

Three Oaks Middle School
PTO MEETING MINUTES
November 30, 2021

∇∇ = Volunteer opportunity

⇒ = Action required

Members Present: Gladys Arana, Dr. Clark, Amy Custo, Amy Ospina, Lori Reichart, Kristin Teschke, Irene Mimnaugh, Mrs. Rossi

Administration Report: *Dr. Clark*

- TOMS went up from 309th to 239th place across the state, despite the two years of learning loss due to the pandemic; this is the highest rate in five years – Dr. Clark is very proud of our teachers!
- Picture retakes will be January 13, 2022
- TOMS School Choice Open House is January 20, 5:30-7:30pm
 - ∇∇ PTO will have a table, and PTO members are welcome to man the table and encourage new volunteers
- COVID-19 positivity rate 2.76% for Lee County; school will continue to plan for “normalcy” with future events, and modify if needed
- Scheduled Civics and Science testing this week, and iReady Diagnostics 12/7/ and 12/8 – school will focus solely on iReady over those two days to give students an uninterrupted block of time

TREASURER REPORT: *Amy Ospina*

- Current balance is \$9,161.72: Math \$166, PBIS \$675, General Student Enrichment/Administration \$1,983.84, PTO \$6,336.84
- PTO purchased cookies from “Perkins” for the Honor Roll Assembly
- Earned \$18.78 from Amazon Smiles, still waiting on “Culver’s” checks, waiting on “Texas Roadhouse” checks which were \$300 for September and \$150 for November
 - Irene will follow-up with “Culver’s” regarding receiving the check

Upcoming Income

- Opportunities from “Zaxby’s” Spirit Night on January 14th
- (Candygrams pushed until February)

Upcoming Expenditures

- \$2,500 projected for “Target” gift cards to be given to faculty and staff for the winter holidays
 - Gift card 10% discount days are December 4th & 5th
- Staff holiday luncheon
- (Candygrams pushed until February)

OLD BUSINESS: *Amy Custo*

- No Spirit Nights in December
- Irene will contact “Zaxby’s” to find out if they have a flyer; still a possibility to tie-in with National Geographic Geography Bee

NEW BUSINESS: *Amy Custo*

- Amy Ospina and Amy Custo will price out items (“Costco”, “Panera”, etc.) for December 17th staff breakfast: yogurt, bagel and cream cheese, creamer, muffins, bananas, Mandarin oranges, miniature brownies
- Candygrams will be moved to February to tie-in with Valentine’ dance – PTO will contact Ms. Lastrom to learn more about logistics

- PTO will offer both student-to-student and student-to-teacher Candygrams; sell Candygrams during the dance and they get distributed following Monday
- Amy O. has blank greeting cards to hold “Target” gift cards, and PTO will write out the cards, and give gift cards to Lori R. for safekeeping; cards will be distributed at staff luncheon
- PTO will look into reserving D.J. for the dance – Kevin Evans of J&K Entertainment D.J. Services
- Mrs. Rossi suggested having a page on the website and/or a list in the Weekly Focus on Honor Roll names, and Dr. Clark agreed
- More opportunities for PTO to get involved – monies donated from Riverwoods Plantation and drones from grant awarded to TOMS
- PTO “dance committee” will meet in early January to work out details

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- Next PTO meeting is Tuesday/January 25th @ 5:00pm

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