

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

Welcome and call to order at 6:33 pm.

Introductions: Board members and meeting attendees.

Principal's Report: There are 14 new students that started at Abbott this week. Approximately 5% of students at Abbott are remote learners. Masks, sanitizing, and social distancing is still being implemented. Miss Powers started in 2nd grade today.

Treasurer's Report:

Kristy G. coordinated the staff gives. We broke even with parent donations. If we do nothing else for the rest of the year we should break even.

If there are any extra funds PTO funds can we possibly consider donating to Karl for all of his extra time and effort.

Secretary Report: no report

Committee Updates:

- **Movie Nights (Maureen Kitchen)**
 - No report
- **Youth Frontiers (Amanda Freestone):**
 - They were going to try to do something in the spring but it is not looking like it will take place due to current circumstances.
 - Deposit was already put down. If the event is canceled we can look into rolling it over to next school year (21-22)
- **Walk-A-Thon (Erika Rooney):**
 - No report
- **Fifth Grade Farewell (Erika Rooney)**
 - No report
- **Yearbook (Jackie Ryba)**
 - Jackie is working on the dedications and sent reminders to those that she hasn't heard back from yet.
 - Going to print towards the end of the year.
 - If parents have photos please send them to Jackie.
 - She will send something out on Facebook and in Gator Tales so remote learners also receive communication.
 - Jackie will send a list of who has ordered yearbooks and send out communication in a few months if anyone wants to still order.
- **Cash Rewards/Incentive Programs (Robin Matthes)**

- o No report
- **Social/Welcome Committee (Marcy, Molly)**
 - o Shamrock Breakfast will not take place on March 6th, 2021 due to current circumstances.
- **Bricks (Erin Barry):** no report
- **Buzz Book (Kim Parker and Amy Henderson):** no report
- **Fun night (Holli Vessley):** no report
- **Dancing Classrooms:**
 - o No report
- **Original artwork (Debbie Smith):**
 - o No report
 - o Dr. Chaussee will follow up with Mrs. Jensen regarding Original artwork.
- **Classroom Party Volunteer Coordinator (Kristy Gotschall):**
 - o \$250 was spent on Halloween parties for juice and a snack.
 - o Kristy will reach out to teachers to see if they would like parent support/donations for Valentine's Day parties.
 - o How should Kristy direct room parents to help with Teacher Appreciation week? The treats in the lounge were greatly appreciated last year. Fat and Black Food Truck was also very popular. It was approximately \$8 per person. Dr. Chaussee would like to see if there is possibly another option similar to this. It is a good option to keep everyone safe.
 - o Plan: The first week in March snacks will be provided during the week in the lounge,
 - o **Hospitality (Erin Barry and Stephanie Ludwig):**
 - o Conference Dinners: Hospitality committee will ask parents to donate money to go towards a catered meal during PTC week.
- **Volunteer Recruitment and Recognition Committee (Jocelyn Nickerson):**
 - o No report
- **Educational Grant and Scholarship Committee:(Elena Nieto)**
 - o No report
 - o Mr. Lesiak has applied for two grants to pay for teacher wish list items. He has received approval for both grants.
- **Carnival**
 - o The carnival will be cancelled for the spring.

- Kristy will cancel with Fun Services.
- We will talk about the possibility of Food Trucks, bounce houses or an outdoor movie.

Announcements: None

New Business:

- None

Adjournment: 7:25 pm

Next Meeting is Tuesday, February 2nd.