

**Manzanita Faculty Family Organization
Monthly Meeting
April 5, 2024**

Call to order 8:20am

Members attended: Marci Petti, Ann Lee, Eileen Jackson, Tina Ienna-Balistreri, Donna Saavedra, Denise Bartlett, Maggie Schmitt + Spiderman, Keri Casper, Ashley Glaser, Amy Lucero, Catalina Buffum, Brenna Rheinheimer, Tom Logue, Rebecca Garcia

Minutes approved:

1st. Donna Saavedra

2nd. Ann Lee

Special Guest: Rebecca Garcia, Reading Specialist

- Summer slide- dip in reading without consistent practice over summer
- Kids lose 25-30% over summer
- Between grades 1-6 that compounds to 1.5 years of learning
- Best thing to do is read daily!
- Read 20 minutes per day
- Try out summer reading programs -libraries, bookmans, and Barnes and Nobles all have incentives to read over summer
- Integrate math into summer fun with games
- Tap into kids curiosities

Mustang Bucks: Catalina Buffum

- One new donation of \$200
- Would be great to continue to raise some funds

Treasurer's Report: Brenna Rheinheimer

- 5th grade camp is paid
- Busses paid
- Feotac spending
- Class funding/sep expenses

Income:

- Box tops -\$37.40
- Desert Dash \$2,651.01
- Dine-outs \$1,113.81
- escrippt/shopping (frys etc) \$131.00
- Edukit \$1,797.59
- Fall Book fair \$7,116.00
- Frys \$66.04
- 5th grade trip income \$
- 5th grade trip scholarship \$
- Interest income \$1.13
- Mustang Bucks \$26.665
- Special events \$765
- Spirit wear \$ 6,789.00
- Third grade income \$5,300
- Third grade scholarships \$450
- Teacher appreciation \$806.58
- Yearbook \$3,924.00

Total: \$57,613.56

Expenses

- Art Show \$163.51
- Back to school week supplies \$581.46
- Back to school shuttle \$158.98
- Bloomz \$2,340.00
- Classroom funding \$4,156.34
- Charitable contribution (CFSD playground contribution donation) \$24,630.37
- Credit card processing \$1,599.33
- Curbsmart \$2,350.00
- Desert dash event expenses \$662.21
- Desert Dash t-shirt expense \$4,002.27
- District donations \$100.00
- District event costs \$45.72
- Fall book fair expenses \$2,633.84
- FFO admin expenses \$1,781.43
- 5th grade trp expenses \$15,840.00
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- Library \$300.68
- Mustang Bucks \$43.72
- Milers club \$167.52
- Office Supplies \$43.72
- Playground balls \$345.20
- Principals breakfast \$567.23

- Principals Fund \$410.64
 - Refreshments/volunteer breakfast \$447.08
 - Special request/effo approved <500/1,500 per year \$849.80
 - Spirit wear expense \$ 10,761.28
 - Spring book fair expense \$1,102.50
 - Staff appreciation \$1,181.25
 - SEP Field Trip Admissions \$7,742.40
 - SEP field trip busses \$4,688.85
 - SEP supplies and materials \$ 6,173.98
 - Total SEP \$18,805.23
 - Third grade trip expense \$5,748.00
 - Trunk or treat \$343.65
- TOTAL EXPENSES: \$98,053.29
- Financials Approved 1st - Marci Petti
2nd - Julie Parvaml

SEP - Maggie/Keri

- Classroom funding slightly less spent, but overall did good job with spending funds.
- Field trips two trips left Kartchner caverns/Bisbee on the 25/30 of April. Great donations so far.
- 5th grade \$220 donation request for 3 days and covers everything.
- Needed additional bus this year due to a 5th 5th grade class.

Community reports:

Staff Appreciation

- March Madness March 20th - hot dogs etc.
- April testing week treats
- May celebrating national teacher week the week after due to 5th grade camp and other things going on.

Community Schools - Amy

- Camp registration open
- If registered before April 14 get a camp pack which includes a t-shirt, backpack to color
- Care will be open. Please register asap!

FEOTAC

- Mostly all set.
- Steel drum band coming
- Folklorico choir, orchestra, band will perform
- Sapphire has been approved. Will have kid meal and adult meal including a vegetarian option.
- One shuttle between Orange Grove and Manzantia for event.
- Signup genius for volunteers

Dine Out

- Doughbird
- One more in May hopefully a sweet treat

Yearbook -

- Up for sale! Link on the website and Bloomz
- Personalization available must be completed by April 20
- Year books must be purchased by April 20

5th grade promotion-

- Kids line hall to cheer
- Ceremony will be on lower field
- Need large tent - looking for donation or several small tents
- Reception in MPR
- Balloon donation
- Need greeter, someone to help with food @ reception

Milers

- Last day next week

ADJOURNED - 9:12am

Upcoming dates:

- **FEOTAC 4/26/2024**
- **Tech talk 4/17/2024**
- **Volunteer appreciation day 5/6/2024**
- **Doughbird 4/16/2024**

NEXT FFO MEETING Friday May 10, 2024 @8:15am Voting on next year budget and EFO positions