

Wanamaker PTA Meeting 10/6/2020

- Meeting called to order at 5:31 pm by Monicka R.
- Motion to approve the minutes from 9/8/20 PTA Meeting.
 - Moved by Jerrod Ansley
 - Second by Nicole
- PTO Financial Overview by Jerrod Ansley
 - Revenue Sources that will not affect the budget
 - No Fall Fundraiser
 - No Fall Event
 - Funding Items needed
 - There is no anticipation that these items will go away:
 - Teacher Appreciation
 - Staff Allowances (already been paid)
 - Student Events
 - Funding Requests
 - There is currently \$22,000 cash on hand in the account.
 - Overall, we are in a good place without the revenue sources coming in.
 - There is a request for staff to cash their allowance checks to balance the account.
- District has added additional water bottle filling stations
 - 3 extras stations that have not been charged back to the school.
 - It is more than likely that the district will not charge the school.
- Questioning about license approval in regard to teachers, software, etc.
 - Mr. Sonderegger mentioned that Kami is a pdf program that the teachers would like to have purchased in case we go full remote.
 - Pricing is \$90 per teacher.
 - Per Mrs. Fairchild, Students can write on a pdf with their Chromebook.
 - 5th & 6th Grade would like to request this program
 - Jerrod Ansley advised to send forth an approval of a funding request for Kami.
 - Monicka motioned to approve the funding request.
 - The board decided to wait until the next meeting to approve this request until we get final numbers for the program.
 - Mrs. Fairchild notified the treasurer that Kami was going to expire for some teachers.
 - Mr. Sonderegger said that the Wanamaker fund could purchase this and then get reimbursed after the next meeting.
 - This program is highly needed for remote learners.

- Areas to consider, will teachers at WE continue to have remote learners when the district moves to Phase 3.
 - Book Taco is a program that 5th grade would like to keep.
 - 6th grade will not be using this program this year.
 - Learning Farm is requested by Mrs. Fairchild & the 6th Grade team
 - Mrs. Byrd usually pays for this personally.
 - The program expires in the next week.
 - Jerrod Ansley-treasurer will reimburse staff for this program.
 - Jerrod Ansley said that funding requests were never paid out.
 - \$ is available
 - There is a software line on the ledger of \$1100. This \$ is available.
- Billie Webb is in charge of organizing and finding Head Room parents
 - Open for discussion on how to best utilize home room parents during COVID.
 - The school is moving from hybrid to Phase 3.
 - Sign up genius is set to go out for parents to sign up.
 - Looking for volunteers to request specific prearranged times for volunteers to come and help.
 - District is not allowing visitors in the buildings during this time.
 - Volunteers could help from home.
 - There is a subscription with the school from signup.com.
 - Looking for ideas that parents could assist teachers with their extra workload.
 - Billie will touch base with Allison Edgar
- Mustang Din
 - The goal is to get an inventory
 - If someone needs a specific item, they will refer to the Mustang Din to see if the item is available per the inventory list.
- Eat out Night Fundraising update by Katie Rannebeck.
 - She was having technical difficulties; no comment was made.
- How could the PTA support the staff at Wanamaker the best?
 - Mr. Sonderegger
 - Positions are available. Looking for good referrals to apply.
 - Drop off & pick up procedures are changing and picking up in volume as we move to Phase 3.
 - Looking to order materials to assist teachers with social distancing needs.
 - The district as of now is good with purchasing items staff.
- Fundraising ideas
 - Food trucks could be considered to park at the school.
 - Individuals could purchase online.
- Open Floor for concerns or questions.
 - Question regarding the Head room Parent

- Might hold back in sending out signup.com if students are changing classes.
 - Yes, hold off at least until 10/19 to honor any changes that may occur with moving to Phase 3.
- How can someone become a substitute? Can they just sub at Wanamaker and can they only sub on specific days?
 - You must fill out an application with KSDE
 - After you apply, you get put into AESOP
 - You can choose what schools and days to sub for inside the program.
- Funding request for playground equipment
 - Jerrod Ansley agreed that this could be considered
 - The teachers liked having the balls colored coordinated per grade.
 - Mr. Sonderegger will put a pricing list together after visiting with the staff.
- Motion to adjourn the meeting by Jerrod Ansley; second by Jeanie Fairchild at 6:09 pm.