**LAS SENDAS PTO GENERAL MEETING February 22, 2021**

The Las Sendas Elementary PTO met in general session via WebEx on February 22,2021

Meeting called to order at 4:33pm

Media center balance was corrected from $1,322 to $3,322 due to a typo.

**Introduction/Roll Call Jennifer Berkshire**

Jennifer Berkshire (president), Michele Barragan (VP of Fundraising), Jen Crowther (VP of Communications), Lindsey Clayton (Treasurer), Joy Johnson (secretary) .

All board members were present.

**Approval of January 25, 2021 Minutes Jennifer Berkshire**

Media Center balance was corrected from $1,322 to $3,322 due to a typo.

Motion to approve corrected minutes was made by Dawn Silva. Second by Beverly Duros.

Motion passed.

**Principal’s Report:** **Aaron Kaczmarek**

Going to start assembling a STEM program for grades 4-6. In the beginning stages. MPS is going to have summer school. FREE! 6 hours a day. June 1-18, six hours a day, for kids to get caught up from this year. More information to come. It will be calledMesa Public Schools Academy

**Treasurer’s Report:**  **Lindsey Clayton**

Lots of deposits this month.

$43,540 operating balance

$28,700 encumbered

$3,322 media balance

**REVIEW OF February:**

Cupid’s cards sales were even bigger than the holiday grams! We sold over 1000 cards and raised about $800!!

**NEW BUSINESS:**

**Fundraising Update:**  **Michele Barragan**

* We are waiting for our amount from our Chick-fil-a’s DNO February 9
* Cup of Joey continuous fundraiser—can drop his name wherever you buy from him.
* Next DNO is TBD

Cupid’s cards sales were amazing! motion to encumber $28.70 for additional candy made by Dawn Silva. Second by Marisol Alber. Motion based.

Back to the Future Auction:

* Look for flyers this week to send home to parents announcing our auction and looking for donations.
* After spring break, we will be contacting every classroom regarding class baskets and teacher time. (Get creative. Kids just want to feel connected to their teacher. Doesn’t have to be big.)
* We have until March 30 to make the decision if this event can be live or not.

PLEASE share photos for our yearbook. This will be our last push and we have about a month as deadlines will start approaching. Send them to Jennifer Berkshire or Jill. Please share with your team and parents.

There is now a donate button on our website. Please check it out and share the link in your next newsletter or email to parents!

**General Housekeeping:**

None

**UPCOMING EVENTS:**

March 8-12, spring break

March 17, St. Patrick’s Day

March 29, PTO Meeting at 4:30

Next PTO meeting will be March 29 at 4:30pm at the media center and broadcast via WebEx.

Motion to adjourn was made by Beverly Durous. Second by Marisol Alber.

Meeting was adjourned at 4:42pm