PVES PTO Executive Meeting Minutes Tuesday, September 12, 2023 6:02 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.

Attendees:

Alycia Casazza, President Carly Warrener, 1st Vice President Gina Sifakis, 2nd Vice President Deb Bettencourt, Treasurer Michelle Plouffe, Secretary

Meeting Start time – 6:02 p.m.

Recap:

Back to School Night - Kona cost = \$410 (205 kids checked in but some bought from the truck on their own)

Ice cream Social cost = \$ 420

Del's cost = \$900 (600 kids and staff in total) Red dye – permission slip in the future?

Upcoming Events:

Boosterston pledges – 78 kids registered so far. We need the form to go out. Event will be held on the basketball court. Spectators welcome; no BCI needed.

Movie night – theatre holds 250, need to fill 82 seats and tickets are \$ 12 – Trolls 3. Maybe night before parent/teacher conference. No school next day. December 12th? Concert is Dec 20. Deb – will see if Mrs. Lakeway and Mrs. Adler will help run it, etc.

Holiday Shoppe –Dec 18-22 – no school on Wednesday, 12/20

PVES PTO General Meeting Minutes Tuesday, September 12, 2023 6:34 p.m. – 7:17 p.m.

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Introductions by Alycia of the board members to the attendees

Boosterthon – dates, registration, last year \$ 30k raised, goal this year is \$ 25k

Parents can attend to cheer on kids. Sept 27 – each grade goes out for approx. 30 minutes. Schedule TBD for grades – parents will need to know when to arrive

Trunk or Treat – Faculty lot – 10/14

4:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m. - Set-up

Sensory -5:00 - 5:30?

5:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. - event time

Sign up will be placed at front door tonight – bring candy to donate – nut free candy only

Providence Bruins game – 11-12 @ 3:00 p.m.

Holiday event – 12/6 – Santa night – cookies, milk, crafts – volunteers needed and concert that night as well. Concert in gym. Crafts, etc. will be in the cafeteria. Santa will be set up - with passage way – location TBD

Holiday Shoppe – need volunteers – week of 12/18 – all items will be \$2.00

Reminder – BCI check and form to be signed on PTO website

Rock wall – needs to be installed

Treasurer's report – switched banks – citizens \$ 21,754.87 Bank RI \$ 1,029.08 – dance deposit has been paid

Kids Choice - School Dance/Dave & Buster's – Rhodes on the Pawtuxet has been reserved – Sunday, April 28, 2024. Dave & Busters needs to be reserved for 4/27

5th **Grade Committee** – introductions by Amanda Fafard – all events just for 5th graders. Did fundraising over last summer – tshirt sponsors – local businesses. Added \$ to their acct. Mum fundraiser – cutoff is 9/13. Goal is to have all events paid for all 5th graders.

Yearbook Committee – "Lori" – all info/inquiries go to her gmail acct. Asking teachers to get involved to prepare one page per classroom to add in

Principal's report

Thank you for all events so far that PTO paid for. Will not be using the field until the high school field is ready. Gaga pit will be installed. Lines for basketball court will be painted – Angelo from public works. Courtyard being spruced up. Busy getting all aspects of flow for the school. Jaswells – October event? School Fish was named – "Swedish fish". Students need to bring water bottles – lots of lost and found already. Label all items for kids. Email will come out for volunteers for garden boxes. Boosterthon QR codes will go out this week. All items are in old library and will be passed out by Boosterthon workers. T-shirts need to be aired out.

Additional info from Alycia re: Dues – cash or check only b/c we are nonprofit – also have Paypal too.