

BSBSF Meeting Minutes - October 3, 2023
Bolinas Campus Library 3:30 - 5pm
Co-Meeting with Site Council

Attendance: Leah Lopez, Juliette Delventhal, Nuria Lee, Andreas Phelps (plus 5 site council members)

Discussed the importance of explaining to parents diff between BSBFS, School Board, Site Council - new umbrella/foundation/Mushroom logo?

ACTION (Ilie) ????

Announced that New BSBSF.com website attracted over 400 views - helped by linking our tix sales! New GoFundMe is prominently displayed today on the website - please share!!

2023 Calendar and 6 Mtgs to invite all parents (mix of days and eves)

Decide upon an eve or weekend November meeting time

Have a rep come to meetings?

Bake Sales for Graduation Lunch?

Ilie announced a new communication platform school is adopting (same that Tam HS uses) called *Aeries* which connects to *Parent Square* (platform for teachers to connect with parents) - hoping to have it up and going by end of October and fully functional by January 2024

Financials:

Closed accounts with Northwestern Mutual / transferred to Bank of Marin Money Market Acct earns 4.5%

General Fund Total Assets: \$260,280

Total Cash in Bank of Marin Checking acct: \$89,830

Total in Money Market acct at Bank of Marin: \$160,310

Receivable (loan) from BSIAH: \$10,000

GoFUNDMe Update - \$650 (plus \$500 in checks) - would love for school to send email to parents - been delayed due to office illnesses

Announced Bake Sale/Coffee Sale in front of library on Sunday 10/22/23 with PERFORMING ARTS Fundraising theme to boost our GoFundMe campaign

Need someone to chair a Busker Bake Sale downtown w/Melinda Sunday 10/22?

Need Bake Sale bakers/volunteers - Fundraising for Theatre Scholarships

ACTION (Leah): Add Bake Sale needs email going to parents email this week

ACTION: Ask Amber Distassi for performers to Busker - DONE

ACTION: Reach out to all of the afterschool performing art teachers for

ACTON: Line up student performers

Theatre students for song and skits:

Amelie, Geneva?, Sebastian? Zoe? Scarlett

Violin: Tashi

Ukelele:

School of Rock: ??

ACTION: Acquire a portable sound system - Christine checking with Brooks

Do we need an Annual Plea Mailing this year? Deliver by hand??

Leah Suggested a possible reverse trick-or-treat by some kids (passing out annual plea, remittance envelopes and possibly coffee bean samples)

Last mailing in 2019 cost more in printing & postage than fundraised

** New Site Council member, Barbara Sherfey said she could give us the Stinson Beach list of homeowners that she purchases

Also suggested that we could probably make an announcement and pass a hat at Stinson Bch BINGO which is starting up this fall

ACTION (Juliette or Leah): follow up with Barbara

Christina Chin-Nemec is almost fully onboarded with Bank of Marin

VOTE: new Treasurer in -

ACTION: Move vote online

Plan to pay same rate that Young Stewards pays - still not discussed

Ilie presented School Safety plan to Site Council - homework review

Site Council discussed School Garden - needs to be deer-proofed as fence has been compromised during Septic digging – will be done soon!!

- Courtney needs help with garden - Juliette mentioned that Mark Butler is waiting to be contacted (has reached out) as a resource

***** School HAS received the grant \$50k that Melinda applied for and is applying it towards additional training on November 1st at Shoreline to develop new recipes using locally sourced produce**

Nuria gave an update on the desire for Spanish Classes to help get Latin community more involved - Cafecito has been very popular and a safe place for Latin community