Delaware Elementary PTA Meeting Agenda October 4, 2022 @ 6:30 – 7:45 PM

Attendance:

Annie Peyton Erin O'Learnik Lacy May Courtney Whittington Chelsea Clark Elise Miller

Sarah Crispen Krystal Drumheller Megan Davenport Niki Anderson Carrie Naber AJ Tilus

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Introductions

o Call to order

Secretary's Report – Carrie Naber

 Secretary's report of the September meeting minutes passed by majority board vote and has been posted to the Delaware PTA web page

Treasurer's Report – Sarah Crispen

- o Review September Revenue and Expenses
 - o Playground Fund: \$40,682.35
 - o General Fund: \$55,101.69
- o Reimbursement Form Required Along with Receipts
 - o Ensure all information is filled out completely
 - o All reimbursement checks will be placed in mailboxes in the office

Hospitality – Courtney Whittington

- o Cares and Concerns: none
- o October Conferences
 - Stock the Teacher's Lounge
 - Sign Up via Sign Up Genius went out on Monday; dawn to send it out two more times
 - Courtney available on Sunday evening for items
 - Val will be onsite Monday after school to pick up items
 - Conference Meals Provided
 - 41 teachers and 3 student teachers
 - Survey sent out to teachers for gifts/teacher appreciation week
 - Teachers will get an email this week to make meal selections for Thursday box type meal
 - Tuesday: taco bar (Fiesta in Pleasant Hill Oscar; mention Delaware and Chelsea)
 - Thursday: In the Bag

Book Fair - Niki Anderson

- o Book Fair
 - Setting up tomorrow afternoon
 - Sneak peak for teachers Monday morning
 - Tuesday Hours 4:00p 8:00p
 - Wednesday Hours 9:00a 1:30p
 - Thursday Hours 12:30p 7:30p

Family Activities – Lacy May

- December 3 Donuts with Santa 10 am 12 pm
 - Needing a photographer AJ/Elise

- Working on donut and juice donations
- Will be requesting hot cocoa again from HyVee (possibly juice)
- Santa is secured; \$150
- Secured Casey's donation; talk with Sarah regarding Kum & Go for donuts
- Connect with Kari regarding crafts from Bass Pro Shop
- Reach out to the Selby's for inflatables for outside
- Send out sign up genius for volunteers
- February Parents Night Out Silent Auction
 - Allyvia Von Annen
 - Checking on Copper Creek and Elks Lodge usage
 - Elk's Lodge not available
 - Copper Creek \$400 per hour
 - Concern from parents regarding cost of event, timing close to the holidays suggestion to not have separate silent auction event. Transition to online silent auction.
- o Discuss Bingo Night Date
 - Week after spring break; Friday, March 24
 - Committee meetings starting in January
 - Celebrity callers for bingo night
 - Keep auction online only- week prior to bingo night and close out Saturday/Sunday evening
 - 50/50 raffle and teacher experiences during bingo night
- Look at potential 5K for fundraising April 29/30 wrap in with Ram a Thon/first weekend in May 6/7
 - Ask to potentially utilize cross county course
 - Find when junior high state track meet takes place
 - DJ for atmosphere
 - Ben Tilus has offered to help with timing and sponsorship sales

Fundraising – Elise Miller

- o Ram-A-Thon fundraiser committee
 - o To be scheduled: monthly meetings starting in November
 - Possibly meet prior to PTA meetings
 - o Similar set-up as previous years
 - o Separate colored t-shirts for each grade with artwork
 - Adult reverse tie-dve
 - Elise to print shirts
- o Update from Cookie Sales 1550 boxes sold; \$30K; \$12K profit
 - o Top 5 prizes for cookie dough
- Scheduled spirit nights
 - October 14th- Iowa Wild (4th Grade National Anthem night)
 - If we raise over \$400; they will have Crash come to school to visit
 - New link was pushed out
 - o October- 15th-16th Posey and Jetts All day
 - o November- 30th Planet Smoothie 3-6pm
 - o December- 8th The Cove
 - o January- 24th Texas Roadhouse Johnston location until Altoona opens up
 - Chelsea to possibly hand out baskets of rolls
 - o February 20th- Arby's (Altoona)
 - o March- 21st Urban Air
 - o April- Nothing (Focus on Ram-a-Thon)
 - o May- Over the Top with Celebrity scoopers

OLD BUSINESS

- o Reminder: Pay Membership Dues to Treasurer
 - o \$5.00 annual membership fee (each member will receive a window decal sticker)
 - Paid by cash or check to Delaware Elementary PTA or Venmo @sepdelawarepta
 - Sign up at a meeting, unpack your backpack night, or send with your child for the office

NEW BUSINESS

- o Email Sent to Teachers
 - Asking for Volunteers for additional support that may not be able to come assist at events
 - o Received 2 responses back
 - o Send out a list of specifics tasks for teachers to help/volunteer
- Interact Club Contact groups to help out with various activities throughout the year; Key Club will also help
 - o Advisor Gabe Young
 - o Gabriel.young@southeastpolk.org
- Spirit Wear sales
 - Holiday shirt
 - Online apparel
 - Shipping options to school or to home Krystal researching
 - o Can we incorporate with donuts with Santa?

PRINCIPAL / TEACHER UPDATE

NEXT PTA MEETING: TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 1ST @ 6:30-7:45 PM IN LIBRARY (FREE Child Care Available)