

**Wilson PTG**  
Meeting Minutes  
February 11, 2020

**Call to Order** – 7:062 p.m., Makeesha Stachofsky

Officers in attendance:

- Vice Presidents – Makeesha and Joe Stachofsky
- Treasurer – Katie Glazier
- Secretary – Alex. Evans (Andrews)

**OLD BUSINESS**

**January Minutes** – Alex. Evans

- Quick review of highlights

**Treasurer's Report** – Katie Glazier

- Amazon donations went down to \$21 – will advertise link
- Unsure what to budget for talent show
- Lots of field trip funds being used – yay!

**CAC Notes** – Katelyn Hunt

- Will email notes to Alex. (SEE NOTES BELOW)
- Board is contemplating putting a levy on the ballot in April or November
  - Hesitation with November is that there will be another levy on the ballot in Feb 2021
- Boundary Committee has started meeting
- Naming of 3 new middle schools will start in March
- Talked about vaping
  - Working on providing a district-wide curriculum starting with HS and MS – would like us to consider starting this
  - Concerned that students don't look at vaping like smoking/drugs
- Human Growth and Development curriculum
  - New curriculum starting to roll out into HS and MS now, and to elementary in Spring 2021
  - Rights, Respect, R...
  - Curriculum will rollout the week of conferences in Spring
  - Families can preview the material – will break it down day by day
  - K-6 is focused on personal safety
  - 4-12 HIV/AIDS, anatomy/physiology,

**Principal's Report** – Ken Hermanson

- Early Release Fridays are caused by budget deficit – looking at what to do when there will no longer be the need to cut Friday afternoons

- Committee met 4 full days and made recs to the board for what to do with the additional time
- (Passed out packet with info)
- Elem schools have 2 choices – 3<sup>rd</sup>/4<sup>th</sup>/5<sup>th</sup> can have either art or science
- There will be a survey to both school families and school teachers – submitted to Mr. Hermanson to help him decide
- 5<sup>th</sup>/6<sup>th</sup> can choose band or strings or traditional music class, but will not stick with a class with low enrollment
- There is a committee deciding what “library” will be going forward
- We are hoping this is for next year – depends on levy
- Visited Wilson to see progress
  - Stairs are in
  - Got a feel for building – still metal studs right now, no wiring or plumbing yet
  - Gym is large! And has windows! Stage and kitchen will be great.
- Book Bingo coming up!
- Any feedback on new process of report cards not tied to conferences?
  - Courtney Malone: Will take some getting used to. Teachers are otherwise open to meeting at other times, so that’s helpful.
  - Josie Sackman: Liked conferences in mid-Oct for earlier connection and feedback with/from teacher. Weird to get a report card without context from teacher
  - Ken: Next year there will be a system of seeing kids progress online throughout the year (PowerSchool – access link into portal for parents).
  - Katie Glazier: Having the semester report card makes for a longer period the assessment is for, so grade is for the whole time, not necessarily progress
  - Brooke Rasmussen: Would be helpful to have a comment section.
  - Ken: Report card system makes comments difficult. Trying to have a system where the current scores are weighted heavier than earlier scores in the semester. Working through how to show progress and be consistent. Unclear if the semester scoring is based on where they should be mid-year or end-of-year.
  - Makeesha: Should look at transitional report card scores for 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> to get them ready for the A,B...F scores in M.S.

**PTG Events – Josie Dix**

- Book Bingo next Thursday!!
- Talent Show needs a team!
  - March 26<sup>th</sup> (likely)
  - Let’s ask for help on PTG FB and via school email
  - Jennifer Ireland can help
  - Would be helpful to have a staff person

- Alex. will set a meeting! Jennifer, Josie D, Josie S, Heather, Makeesha, (Courtney)
- Auction – March 7<sup>th</sup>

#### **Auction Update – Courtney Malone**

- March 7<sup>th</sup> at Old Cracker Building
- Nervous about ticket sales – NEED TO SELL TICKETS!! – could anyone help with this?
- Needs to send something home in backpacks!
- 130 seats left!
- Can we do specific outreach to newer families
- Peachjar – is full of unrelated info though
- There will be a video made for the auction paddle raise (by a dad who works at Fox28)
  - Need to decide on interviews of students and staff
  - If you have good video footage or cool pictures from any Wilson event/school day – put it on a thumb drive BY FEB 20<sup>th</sup>
  - Show why Wilson is worth the donation, show what PTG is doing for the community
- Would like to focus more on paddle raise
- Have a great, new auctioneer tomorrow – Patty Roll
- Auction meeting at Camp Wilson 2/12 at 6:30
- We have 400 bricks – SPS is donating new bricks to us to be engraved then to be placed in a new retaining wall at the new Wilson
  - Leaning toward making them more affordable – exact price TBD
- Vintage Wilson stuff taken from old school – how do we position selling these?
- Fundraising goal for auction: \$45-55K

#### **NEW BUSINESS**

- Request from Heidi Bresson for \$600 for new basketball uniforms for next year – will vote on this next meeting
- Open Discussion:
  - What is with the yellow bricks on the Wilson gym? We don't really know. We do know that they will be doing "something" to the new brick... Heather will email Greg at SPS

#### **Parent/Teacher Q&A**

**Adjourned** – 7:59 p.m., Josie Dix

## CAC Report February 2020

### **Board Update:**

- contemplating applying for an additional levy in Apr or November, in addition to the February 2021 levy. Watching EV and CV closely to see if their levy passes, Meads did not.
- boundary committee focusing on how to work Legacy students into changes
- Mid-March board will start taking submissions for naming of 3 new Middle Schools

### **vaping education:**

- working on district wide curriculum to be rolled out 2022.
- I propose working with Ms Alftad or Ms Bresson on rolling out some education prior, so our 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> graders receive it prior to first exposure

### **Human growth and development:**

- updating curriculum
  - focused on 3R's-rights, respect and responsibility
  - have brought in medical personnel and HS students
  - elementary updated curriculum spring of 2021
- centralizing timing and curriculum district wide
  - week before Spring Break-early release
  - can attend previews on Elem, MS and HS levels to preview material
- parents may choose to opt out entirely or out of certain days
  - alternative projects will be provided for those that opt out
- Focus:
  - grades K-6: Personal Safety
    - internet safety, good touch/bad touch, how to make healthy decisions, knowing how to identify a trusted adult
  - grades 4-12: HIV/AIDS
    - prevent education: dangers and transmissions
  - grades 4-12: Human Growth and Development
    - age appropriate instruction aligned to new sexual health standards
      - anatomy and physiology
      - puberty and development
      - reproduction and pregnancy
      - WA state laws
      - self identity
      - healthy relationships