



Zoom meeting

2/17/22

Board members present: Cyndi Clere,
Erin Buck, Kristin Romelhart, Amy
DeLisa

TTSD Foundation Update:

Given by Melodie King

Ongoing fundraiser for all schools in TTSD. Foundation helps to fund math support, as well as helping schools pay for licensed teachers. (At Mary Woodward, the Foundation supports McConnell math, musical instruments, and stage curtains, as well as other support.) They are requesting volunteers to display yard signs to encourage donations, as well as volunteers to make focused phone calls. They are also seeking additional foundation board members.

Principal Report:

Given by Mr. Nihill

He is expecting information from TTSD tomorrow regarding volunteers returning to buildings, as well as updated masking guidance. He advised that parents should look for information from TTSD or Mary Woodward. COVID numbers have dropped, and absences are now at normal levels (15-20 per day). They may be able to do an in-person OBOB event, but masking and/or social distancing may still be required depending on the timing of the event.

They are moving forward with the pollinator garden. There were multiple bids submitted for the project, and Tyron Creek Landscaping provided the best bid. Mr. Nihill requested \$3000 in PSO funds to complete this project. This request was voted on and approved.

Treasurer's Report

Given by Erin Buck

PSO currently has \$135,535, and has spent \$28,546 this year. We have brought in \$5605 in fundraising. She suggested not renewing the expiring CD (just over \$10,000) due to the low interest rate. This request was voted on and approved.

President's Report

Given by Cyndi Clere

There are numerous PSO board positions that are open for next year that will need to be filled, including president.

January minutes were reviewed and approved.

Volunteer Update

Stacey Beckman was not present, but passed a message along with an update. There will be additional opportunities for service once the building is reopened for volunteers.

Dine Out Update

Monica Bjers was not present. The Ezells fundraising event is being postponed.

Staff Appreciation Update

Shawna was not present. However, everyone was happy with the staff appreciation week, which had gone very well.

Art Lit Update

Given by Marc Johnson

Art lit is being maintained until volunteers can get back into the building. Once volunteers are allowed back, there are volunteers lined up for 80-90% of the classes.

OBOB Update

Given by Marc Johnson

OBOB will occur the first week of March. They are hoping to hold competitions/challenges online, and need volunteers to assist.

Equity Update

Given by Mr. Nihill

Mary Woodward is moving forward with No Place for Hate. Kids will sign a no place for hate pledge. There was also a virtual assembly on this this year.

Old Business

Given by Cyndi Clere

Book waterfall will occur the first week in May. Please save all age books to be donated for this program.

We are hoping to move forward with Jogathon in the spring. Maybe push into May and hold it outside.

Virtual action is moving forward - Liz Young has been coordinating. This will consist of class projects, reader board space, and parking spaces. Liz will reach out soon for suggestions and class volunteers to put together baskets.

New Business

Given by Cyndi Clere

Start thinking about PSO board positions for next year. Every position is up for grabs. Anticipate voting in April to install in May. Job descriptions for the board positions are on the PSO website.