

Monday November 18, 2019

PTO Meeting

Nicole Kardos - President

Amy Nazzarro – Vice President

Andrea Barman – Treasurer

Lauren MacKinnon – Secretary

22 members present

Principal's report

MCAS update – Silverhill did very well in 5th grade.

All results should have been received in the mail

New ways to bring up math scores – online math games to get students engaged

Class sizes are still large

Make sure you are sending water and coats with your children.

Reboot on PBIS – going over the rules of the school again.

Any items from lost and found will be donated after parent/teacher conferences.

Book fair (December 5th-12th)

Winter concert (December 4th)

ROARS assembly – (December 20th)

Title one night – Polar Express (December 18th)

Conferences December 11th 5-6:30 along with a bake sale

Funding Requests

- Ms. Alves and Mrs.Perez - Title 1 was Polar Express Night on December 18th (5-7:30 pm)
Pizza and Hot cocoa requested – Possible Partnering up with PTO. Suggestion made for Ms. Alves to create donation letter for Title 1 events in order for Title 1 team and PTO to obtain community donations for events
- Whiteboard for classroom. Mrs. Alves (Approved as a one-time reimbursement)
- Grade 3 – Native American speaker with full costume and acting (\$500). No funding approved at this time, Ms. Alves still gathering information on event (no confirmed date and time)
- Ms. Todd – minilessons books for ELA. Each mini lessons needs several books. Grades 1 is \$1200 and Grade 3 is \$1300. Ms. Todd is requesting \$1300 for text sets that go with each chapter. (approved pending funding)
- PBIS – voted for \$50 per teacher. Teachers will submit all receipts to PTO for reimbursement.

Silver Graphics update

- Last day today (November 18, 2019) for paper forms
- Online sales are open up through next Wednesday (11/27)

5th Grade Committee

- Allison Lenihan- Created a 5th grade email group, Facebook group, flyer, yearbook, banquet, tee shirt, slideshow and luau. Looking for many 5th grade parents to volunteer and help out. Maybe an outdoor option due to so many students and two guests. Draft a letter and ask for donations to help out.
- Setting up yearbook? Have many parents email photos of their children

Schoolwide yearbook

- Jenni Lu – Contacted Hockmeyer studio. \$7.50 for a 40 page yearbook for a school wide yearbook. Separate from the 5th grade yearbook. Jenni will form a committee to proceed (no PTO funding needed).

Upcoming events

Tuesday 11/19 – Restaurant night at Panera bread 4-8 pm

Friday 11/22 – Skateland!!!! Family skate night from 6-8 pm

Tuesday 12/10 – Holiday Shopping Night 4:30 – 8pm

Friday 12/13 – Restaurant Night @ Fuddrucker's (5-8pm)

Friday 2/7 – Silver Hill Night at Launch Trampoline park

Unconfirmed Events

Trivia Night – April – potential weeknight?

Meeting Adjourned 7:45