**PSO Meeting**

**Mar 15, 2019**

**Mary Woodward Cafeteria, 8:30am**

Board Members: Cody Melby, Cyndi Clere, Erin Buck, Kristi Sloan

**Principal’s Report:**

Absent due to illness.

Last day of school has been moved to June 13th.

**Art Lit: Beth Schuff** gave a recap of the art project this month and they wanted to know how much $ was left in the budget. Money remains for our last project, Georgia O’Keefe, where they would like to purchase water color pencils. She mentioned our volunteer base is declining and the chairs have needed to step into a few classrooms to lead the projects. Also recruiting new coordinators to shadow Beth and Erin.

**February 2019 Minutes:**

The minutes were approved.

**Treasurer’s Report and Budget:**

Spending is starting to increase as we grow closer to the end of the year; field trip and teacher spending allowances tend to ramp up. Staff appreciation and field day expenses are coming. Our income is our presold auction parties and tickets and we made $2k in family events this year. We received a nice thank you note from Kari Vandergriff who made our beautiful flowers for the daughter dance. Yearbook overall doing well.

**Son Dance update:**

Jenna McPherson ran a successful dance and with the Key club help there were no glitches. Final totals to come.

**Jen Vasicek:**

3rd grade team went to regional and they placed 15th out of 16 teams. Jen is looking to next year and asking to buy 6 copies of each of the books so asking for $100 for the Obob budget for next year. Cody said they will forecast for this in the Sept meeting. Concession sales made $50 which in turn paid for the costs of engraving library medals- and made enough for next year’s champions.

**Heather Listy from our auction committee** would like our coordinator to push out a need for 15 people to help set up the auction- 15 people in the morning from 10 am till 3 pm. And a second crew to help clean up from 10-12:30 am. At the auction, the reserved tables are sold out and we have a maximum of 210 people at Oswego Country Club. 40 seats remain. Her goal is to generate 50K this year. She’s selling ads and could use 4-5 sponsors. She just added the 5th grade pool party to the buy in parties. She is bringing in a videographer to shoot video of our kids to play at the auction. This realtor offered an incentive that if any family at Mary Woodward used his services, he will donate a % of commission back to Mw.

Spoke about the paddle raise and it was mentioned that the staff room is in need of some help. We may do a questionnaire to staff to see what their concerns are but some we know of are lack of dish soap, coffee must be supplied by staff and the break room is dirty. Pso gathered inside the room to see what could be done. Potentially a dishwasher could be installed. Organization needed. New furniture/floor/paint has been talked about with a budget of $5000, Nicole Tangkjaer and Shawn Stuhldryer have expressed interest in this project. Need to get the green light from Mr. Nihill.

**Mrs. Miller 5th grade field trip request:**

Mrs. Miller, 5th grade teacher, came to request additional money for the budget for 5th grade so they can attend the Omsi Pixar exhibit. They need an additional $422 (mostly to provide the allotted parent chaperones) which the Pso has approved, amending the budget. Mrs. Miller was notified of our decision.

**Mr. J** **bottle drop**

He is taking recycled bottles and bringing them in to be recycled. Recycling can is in the lobby. Spoke about doing a fb blast so more cans could be brought in.

**Recruitment for next year PSO committee positions**

We will be voting in our executive board for next year in May. We need to discuss who will be taking which positions and do some recruitment. Do we have a list of titles and their descriptions?