

4/14/2021

Commenced: 6:17 pm

Welcome—Amy Cooper, president

Attendance: Roxanne Acquaro, Amy Cooper, Terri Ahern, Ann Sokalski, Marla Rzeszotarski, Nicole Kutzner, Paul Noro, Courtney C, Jess Panza, Erin Berdik

## School News-Dr. Noro, principal

- Mitigation efforts going well, only 2 class room closures
- Suzanne Osche doing great as school nurse. She has been handling the contact tracing for covid at Kerr.
- There will be a Camp Allegheny experience however not traveling to Camp Allegheny
- Coming up with positivity campaign
- Family Fun Night tomorrow
- Diversity & Equity Committee theme for this and next month Volunteerism. Goal to meet actual volunteers in person next year
- PSSAs in May, there is a plan for the virtual students
- Recess moved from bus loop to main parking area

## Upcoming

• Virtual Events (Ann Sokalski, Dir. of Fundraising)

- 4/13/21 Build-A-Fox 128 FCASD students participated
  - o 4/16 Pittsburgh Night Sky, 6:30pm physics professor will be hosting
  - o 4/26 Virtual Whale Watch, 5:30pm zoom to California engineer

 $_{\odot}\,$  5/2 Shapes and Strength, 10:00 am – play/build with marshmallows and toothpicks

- "Summer Send Off" (Amy)
  - BMX Show 6/3 outdoors on the parking lot 2 shows
  - Still have shirts and a frozen treat for each student
  - Yearbooks should be in by then
- Fundraisers (Ann) upcoming
  - Spring Raffle! May 21<sup>st</sup>
    - Live drawing prizes all around \$125
  - Spring Flower Sale
  - Dine and Donate Chipolte 5/12
  - Mulch made \$80 so far, will donate up to \$30/order

## **PTO Updates**

• Treasurer Report

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- $\circ$  Audit completed for July 2020-Dec 2020 caught up for this year
- Review Budget Report
  - Fundraising Updates (Ann Sokalski, Dir of Fundraising)
    - Dine & Donates
    - Virtual Events made money instead of costing money
    - Read a thon –
    - Sarris \$415 for spring chocolate
    - Winter Flower Sale

Terri Ahern – 5th grade Committee

- 5<sup>th</sup> grade only outdoor movie night
- 5<sup>th</sup> graders wanted to give garden gifts and outdoor movie screen to the school

Scholastic Book Fair

- Kerr PTO will still purchase a book for each student
- Most will be ordered online, not walking around a room, selections will be available on a tablet
- Nomination Committee (Erin Berdik, chair)
  - Nominations being accepted for the positions of President, Director of Fundraising, and Secretary
    - Nominations
      - President Terri Ahern
      - Fundraising Roxanne Acquaro
      - Secretary working on it
- Bylaws Vote
  - Changing board member titles:
    - Vice President of Programming (currently Vice President)
    - Vice President of Fundraising (currently Director of Fundraising)
  - No opposition noted, all members agreed to change names of positions

District Forum—Maureen Lynch, Kerr Representative – looking for another representative

Motion to approve the minutes – Ann Sokalski motioned to approve, Roxanne Acquaro seconded

Motion to close – Terri Ahern motioned to approve, Roxanne Acquaro seconded

Last Meeting: 5/18 at 6:15pm

Adjourn: 7:07 pm