FCS PTO Agenda

**April 11, 2019 @ 3:39 in the Media Center**

Present: Bonnie Wagner, Laura Sisson, Bonnie Wagner, Katie Szwejbka, Sandy Thompson, Mike Dodge (Administration)

**Welcome**- Bonnie Wagner welcomed members to the meeting.

Review March Minutes & approve for records Laura Sisson motioned to approve, Sandy Thompson gave second; motion carried by common consent.

**Treasurer’s Report** -Laura Sisson

1. Balance-$1174.49- will be writing a check for $100 for field trip t-shirts for 2019/20 school year as well as money towards food bags for Spring Break

**Food Bags**

1. *Update-* Check to see if the Rapids would allow a donation jar at their concessions?-Kerr’s have been out of town so Laura Habecker will be checking with them upon their return.
2. Donation- Bonnie Wagner has received a donation of $1000 from a friend of past alumni Deborah Jo Polaski ’81 who passed recently. Deb was a teacher and in her memory, Renee Valles would like to support our Backpack Program in Deb’s memory. We will be sending a “Thank You” out soon to Renee.

**Fundraisers**

1. Fun Run for the Spring during Memorial Day Weekend –Bonnie updated us on it being before all the other events on Saturday Morning. Still trying to connect with Jodi Brown and Student Council, we have water donated and shirts as of right now.
2. General Fund
   1. Smencils-update Laura Sisson- Smens are all sold out currently, will order more
   2. Bonnie Wagner wrote a grant for $1000 that we can use for anything (food bags, Care Closet, etc.) through *Awesome of Buffalo*
   3. Bonnie Wagner wrote a grant through *Aldi* for $1000- hoping to get it to support the Wellness Committee/Backpack program for 2019/20 school year
3. Spring Craft Show- Kim C. update, have information from Adrene R. and her support to do one in the Spring, have put in to get approval from administration to do one next year before Easter/Mother’s Day.

**Upcoming Events**

1. Testing Treats
2. Smarties for ELA Testing-well received by staff and students
3. Math testing- completed by Laura Sisson, mints: will be handed out to teachers by Bonnie Wagner next week before break to be ready before testing after Spring break
4. Teach Appreciation-Monday: Mailbox Treat Tuesday: Administration, Wednesday: Taco Bar, Thursday: Fruit/Veggie Display, Friday: Mailbox Treat.

25 pounds of beef-donated for Taco bar

Laura Sisson Will check with Shop-n-Save and Hanson Farms for donations first and then post on PTO Facebook page for other needs, and contact volunteers to help.

1. Movie Night- we have decided that maybe a kickoff right in September outside would be a good start to the school year
2. Elections -May Voting: we have to talk to a few people, but think we have officers to take the places of those leaving.
3. Calendar-Potential dates for 2019-2020 meetings:

September 12, 3:30 pm

October 3, 6:30 pm

November 7 or 14, 3:30 pm

December 12, 6:30 pm

January 9, 3:30 pm

February 13, 6:30 pm

March 12, 3:30 pm

April 2, 6:30 pm

May 14, 3:30 pm

June 11, 6:30 pm

**Care Closet Needs**

1. Bonnie Wagner is working with local businesses to have a donation made to the Care Closet.
2. FROGS advisor (Sandy Thompson) did a Challenge for her group to bring in items. So far students are doing well.

**Extras**

Amy Chiu and Kari Mancuso asked us to support the Health Education of students by donating or help supply personal need supplies for hygiene. Bonnie Wagner is working with them to find donations through larger companies. Kim Cockle will look into marketing companies that have contacted the college in the past.

**Administration Updates** -Mike Dodge, talked about how “Awesome” he thought the gift for Teacher Appreciation were this year, he felt!

**Open Floor –** Katie Szwejbka spoke about taking leftovers from lunches and freezing them and sending them home on weekends with students, just like the backpack program. We will take it to administration and discuss further.

Laura Sisson motioned to adjourn, second Katie Szwejbka. Meeting adjourned at 4:25 p.m.