

# **AV-W Parent Group Meeting Minutes**

**February 8, 2022**

**Call to Order: 8:10 a.m**

**Present:** Stacey M, Nancy C, Carrie M, Sarah B, Peggy E, Vanessa G, Mrs. Savel

## **Secretary Report:**

Secretary reported that the January meeting minutes were sent to the Parent Group (PG) and posted to AV-W Parent Group section on the school website.

## **Treasurer Report:**

Not much activity recently. Valentines supplies cost approx. 900.00. Mid year grants were communicated and greatly appreciated by staff.

## **Staff Report:**

School Board Meeting next week. 6-8th grade playground equipment housed in base camp due to students leaving items outside. Mrs. Savel will talk with recess monitors about giving students another try with the equipment with reminders to either bring it in or have it inaccessible for use. Gymnastics team is going to do a school wide showcase later today for students. Iditarod is coming up for third grade along with grade specific winter adventures.

## **Valentines:**

Orders are coming in slowly this year. Sarah ordered items which are accounted for and she will pick up flowers on Friday. Carrie is going to make labels for candy heart boxes that the PG will give to each student.

Members will meet on Thursday Feb. 10th to start sorting and counting orders at 2 p.m. Stacey M, Peggy E, Maggie F, Carrie M, Sarah B, and Nancy C, all able to be there to help.

Friday Feb. 11th members will continue with sorting and assembling of orders at 8 a.m. Sarah B, Carrie M, and Peggy E, all able to help.

Monday Feb. 14th at 7 a.m. Members will finish putting together the orders and distribute to classrooms. Sarah B, Carrie M, Stacey M, Nancy C, and Peggy E, all on board to help with distribution.

**Father/Daughter Dance:**

Discussion held regarding the feasibility of holding the dance this year. The group does not have any member able to be in charge of this event. In the past it was a wonderful event, however, it does consume a lot of time and energy to make this event a memorable and successful one. Historically the dance is held a week or two after Spring Break. In light of Covid and the increase in illnesses after families travel, the group decided it would be appropriate to not have this event this year.

**New Business/ Other Fundraisers:**

Group discussion around small spring fundraisers. Ideas discussed include; selling doughnuts (coordinating with 8th grade so we do not overlap), selling popcorn, and bringing back the After School Snack Cart.

After a lengthy discussion it was decided to try the Snack Cart after school. The group would want it available on a consistent basis and therefore would reach out to staff and groups, as we did in the past, and proceeds from the cart would go to the group that was staffing it for that particular day. PG would still be purchasing the snacks and would also staff the cart a couple times a month. The group also decided to sell doughnuts in the mornings, however, will coordinate this with the 8th grade crews.

Start dates for both of these will be decided at the next meeting.

**Meeting Adjourned: 9:00 a.m**

The upcoming Parent Group Meeting will be held on Tuesday March 8, 2022, at 8am in the AV-W Parent Group room.