

PG Meeting Minutes 2/10/26

1. **Call to order** 8:00am
2. **Present:** Joe Pilarski, Maggie Fossen, Alexandra Nor, Erin Konkel, Alysa Hedstrom, Alyssa Robison, Jason Thomas, Melissa Thatcher, Jessica Hatch Johnson, Carrie Morris, James Hinterleitner
3. **Secretary Report:** none
4. **Treasurer Report**
 - a. Joe sent around balance sheets etc for everyone to look over, no major updates
5. **Staff Report**
 - a. Jocelyn: Mr. Sid Hunter was approved by the school board, to be the new principal. Email will be sent to families today. She discussed the attendance goal, DPI gives a rating for attendance and links it to test scores. Jocelyn gave us a report showing what field work/adventures PG funded. She will show us throughout the year what adventures/fieldwork the kids are doing that we helped to fund. She included upcoming events testing/no school days etc in her printout.
6. **Fundraisers**
 - a. Culver's night update
 - i. Definitely a success! The cold might have hurt things a bit, but for 4 hours of work it was definitely worth it. Lots of kids had fun and it was fun to see some teachers/staff there. Brought up the idea of maybe trying to do it in the summer. James brought up trying to run a brat stand at Save more during the summer as a fundraising idea
 - b. Spring Apparel order
 - i. All higher end options this round (except for the crew sweatshirt), feedback shows that the options were too expensive, some we might not have met the minimum # of items, we typically keep prices lower so families can afford it but this was an attempt at an additional apparel order. Next year for spring if we do 2nd order, we would probably include several of the fall apparel order items in case people missed out or wanted another size, and just a couple higher end items. Discussed sending a feedback survey to the bigger PG group to see what they liked and what was lacking. Next year we will try to have the Fall apparel form ready at Meet&Greet, and maybe re-try the blanket fundraiser as a separate thing.
 - c. Valentine's
 - i. Volunteers are set for helping friday morning with last minute orders, and friday afternoon for delivering valentines to classes
 - d. Kringles
 - i. Kringles Fundraiser was brought up as an idea, discussed sending out an order form before spring break. Looking into what company might be the best option.
 - e. Color run: The next meeting is 2/24 at 8am. Joe reached out to staff asking if the student advisory council would be available, to reach out to businesses like last

year. The business sponsorship form will also be sent out to all families in case they own a business or want to sponsor as a family.

- f. Date night
 - i. No update, still on hold

7. Service efforts

- a. Teacher appreciation 2/24, we discussed Nachos restaurant "Taco Tuesday", Carrie thought about bringing a crockpot with cheese/chips and she will call Nachos to see what their cost would be for a taco bar. Erin will send out a sign up genius to the larger PG group for beans/salads/desserts/drinks to be dropped off that morning by 10am. Volunteers are set to help set up the food.
- b. May 15th is the next teacher appreciation and we will do some raffle baskets at that one

8. New Business

- a. Penny war? Since pennies are going away. Coin challenge in April?

9. Mr Curtis

- a. Head of maintenance: discussed a project that has been talked about for several years, outdoor seating/classroom space possibly with natural risers, with rubber pad, or a pavilion. A small grant was obtained for outdoor seating and we can combine that with what we are wanting to do for this project (Per Jocelyn). We need to set up a committee for this project as it will be a big undertaking.

Meeting adjourned at 10:02am