DJ.
- --**Teacher Appreciation:** We put together little Thanksgiving candy corn bags for the staff. In December we will be making little candy jars for the staff with hot cocoa.
- **--Restaurant Nights:** Discussed having Chipotle and Culvers. Also discussed maybe having student parliament serve at Culvers.
- --Vendor/Craft Fair: Discussed having it in the Spring instead, possibly on March 15-16. We should start advertising in January and have a sign-up for three weeks before the event.
- --Spirit Wear: We discussed how there is no spirit wear available to purchase. Carlye volunteered to look into it.

Upcoming Events-

- PTO Meeting: Thursday, December 14 @ 6:00 (one week early due to Winter break)
- APEX: January 8-12
- Applebees Flapjack Fundraiser: Saturday, January 20 from 8-11 AM.
- International Night: Monday, February 5 @ 6:00 (set-up at 5:30)
- Middle School Dance: Friday, February 16 from 6-8PM