01/09/2017 Scarlett PTSO Meeting Minutes

Attendance 12 people

PTSO Board members in attendance:

Sarah McCallum, Jennifer Szmansky, Lisa Jelic, Julie Johnston, Karen Winston-Brown, Stacie Jackson, Jenn Carlson

**Scarlett Staff**

Gerald Vazques (Principal), Chris Thomas

**Parents/Other**

Dana LaPointe O’Sullivan, Folake` Graves

Meeting called to order at 6:30 pm

1. Presidents Report
   1. Ray’s Red Hot’s
      1. Mobile food cart could possibly do concessions at sporting events. Would donate 10% of sales back to school. Min sales $500.
2. State Student Technology Showcase
   1. Chris Thomas – Thank you for the support, the students did well. 4 students attended and spoke about how and why they used technology in the classroom. Scarlett was the only school in Washtenaw County to attend the event. Asked to go to Cobo in March for the McCall conference.
3. Principal Report
   1. Gerald Vazquez
      1. IB visit in March- combination of years of hard work from the school community.
      2. IB polices- Why they are included in the weekly message
         1. Wants parents to know the policies that will be in place by the IB program. Wants to explain what they are as simple as possible.
         2. Block schedule –
         3. CCA teachers review this item with the students to help with any confusion. Signs throughout the building to help the students understand what block it is.
            1. Many IB schools across the nation use block schedules \* this may be the way of the future. Maybe 2 years out
         4. Thursday January 12 is IB night
            1. Parent asked if going to IB night would help them be able to explain what IB is?

Yes it will a bit. Will look into putting together talking points to help with this.

1. Agenda
   1. approved
2. PTOC update
   1. Transportation and safe routes a focus
      1. If you know of any concerning areas let A2 safe route know.
         1. Really want to work on the entire district not just one school.
         2. Need to educate students, parents, college students of safety
         3. #1 problem people not stopping at crosswalks
         4. Transportation and safety person at each school to help with safety
         5. Board increased bus driver pay to help with turnover
3. Treasurer’s Report
   1. Income total $2093.65

Catalog Sales: $17.00

School Store/Spirit wear: $405.48

Kroger: $189.83

Athletics $200.00

Misc. Income $1281.34

Debits Total: $3,311.78

Catalog Sales $476.57

Winter Carnival $785.63

Academic Society Medals $714.65

Spirit Wear: $594

Zap zone $740.93

1. School dance

Feb 10 6-8 tie dye cost $3.00 \* look to student council to do posters to help promote the dance. Any left over money can go to them.

* 1. Spring Dance – semi formal – maybe early May
     1. Light refreshments at both dances

1. Winter Carnival
   1. March 10 is the carnival
      1. Help is needed! Still need items for the silent auction
      2. Games and tables are all set
         1. We purchase 70 pizzas for $140. Looking to get items donated from Chili’s and Wendy’s
         2. Wrist bands will pre sell at $10 or $15 at the door
2. Zap Zone and other events
   1. Next event 2/16
   2. More aware of the money in and out
      1. Need to be more aware of actual tickets
3. Restaurant nights
   1. 1/25 Chipotle
      1. 50% donated back to the school
      2. 4-8 pm
      3. You can order online and pay at the door to avoid the lines,
   2. Still working on locking in a date for Leo’s to help support the 8th grade trip
      1. Jenn will try to lock this in.
4. Open Discussion
   1. Would like to purchase clear bins for silent auction/ raffles. All the same size for easy storage.
   2. Do we have a box top container? This would give other options for collection of box tops.

Meeting adjourned at 8:02