PTF Meeting

Tuesday, September 6, 2016

7 PM

CCS ES/MS

Attendees: Teri Lynn Schrag, Jon Hood, Jamie Schuler, Ann Thrasher, Paula Nordby, Eileen Guyon, Daniel Roman, Caroline Rice, Sheli Rice, Cami Hughes, Roy Smith, Sam Bookless, Sara Bookless

- I. Treasurer's report: Jami Schuler reported just under \$2000 in PTF fund, not including 2016-2017 dues. TLC! gift has not been paid and Box Tops input and output not included. Omaha Gives and Book Fair numbers need to be adjusted, as well. Jami Schuler will correct those numbers. Ann Thrasher reported that goal for October meeting is to plan a budget and give project coordinators a budget for individual PTF events.
- II. Back to School event: Sheli Rice reported that PTF donation of cookies and setting up tents and tables worked well. Sheli Rice asked about meeting at CCS or Base Lake or another park next year. No shade at CCS. Sheli Rice has contacted Halleck Park and price is comparable. Question regarding the size of the pavilion. Seymour Smith Park in Omaha and Walnut Creek lake in Papillion also suggested. Plan for August 13, 2017. Sheli Rice will check size, restrooms and availability.

Arrows to Aerospace Parade: Sheli Rice reported that participation greatly increased this year. Around 30 people participated. Handed out 2,000 pieces of candy and cards. Music worked. Lots of questions about where CCS was located.

III. Playground update: Teri Lynn Schrag said mulch level is good. Paula Nordby will contact our donor again in the spring for refill. Paula Nordby and Eileen Guyon have sent thank you notes on behalf of the school. Eileen Guyon has submitted receipts for Phase 1. PTF will reimburse. Any future playground expenditures will need PTF vote.

Ann Thrasher reported George Schuler's email regarding waiting on leveling rest of parking lot until strategically ready.

Paula Nordby reported a teacher requested painted hopscotch. Teri Lynn Schrag asked for more chalk.

Eileen Guyon reported that swing set is too big for current mulched space. Teri Lynn Schrag reported that swing set is in storage. Paula Nordby asked about equipment stored in yard. Teri Lynn Schrag would like the equipment stored until further master planning. Ann Thrasher asked about rocket and slide in current space. Teri Lynn Schrag will ask George Schuler about putting rocket and slide in current space, as well as painting open asphalt area for four square and hopscotch and possible placement for basketball hoops. Teri Lynn Schrag requests that PTF pull back from playground until master plan is finalized by board

- and facilities committee. Ann Thrasher requested that PTF discuss painting and small playground pieces at October meeting.
- IV. Bylaws update: Ann Thrasher reported that updated bylaws will be presented to the board in October. Subcommittee will continue to meet and pray regarding strategic plan for PTF.
- V. Volgistics update: Ann Thrasher reported only 44 families have not signed up. Lisa Deese is using Volgistics to coordinate lunch and recess volunteers. We are using calendar and coordinator functions. Sara Bookless reported that lunch time seems to be going well for students and teachers even with change in campus, size and volunteers. Ann Thrasher will continue to register all families. Sheli Rice said it was helpful to have Volgistic signups at the back to school event.
- VI. Thanksgiving meal: Carolyn Rice will coordinate HS like last year. Send parents who would like to help at HS to Caroline Rice. Mrs. Schrag will contact Christy Woell about coordinating again. One coordinator for ES/MS still needed. Daniel Roman volunteered.
- VII. All Parents' Meeting, September 12: Meeting will be held at HS campus. PTF will have 3-5 minutes to present. Ann Thrasher will present.
- VIII. Thank you notes: Mrs. Schrag reported auction thank you notes are being completed.
- IX. PTF speaker: Jon Hood recommended school administrator who helps parents understand social media. Roy Smith has contact who can discuss cyber security at the same time. Joy Schulz suggested October date. Ann Thrasher said PTF will work on date.
- X. Curriculum night: Tuesday, September 20. TLS reported it is a K-8 event. TLS asked if PTF could provide cookies that night.
- XI. Pancake dinner in November to raise money for senior trip. Paula Nordby reported that Alyssa Dennis asked if PTF could do book fair at same time to draw K-8 parents to pancake feed. Paula Nordby said books could be delivered on Friday directly to school and ready for pancake feed on Saturday morning. Jon Hood will work with Alyssa Dennis on date on location. Ann Thrasher suggested having it at ES/MS on a Friday evening for more participation. Jon Hood will also ask Alyssa Dennis about a HS Barnes and Noble book fair.
- XII. Incentives: Eileen Guyon has list of businesses who will donate to CCS. Eileen Guyon will work with Jon Hood on getting the info on the website.
- XIII. TLC! gift: PTF approved \$2,000 in funds for artist. Estimate from artist is \$1750. Will have ceremony when artist is finished.
- XIV. Spirit Wear update: can order embroidery in any color. Screening in grey and white only, unless ordering blue and black in lots of 24. Ann Thrasher requested teachers ask each

- other and students what CCS can have on hand in bulk order. School will administrate any bulk orders and proceeds, not PTF.
- XV. Roy Smith reported that Tony Boex has requested PTF help in soliciting donations for technology needs. Ann Thrasher suggested asking Volgistics parents through email. Roy Smith will coordinate with Ann Thrasher and draft language.
- XVI. August minutes as corrected: Roy Smith motion to adopt. Sheli Rice seconded. Motion passed.