FCS PTO Meeting Minutes

**September 11, 2019 @ 3:30 pm in the Media Center**

**Attendance:** Bonnie Wagner, Laura Sisson, Sandy Thompson, Stacy Strickland, Lindsey Peters, Betsy Hardy, Rebecca Eagle, Kim Tucker

**Welcome**- *Bonnie Wagner*

Review June Minutes & approve for record

Motion to approve by: Laura Sisson, Second by: Lindsey Peters

**Treasurer’s Report**- *Stacy Strickland*

1. Balance- $1345.52

**Fundraisers**

1. Tote bags- Fliers went home this week with Elementary Students, sent to PreK-4 Homerooms, put in Mailboxes of teachers and staff, Posted on PTO Facebook webpage and Twitter
2. Homecoming- Set up to sell Tote bags and Smencils/Smens? – *Discussion, who can? When?*
   * *September 28th- Laura S. will post a sign-up on Facebook. We have two volunteers from the meeting today: Laura Sisson 1:00- 3:00 and Rebecca Eagle 4:00-600*

**Current Events**

1. Calendar- meeting conflicts due to games/concerts/etc.
   * Change October 9th meeting to 3:30 pm. Find an alternate location. Meet the Assistant Principal. Lindsey to bring cookies and Bonnie will bring drinks.
   * March 11th is also STEAM night. Will PTO be able take over the dinner on that evening in place of the regular 3:30 meeting? Group favorable to doing this.
2. Bonnie Wagner applied for “We Are” volunteer grant for $250 through Allstate-We did not get it. Bonnie W. applied for *ALDI grant* for lower economy districts and Re-Pitched the “Backpack” program to *Awesome of Buffalo* to see if we could gain financial support through their donations.
3. Open House- We will need to have people willing to help with Book Fair for Open House- will need to post on Twitter and Facebook with dates/times- Dani Newman will be sending Bonnie W. the dates. October 10th is Open House.

**Items anticipated to be accomplished before Open House:**

* + - * Photocopy/fold fliers
      * Print/cut up descriptions for sign-up sheets

**Administration Updates:**

* + The greeter seems to be going well. People just need to remember their license and then once in the system then they won’t need it.
  + Impero- This is part of our new filtering protection for those with laptops. It is the opportunity for teachers to view the screen of each student to make sure they are on task. Students can be blocked from any site. There is also a key word detection piece, (such as mental health) which alerts counselors. It also helps the Tech Office with the management end of the devices.
  + Apple Classroom is used at the elementary level.

**Open Floor**

* + On November 1st, PBIS will be having the Quarter 1 Accountability Event. If anyone is available that day from 8:30-12:15 that would want to volunteer to run centers of Minute to Win It Games and STEAM activities, please contact Kassi Bailey directly if you can help.
  + Bonnie Wagner spoke to administration about a coffee cart on Fridays. Anne West gave approval. Gina Stefani’s class will be running this cart. Profits will be shared. Coffee, Hot water/Tea, and snacks will be available.

**Motion to adjourn by: Laura Sisson**

**Second by: Lindsey Peters**

**Adjourned at 4:18 pm**