

Shirley Hills PTA Meeting Agenda May 24th, 2021

Welcome

Katie C, Erica N, Betsy C, Megan C, Tirish, Carla, Caroline

Approval of Minutes Tirish and Katie

Share our Success

1. Culvers online ordering
 - a. Parents confused on only Navarre location.
 - b. Employees didn't really know it was a fundraiser
 - c. A bit rocky for online ordering
2. Book fair
 - a. Parents cannot attend – also not overlapping with super team day allowing parents so likely not as successful
 - b. Should be back to normal next year!
3. Teacher appreciation week
 - a. Teachers loved their meals
 - b. Retirees and such got little gifts and they loved them!
 - c. Teachers really like the subway idea. Thinking they like it better than the buffet/potluck from the past
4. Campout
 - a. Small – only like 20 kids
 - b. Movie was good and people enjoyed it
 - c. Make sure people know the whole family gets to go!
5. 4th grade outing
 - a. Kids loved it but hard without parent volunteers
 - b. Still did a journal and such
 - c. Wasn't the big experience wolf ridge would have been, but it was fun!
 - d. Sweatshirts were really great and kids loved them.

Principal Report

1. Eidness/Lhotka not here

Teacher Report

1. Super Team Day – moved to Wednesday
2. Ten count down has started – fun themed days!
3. Representatives for next year:
 - a. Reg Ed: Leanna Kepp
 - b. Sped: Lezley Chase

Board Reports

- President
- Vice President
- Treasurer
 - Current Year Budget Up to Date and reviewed
 - \$17.5k made for carnival!
 - PTA EZ Fee will be paid in May now going forward instead of October
 - Budgeting new project for Music – Mrs Bray
 - Drumline shirts that are reused each year, not a take home
 - Reaching out to more people to get some quotes on this budget
 - Definitely think they can make this work as an investment!

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- Upping the homecoming budget for 21-22 to \$1000
 - Erica and Katie Approve
- What teachers spend their money on
 - Valentines, Books, Classroom supplies, reading rewards, student holiday books/gifts, treats, DOJO rewards, bookshelves, storage bins, etc.

Chairperson Reports

1. 1st day of school supply orders
 - a. Sold just under 200 school supply boxes last year – we are at 60 right now
2. Spots open for chairperson for events
3. Adventure in Art – Was a program created by Tirish, and before that an MIA program – Maybe look at creating a whole new thing for this year
 - a. A lot of work – see more details below under calendar event
4. Imagination Fair – maybe get it more classroom involved? Needs to be live again
 - a. Parents struggled a lot with the technology of it
 - b. Teachers are always the judges

Old Business

New Business

Back to school BBQ - food trucks

1. If we can congregate, then we have food trucks and people can buy whatever they want
2. Maybe we do something where someone else provides the food and we just serve
3. Breakfast for dinner?
4. Kona was an awesome experience – kids loved that
5. Maybe serve it like the past carnivals – soda, water, chips, pizza

Read-a-thon in early spring 22'

Teachers - breakfast or lunch preferred

21-22 School Year Calendar of Events

1. Art – Betsy has new idea this year now that Tirish will be gone. Kids create something and then hang them all around the school – for example they did origami this year and then hung them all throughout the cafeteria.
 - a. Create a collaborative piece with the kids
 - b. Maybe also incorporate something with the carnival
2. Carnival – will we keep Saturday?

Carnival Pet Booth - Sell during school again in 2022?

1. Yes, and great advertisement for the carnival coming up
2. Work through how to pay for tickets – students didn't know if they had paid for them yet or not, and teachers had to check
3. Kids loved how it worked this year

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Vote for officers for 21-22 School Year

1. Unanimous vote by all in attendance
 - a. Betsy Christian (President)
 - b. Kari Martinson (VP)
 - c. Megan Cegla (Treasurer)
 - d. Erica Navickas (Secretary)

Review and vote budget

1. Reviewed budget that was printed out
 - a. Calendar to sell for next year
 - i. Kids may get upset if they don't make it into the calendar
 - ii. Not sure we want to use photos because of the masks all year in every photo and not wanting to put that back out there next year
 - iii. Maybe move the calendar to a Jan-Dec Calendar to have more time in early year
 - iv. Take photos and use Art from early part of school year 21-22 and sell for the 2022 Calendar Year instead of school year calendar.

Upcoming Events & Announcements

EVEREVE May 26th, 2021

Super Team Day May 26th, 2021 – Moved to Wednesday due to weather forecast

Last day of school June 4th, 2021