



PFA Executive Committee Meeting Minutes from October 29th 2022 @ 0830 hours

In Attendance: Lisa Miller (PFA President), Lisa Olson (12th Gr. Rep), Kate Cromwell (Dir. of Comm/Engagement), Nina Blassengale (5th Gr. Rep), John Tichy (Treasurer), Patricia Kolb (5th Gr), Tiffany Murrell (Sec), Amelia French, Chari Voss (12th Gr. Rep), Michael Moss (6th Gr. Rep), Karen Flagger, Tewelde Tesfagabir and Ericka Oliver(10thGr. Reps)

1. School Update (Kate Cromwell)

Latin Pride; Over 250K raised with a participation rate of 78%. After wrap ups, Latin Pride results will be posted. Families can certainly donate after the end of Latin Pride. Fundraisers will not take place at the Cooper campus at this time.

2. Review of Fall Festival

Many thanks to all who helped make the festival a success. Feedback is welcome and encouraged. Ideas for next year include possible movies on the lawn and/or a field day? IT was noted that the students were not Enthusiastic about the after prom party. All ideas should be budget friendly. Email Lisa with ideas and feedback.

3. Website Update - PFA committee members are asked to submit pictures to update the PFA website.

4. Treasurer Report (John Tichy)

Budget was approved. If anyone is looking to be reimbursed for school related expenses, please fill out the budget form, include receipts and send it to John.

Teacher Holiday Gifts will be a card with a monetary amount. Updates will follow.

5. November Activities

Parent/Teacher Conference PotLuck - November 11th at the 2nd Street campus.

There will not be conferences at the Cooper campus.

Volunteers are needed to set up for the "perfect pot-luck". A Volunteer sign up email will be circulated soon.

6. December Activities

Cooper Parent Social: Updates to follow. A potluck is being scheduled for Dec 11th.

7. January Activities

Grant Process - Volunteers needed to be on the committee.

Reach out to Lisa if interested in volunteering.

There is 10k available for teacher grants this year.

8. Parent/Family Get-togethers

Scheduled virtually or in-person get togethers are encouraged before the end of the calendar year. Ideas included Anacostia Skate park. Additional ideas??? Please let Lisa know.

Meeting Adjourned