**Puckett’s Mill Elementary**

**PTA General Membership Meeting**

**November 11, 2024 @ 6 pm**

* Call to Order - 6:04pm by Courtney Cannon
* Pledge
* Secretary’s Report
  + Approval of October 2024 minutes - Minutes read. No quorum. Will have to approve minutes at next meeting.
* Treasurer’s Report & Budget

Income - 5th Grade Events, Fall Festival, FundHub Fundraiser check, Givebacks Stripe Connect, Spiritwear, SEF

Expenses - Cultural Arts (Kindergarten), Fall Festival, Fundraiser (prizes and experiences), Hospitality, Copy paper, School Store, SEF, K-4th T-shirts

* Business Partners
  + New partner - Real Estate Agent. E-commerce.
  + Spirit nights
    - Results
      * Planet Smoothie 11/5 - No results yet.
    - Scheduled
      * Old Fountain Tavern 12/18 - Holiday Music Bingo.
* Happy Hawk-a-days – 12/11 - In partnership with school Cultural Inclusion committee, Holidays around the world will be celebrated through stories, games and crafts. Refreshments will be sold too.
* Hospitality - Bus Driver Appreciation - Chick Fil A
  + Early release staff lunch 10/23 - Raising Cane’s
  + Thankful Treats 11/20 through 11/22 - Donate store-bought baked goods
  + Teacher lunch 12/5 - Italy’s Pizza and Pasta
* Dads on Duty
  + 11/11 - Veteran’s Day Edition, 9-10 volunteers
  + Next one: 1/24
* Fundraiser (“Shoot For the Stars”)
  + Parties/prize awards will be completed as of 11/12
  + Still looking into grants
* Yearbook
  + Submit pictures (pmeshawksyearbook@gmail.com)
  + Discounted price through 1/31
  + Ad sale deadline is TODAY
* Red Ribbon Week - Dress up days. Essay contest winners will be announced tomorrow.
* Cultural Arts Events - In-House Field Trips. 2nd Grade on Georgia History is complete. 4th Grade Constitution show is coming up.
* Hawktoberfest Fall Festival - Great event. Attendance on par with other years. Brought in about $1200.
* Exceptional Children’s
  + Pumpkin patch - 10/30 - Chaired by Angie Kirchens and Carla Bowman. Enjoyed by all of the classes.
* 5th grade Events
  + Corn maze – 10/17
* School Store - Flyer sent home. Collecting orders and they will be filled on Wednesday.
* Spirit Wear
  + On sale in MH now
* Father-Daughter - 2/7 - Digital day. “Out of this World” Theme.
* Mother-Son - 2/28
* Bingo Night - 3/27 and raffle
* Room Parents: - Need to send out email about Thankful Notes - trying to get every staff member covered.
  + Holiday parties:
    - Kindergarten - Wednesday, 12/18 PM
    - 1st grade: Thursday, 12/20 PM
    - 2nd grade: Wednesday, 12/19 PM
    - 3rd grade: Friday, 12/20 AM
    - 4th grade: Thursday, 12/19 AM
    - 5th grade: Wednesday, 12/18 AM
* Principal’s Report - Katie Lessard is a Top 6 Finalist for Teacher of the Year in Gwinnett County. New 4th grade teacher started last week.
* Next Meeting: Friday, December 13 at 10:30 am
  + Bring wrapped gift valued at $10 or less if you want to participate in gift exchange!
* Ended 6:37pm