McGraw Elementary PTSO General Meeting Minutes March 29, 2022

Attendance:

PTSO Board Members: Rahshida Perez, Staci Nouri, Ethnie Treick, Corinne Roth

PTSO Members: Mitzi Berger, Lisa Daily, Heidi Warren

Staff: Amy Smith

Student Leadership: None

Minutes:

Rahshida called the meeting to order at 12:06 p.m.

We reviewed the minutes from the February 22, 2022 General Meeting. Staci made a motion to approve the minutes and Corinne seconded. The motion passed unanimously.

President's Report

Rahshida reported that Kris announced her intent to resign at the end of the year given a change in her available time. We will put an announcement in the Eagle Edition.

VP of Fundraising Report

Kris was unable to attend the meeting. Rashida reported that Chipotle Dining Out Night raised \$354.00. Painting With a Twist raised \$380.00. Rollerland is on May 20, 2022. Kris is looking for fundraising ideas for April.

VP of Events

Corinne reported that she's working to get Kona Ice for Running Club and the Book Fair from 2:15 p.m. to 4:15 p.m. on April 27. Student-led conferences are on May 3 and Corinne arranged for the Walrus to come from 2:30 p.m. to 6 p.m. that day. We discussed Movie Night on May 13 and possibly changing it to an indoor event. Corinne will research that option.

Treasurer's Report

Staci reported the following account balances:

Checking Account: \$14,787.66Savings Account: \$6,457.18Nature Center: \$2,355.18

PayPal: \$56.84

Staci reported that Amazon Smile brought in \$150.42 this quarter. Staci is investigating the \$5 deposit we received from Morning Fresh Dairy. She believes it is a mistake. Mo Whal, the parent who collects Morning Fresh Caps for us, is leaving the school at the end of the year and wants PTSO to consider whether or not we should continue the program. We will discuss this at our April meeting.

Secretary's Report

Ethnie did not have anything to report.

Principal's Report

Amy did not have anything to report.

Fund Requests

We did not receive any funds requests this month. Staci reported that following the March meeting, the Board received a request of \$1,339.98 to purchase a portable sound system for schoolwide events such as assemblies, spelling bees, music programs and presentations. The old system stopped working. The request was approved unanimously.

Old Business

Summer Events Flyer/Events Policy

We discussed adding community events to our PTSO calendar. Following discussion, we decided to hold off on this idea until next year.

Spring Book Fair

The Spring Book Fair will run from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. on April 25 to 29 and have a bookworm theme of "We Dig Books." Heidi Warren, Book Fair Committee Chair, reported that everything at the fair will be 25 percent off.

Teacher Appreciation Week

We discussed plans for Teacher Appreciation Week. Our budget is \$500. We determined the following tentative schedule. Corinne will finalize the details.

Monday -- Bring a flower for your teacher

Tuesday -- Write your teacher a thank you note and PTSO provides lunch or a coffee cart for all staff

Wednesday -- Wear teacher's favorite color or dress like your teacher and candy for all staff from PTSO

Thursday -- Breakfast burritos for all staff from PTSO

Friday -- Bath bombs and a gift card for all staff from PTSO

New Business

PTSO Officer Elections

We discussed nominations for BOD positions for next year. The election occurs at the May meeting. We will put information in the Eagle Edition about the positions and build excitement for next year.

May Meeting

Our May meeting will be virtual at noon on Tuesday, May 17 versus in person.

Open Floor

Staci said we should get Lorainne a retirement present. Rahshida will email the group.

The meeting adjourned at 1:12 p.m.