KES PTO Meeting

OCTOBER 9th, 2017

**Today’s PTO Meeting began at 7:45 a.m. Attendance included:**

Jamie Knight (1st Grade)

Jenny Ranick (PTO President)

Christie Carrera (PTO VP)

Erika Metzger (PTO Treasurer)

Kristi Sanchez (PTO Secretary)

Amy Sapp

Debbie Caro

Sarah Widerstedt

Jessica Misterly

Megean Naughton

**Treasurer’s Report**

* Erika reported an account balance of $10,555.39 which does not include our profit of $675.85 from *Chipotle’s* Spirit Night or an additional $450 for banner renewals.

**Staff and Bus Driver Appreciation**

* Upcoming Staff Appreciation for October is still scheduled for October 26th with *Applebee’s* providing lunch. Heather Altoum has graciously offered to take over Bus Driver appreciation events throughout the year. Thanks Heather!

**Fall Events**

* We have begun planning for the Fall Book Fair with Family Night to coincide on November 16th. Lots of fun ideas were discussed. Kids will receive a Passport to take with them as they pass through multiple stations throughout the evening, including the Book Fair. Jenny will be handling food for the evening, which everyone agreed would be Pizza, Chips & Drinks. Some of the ideas for stations included a Slime Station where the kids can make their own slime, a Paper Airplane Station, as well as others. Jessica will be putting a list of ideas together and the teachers will also be consulted. Sarah will attempt to contact the inventor of a unique Snow Cone Machine where the kids run on the machine to generate their own snow cone…sounds super cool! Megean will be reaching out to *Whitney Labs* and/or *Keepers of the Coast* to possibly set a station up. Tickets to ride the trolley for the *Nights of Lights* will also be sold during the night, as well as ‘chances to win’ for items from the *Collaborative* event. **There will be an additional planning meeting for this event specifically, which will take place on the morning of October 23rd at 8 a.m.**
* The fundraiser at *Collaborative* has been moved to Saturday night, November 11th. We established a tentative ticket price of $50 per person with a maximum number of 50 tickets to be sold. Tickets will be sold through the school. We will also be looking for $250 sponsorships for each category of STEAM, to start. Ericka will be reaching out to local businesses to provide items for auction. Christie is contacting local business owners who may be interested in providing food or sponsoring another part of the event.
* Upcoming Spirit Nights will include *Chick-Fil-A* on October 12th and *Zaxby’s* on November 7th.
* A Grandparent’s Breakfast will be held on the morning of November 17th in the gymnasium.
* Our Annual Costume Parade is scheduled for the morning of October 31st in the Bus Loop. R.S.V.P.’s have already gone out.

**Meeting Adjourned - Next Official Meeting Scheduled for November 13th at 7:45 a.m.**

***Thank you to everyone in attendance!***