

## Minutes 2/12/20

6:05pm

### Attendance:

Pres- Caleb, VP programs – Lani, Mike Advocacy – Shawana, Teacher rep- Jessica,  
Treasurer- Hilary, asp admin - Claire

Caleb intro self. Everyone went around to introduce themselves.

### Agenda:

Treasurers report: Printed for details.

140k in the bank, there are a lot of things coming and going in the ASP.

Donations- stagnant

Donner Photo will cut check this week

Hookers Night Out - \$6462 square & Eventbrite & \$1600 donations

ASP income - \$171k on track with revenue

Expenses- admin, childcare, insurance paid for year, online- Jumbula, legal fees, payroll processing continues. Software will run out next Oct

Staff appreciation

Hookers night out expenses (?)

Contractors for ASP will be less \$56k

ASP supplies there is room in the budget

Common Ground is paid for half of the year, same as fall – for 3 sessions, need to rework the numbers

Clubs- Find out stipend

Mrs. Cav- art supplies

Chess club stipend

No homework club

Math counts to mr. langstaff, Science Club- mr. Jones?

MYB is underway

Science Fair is happening- Mr. Jones, need to find out about 5<sup>th</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> grade one- Mr. Shortt

Should teachers have a deadline for receipts? June 1 will be deadline.

Equipment & Tech

Field trips

Principals fund

Allotted money for teachers to spend on science. NH curriculum is not national standards but may become national standards. Don't want to invest in materials until we know what the science curriculum will be the same as the City. No science kits were given from the city this year. Jessica has complained to the Board of Ed.

Spanish text books at the beginning of the year

Yearbook? Is it later in the year- Mrs. Rivera

CPR training- on Kate's list. 4 hour training for ASP.

Events & shows- 8<sup>th</sup> grade musical will use funds

Mr. Stone has purchased stuff for field day.

Math coach planning math night

Stem night?

Lunar new year that didn't happen, parents were reimbursed. Save decorations for next year.

Goal was to be \$50 below budget.

We spent money on AsP director, scholarship fund, math software, robotics

New board- what can we afford to pay for next year? Room for discussion.

### **Principals report:**

Jessica may report for Principal. Hope MM will be back after February. Monday after break.

### **ASP news –**

Claire presented Kate as our new director of the ASP

Kate shared how excited she is to be the new director.

Face to the behind the scenes!

Need professional staff to manage this amazing program. Mrs. A & Mrs. D have done such a wonderful job – as these last few years of updating to online we have expanded so many programs. Excited as one of the roles of the director to be a constant with the program.

### **Presidents report:**

Hookers night out was a success. Not too much work and its been sustainable. Need a new person in charge since Anna won't be doing it anymore.

Need to decide what other events we want to make happen this spring.

People in the room to take on a few events- anti bullying is happening

- Spring Fair – May 9
- International Potluck/barbeque
- Teacher appreciation lunch - Alana
- Talent show – sign up sheet, fundraiser for st. judes, auditions with Ms.Ankuda
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- **Community Breakfast** – Mike & Peter March 22 11-3, kids serving, greeters \$10/ticket \$3 to Rudy's Pizza flat bread, veggie burgers, sliders, fries & salad, Mrs. A will help with door prizes for a raffle

### **Elections committee** – need to get people on this committee

Need President & Treasurer for next year

Made the job a little easier – so we can possibly hire a bookkeeper

By June, we will need new people to step into these positions-

June 30 budget ends, nothing budgeted for the next year. Work on getting some of the budget approved by June 30 so teachers can go into the year with money to spend. The PTA will have to approve of that.

**Jessica**- it might be a good idea to set aside money for new teachers. It costs a lot of money to set up the room. Not predicting people are leaving- new people setting up room could use it ahead of time. New teachers can maybe have a few extra hundred dollars- can go into the budget process for next year.

**Mike** – we are going to break even and wants us to think about the money in our budget and how its accounted for.

## **Nominations committee-** finding people to run

What do you do- talk to current officers to find out if they will stay, try to recruit

Claire Rowe

Marie Ackerman

No event committee

List of people who signed up for Hookers Night Out

As part of the SPMT – community forum to have school and parents to join together for anti-bullying, kindness, how can parents support what the school is doing. Assuming MM likes the idea, we are having an anti-bullying forum. Reach out to others to bring parents in.

Cyber safety is something to think about for parents & students.

Coronavirus – what school is doing, parents, PTA

PTA wrote a letter about what the city and school district is doing. Dealing with this isn't PTA biz but the connections to how to proceed.

Claire- not super concerned but wanted to know what school is doing. Donna is in contact with district. Yellow letter was the response. She can't say have nurse go into every class. Admin is stuck b/w parents with concerns and district doing their thing. Our alderwoman – Anna Festa reached out to Keisha- Superintendent in charge of our school, we can use Anna to help us. Get the numbers out so if they see a huge number of parents concerned they can address that. What is the concern? We have the pathways to reach the superintendent. Decide as a community-

Want to know what they are doing- what is the plan- Mayor is thinking about. Go to CDC for information.

Our school is having the nurse screen all new additions. Washing hands twice a day. Parents- want to know if any new students coming to school are staying home for the 14 days. Parents can't tell the other families- but want to make sure the school is having new students do the 14 days. Today is a new student from China- she was sent to school after 7 days of staying home. Chinese parents group have been working hard at this but this new family sent the child home after 7 days instead of the 14 days. We don't know the new students- and don't know if they were quarantined. New student coming from the affected area- even with no symptoms the virus can still be spread. How to prevent this from happening to our school? This is hard- don't want to push for school to do something.

Can the school nurses handle it?

The concern is the 14 days latency period.

District issue- not completely a school issue. The district has to do something. They need to mandate.

We have a letter that a lot of people have signed. Sally asked parents to sign names. Tension with administrators.

PTA will help get the letter into the right hands.

Change.org – other schools involved.

Chinese community feels that this is an urgent matter

Being in another country and not knowing the roles so as a PTA we can help with the roles and how to support this- with the policy of the city.

Get more online. Very reasonable. – collect signatures on a google doc.

Ask Sarah Miller if she will help us.  
Sending it on our mailchimp.

Cake for Rhonda!  
Yum