

PARENTS FOR SUMMERLAND

Summerland PFS Minutes

Date | time 29 September 2017 8:20 am | *Meeting called to order by* Elizabeth Perlin

In Attendance

Elizabeth Perlin, Ashley Labistour, Jayme Bray, Crescent LaMonaco, Tammy Lashlee, Michelle Fox, Ashley Moore, Sandra Morrison, Amber Amlie, Genevieve Schwanbeck, Davarka Zakosek, Jackie Meyer, Corrine Von Guenther

Approval of Minutes

Motion for approval of 7 September minutes by Elizabeth Perlin; Jayme Bray seconded. Minutes approved.

Budget Review and Update

Budget review presented by Jayme Bray

- Instructional Assistants
 - Funding still to be resolved; Michelle to check with district and update Jayme
- Water update
 - It was decided that the water system in the teacher's lounge will remain as is, however, Holly Minear investigating a grant for a water fill station
 - Both of these items will be readdressed during the school site renovations.
- Popsicle Sales
 - Popsicle sales are going great. Jayme will look into punch cards and Elizabeth will look into new options for items to sell now and as the weather gets cooler.
- Astro Camp
 - Jayme hopes to have an Astro Camp/Axxess book update as that sale ended today
- No further budget updates

Garden Program

- Genevieve Schwanbeck introduced as new garden instructor
 - Creating a new area with donated tree stumps
 - In need of more shade
 - requested either an umbrella and stand or a pop-up shade tent
 - suggested that the triangle shade sails are not the best option for that area (previously proposed and denied as they are fixed)
- "Farmer's market" discussed and a conversation
 - Dr. Colletti previously proposed Hope School program – Hope School garden much larger

- Plant the strawberries in pots and have a “strawberry sale.”
- John Perlin and Ryan Moore nominated to build a “farm stand” that could be used for multiple purposes including a “Summerland Market”
- The hydroponic stand was discussed and is currently on hold due to electrical issues and power concerns. If no solution we will consider auctioning it off in the spring
- Proposal to add beautification days on the calendar

Principal's Report

Dr. Fox presented the Principal's report:

- Fall Festival
 - Parent square message has been sent and some have signed up
 - Ashley working with Michelle on edits to sign up sheet
 - Ashley proposed firm commitment rather than parents just showing up
- Walkie-talkies have been purchased and are in use by Mr. Ramos and Miss Judy
- Playground equipment needs to be replaced – Dr. Fox will send a list to Elizabeth
 - Contact Ramos regarding his wish list and possible grant
 - Amber to donate soccer balls
- “Christmas Giving Tree” but use a wave and surfers instead to select items to donate
- The Thanksgiving Feast will be held on November 21st from 11:30-12:30 and Dr. Fox will send out an all school sign up for potluck items through parent square
- “Christmas around the World” options are being discussed by the teachers, Ronald Reagan Library may not be the best choice so they are considering Carpinteria Arts Center.
- Art and garden are going great and the teachers are very impressed.
- Front Gate
 - Require a secure entry but quick exit
 - Bethany Anderson has offered some suggestions for the front gate
 - Dr Fox will contact Dave for estimates on the different options and review with PFS if necessary

Sub Committees

- Jogathon – Tammy Lashlee gave an update
 - Prize structure was revised and approved
 - Tammy will send Dr. Fox a volunteer sign-up sheet to send out on parent square
 - We will continue to request donations for prizes and those that are not needed will be added to the spring auction donations
 - Jayme will sell shirts and oversee the 50/50 raffle
 - Hans and Jens will bbq... tri tips will either be donated or purchased by families
 - Amber will bring a first aid kit from AYSO
 - Laps will be counted on 3x5 cards clipped to students' shirts and marked with Sharpie tallies... we will either locate or purchase medals for most laps
 - Mr. Ramos is not available the day of the event, but Crescent may have someone who can help. If not, we will need to look into other options... Tammy will follow up next Friday.
- Christmas Store
 - Jayme suggested selling wreaths, poinsettias, mistletoe, etc. as a Christmas fundraiser. She will research more and share details when she has them

- Sandra suggested kid's art cards
- Chomp Carp and Spring Auction – although they seem a long way off, now is the time to start working on these fundraisers. Crescent will chair the auction and Tammy offered to help as needed. They will meet and begin working together after the jog-a-thon.
- School Gear – Jayme will distribute a pre-order form in Monday folders so that order can be filled by the day of the jog-a-thon.

Announcements

None

Next Meeting

Thursday October 19, 5:45 PM, location Summerland Winery

Motion to adjourn at 9:30 AM, unanimously approved