

Board Members: ; Cheri Shoup, President-Elect; Josh Kitchen, Treasurer; Jennifer Thorndyke, Secretary

Welcome and call to order at 6:35 pm.

Introductions: Board members and meeting attendees.

Review of October meeting: Minutes from the October Meeting- approved

Principal's Report: Traffic and changes. 30 more days of current intersection with crosswalk on the South Side of the intersection. Good turn out with people helping! Third Grade - longer lunch period by five minutes since they are the largest class size. NCAS results released on Gator Tales, individual will go home at the end of the week (current 4th and 5th grader). Youth frontiers two weeks ago - survey going out to the 4th graders. School District going through the strategic planning for school. Mission Statement and Action plans. Next three months writing new Action Plans for the school. Anyone can serve on the team if they are interested. The SIT ultimately decides on the final plan.

Treasurer's Report: Everything in from the Walk A Thon around what we budgeted for.

Secretary Report: none

Committee Updates:

- **Movie Nights (Maureen Kitchen)**
 - 115 for Aladdin night; next on in February
- **Youth Frontiers (Ashley Liston, Amanda Freestone):**
- **Walk-A-Thon (Erika Rooney):**
- **Fifth Grade Farewell (Kristy Gotchall) No update**
 - Meeting tonight to start planning.
- **Yearbook (Jackie Ryba)**
 - Orders are coming in - 215 orders currently. Current cover has been created. Only 12 left for 5th grade dedication.
- **Cash Rewards/Incentive Programs (Robin Mattes)**
 - Facebook has been updated with who has been winning.
 - Boxtop App - download the app and take a picture.
 - HyVee is on TAGG - you can double dip with the receipt and with TAGG
- **Social/Welcome Committee (Marci,)**
 - Ensuring dates are reserved for Snowflake Breakfast.
 - SignUp Genius, any types of desserts for the Cake Walk
 - 8-10:30am January 18th
- **Bricks (front entry):**
 - one this year
- **Buzz Book(Laura Hensley):**
 - Sent the preliminary file to the printer, waiting to hear back within the next week.
 - Online access has been given already.

- Allowing room parents to send emails to the whole class is more complicated. . Looking into creating directions to help them.
- **Fun night (Holli Vessley):**
 - 1st and 3rd - well attended. 4th, 5th and K left
 - Kindergarten night - Dec 10 to glue milk carton to bases, then another day for construction. Need volunteers!!! Bring 5th graders to help.
 - December 12th is the Gingerbread House making
- **Dancing Classrooms:**
 - Starting when we get back from break. Art in Motion puts it on here in Omaha. 10 weeks of 40-45 minutes of Ballroom dancing lessons. Also learn etiquette and kindness.
 - Kids will not miss PE/Music this year.
- **Original artwork (Debbie Smith):**
- **Classroom Party Volunteer Coordinator (Kristy Gotschall):**
 - Ms. Hale's class needs a special occasion volunteer.
 - Halloween Parties went well - a few Thank You notes were sent to the PTO. .
- **Hospitality (Erin Barry and Stephanie Ludwig):**
 - Dinners were great! Sign up was full. .
- **Volunteer Recruitment and Recognition Committee (Carri Dyer, Jocelyn Nickerson):**
 - New Parents Amigo gift certificates! Use those at Amigos night on the 7th. .
 - Sending out an email to vote for teacher/staff/support person of the month.
- **Educational Grant and Scholarship Committee:(Elena Nieto)**
 - New people on the committee - all K parents.
 - Teachers submitting a variety of requests from incentives to flexible seating.
 - School money vs. PTO money - going through to see where the \$4000 cap can be set.
 - School is going to pay for the PE supplies so that the grants can stay within \$4000.
 - Motion approved to pass all grant requests.
- **Carnival**
 - Monday Nov 18th 8pm Scooters 156/Maple the carnival committee is meeting to begin planning. Hoping to have new parents to come.

Announcements:

- Public meeting in January because district is proposing a bond.

New Business:

- Holiday Store - Fundraiser/ order form/ will have people on site to wrap presents that kids purchase. We get 20% of the profit. - decided not a good idea at this time.
- Reimburse for Youth Frontiers to Mandi Freestone for making sandwiches.

Adjournment: 7:46pm

Next Meeting is Tuesday, January 7th

Grace Abbott PTO 2019/2020 Income Statement July 2019-June 2020

	Budget			As of 11/5/2019 Actual			Variance
	Income	Expense	Net	Income	Expense	Net	Favorable /(Unfavorable)
Committees:							
F Buzz Books	450.00	650.00	(200.00)	420.23	498.83	(78.60)	121.40
Carnival	10,000.00	6,500.00	3,500.00	-	-	-	(3,500.00)
Cash Rewards (BoxTops, HyVee, Bakers)	3,500.00	300.00	3,200.00	1,187.75	-	1,187.75	(2,012.25)
F Educational/Classroom Grants	-	4,000.00	(4,000.00)	-	-	-	4,000.00
F Fifth Grade Farewell	3,500.00	4,000.00	(500.00)	-	-	-	500.00
F Fun Nights	-	400.00	(400.00)	-	-	-	400.00
F Hospitality	-	2,500.00	(2,500.00)	10.00	1,402.52	(1,392.52)	1,107.48
Movie Nights	500.00	300.00	200.00	213.55	222.91	(9.36)	(209.36)
Movie License (district pays for)??	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Original ArtWorks	4,500.00	3,150.00	1,350.00	-	-	-	(1,350.00)
F Scholarships	-	2,000.00	(2,000.00)	-	-	-	2,000.00
Social: Open House/Snowflake Breakfast	2,100.00	1,550.00	550.00	-	140.00	(140.00)	(690.00)
Volunteer Recognition	-	150.00	(150.00)	-	-	-	150.00
Walk-a-thon	23,000.00	8,000.00	15,000.00	23,192.91	7,437.46	15,755.45	755.45
Yearbooks	3,900.00	3,600.00	300.00	2,639.00	-	2,639.00	2,339.00
F Youth Frontiers	1,000.00	2,800.00	(1,800.00)	-	1,145.00	(1,145.00)	655.00
Special Projects:							
Entry Way	300.00	100.00	200.00	-	-	-	(200.00)
MPS Fnd Donation (10% of WAT)	-	1,500.00	(1,500.00)	-	-	-	1,500.00
Update to Projectors	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dancing classrooms	-	2,100.00	(2,100.00)	-	-	-	2,100.00
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Non-Committee Items:							
F Babysitting	-	280.00	(280.00)	-	35.00	(35.00)	245.00
F Crossing Guard	-	3,960.00	(3,960.00)	-	770.00	(770.00)	3,190.00
F Enrichment Days (Geo Bee Awards)	-	55.00	(55.00)	-	-	-	55.00
Girls on the Run	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
F Hardship Fund	-	200.00	(200.00)	-	-	-	200.00
Interest Income	100.00	-	100.00	64.35	-	64.35	(35.65)
F Miscellaneous Donation/Expenses	-	300.00	(300.00)	250.54	46.67	203.87	503.87
F PTO Today Membership/Insurance	-	700.00	(700.00)	-	-	-	700.00
F Traffic Volunteers	-	3,000.00	(3,000.00)	-	-	-	3,000.00
Watch Dogs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	52,850.00	52,095.00	755.00	27,978.33	11,698.39	16,279.94	15,524.94
			755.00				

11/5/2019	
checking:	\$ 17,910
money market:	46,669
Total:	64,579
Less this year remaining funding	(15,525) net actual
Less: 1 year funding ¹	(19,895) FY21 cover
"Available" Funds:	29,159