

April 12, 2021
Home & School Minutes

Treasure update

- \$142,075 is our current budget to work with.
- Income for the month was from Tiny saints- \$132 & BoxTops- \$87
- Staff lunch was \$189.55 for March

Teacher appreciation snacks/ Teacher Appreciation Week

- Jessica Waag & Angie Eads are coordinating the April snack on 4/16.
11:00-1:30 - Doing cookies and punch
- Teacher Appreciation Week is May 3-7. Jessica & Angie are coordinating this week as well. Working to add a bit of spring to this one. Looking for someone to set up, if possible. Going to have a variety of snacks each day.

Project updates

- Windows- This will take place over the summer. Going to do Elementary classroom windows K-5. Doing fire windows on the other side too. Not going to do preschool or library windows at this time.
- Will move forward with classroom renovations as well. Kiley & Caitlin are working hard on those plans.
- Have some EANS money, looking into trying to do an enrichment camp. Possibly two days a week for students to come into the school during the summer.
- Vacation Bible School is not happening at this time.
- Elementary & preschool bathrooms- waiting on plumber, not going to happen this summer.
- Social studies textbooks (K-5th)- Ben is working on this. New versions are coming out, so this might get pushed into next year.
- Railing/mural- Maybe could be addressed during a clean up day. Going to have someone come and check out the railing

and the large wall to see what they recommend for painting & completing that project. Hoping to do that project in the spring or summer.

Outside clean up day

- Beth is to send out a poll about which day would be best. Maybe after school gets out in June, if possible?
- Discussed that kids can come and just play around outside on the playground. Also, to have middle/high school students available for watching children in the playground area. .
- Need to weed the park and then add new mulch.
- Going to see about moving the Gaga Pit just a little bit due to collisions.
- Talked about painting a hop scotch and four square area during clean up day as well.

Scholarships

- 2- \$1500 scholarships awarded to two seniors. Applications will be reviewed by H&S officers.

School supplies-

- Working on finalizing the supplies and then it will be delivered this August. More information about ordering will be coming soon.
- Hoping to have more help and possibly middle school students deliver the boxes to the classrooms.

Learning Tree Pictures

- New students in August
- First communion in September/October
- 8th grade recognition- Those pictures will go up in May. Rachel is going to take them and put them up.

Fundraisers

- Reminder to utilize AmazonSmile, SCRIP, & Phelps school apparel to support our school.

- In the Friday Newsletter, add that Erin will be selling SCRIP from 7:45-8:10- on Tuesday mornings.
- Amazon Wish List- Make it into a link for families at the end of the newsletter.

Other items

- Last year new Kindergarten students were given polos from Home & School. We would like to do that again this year. Voted on red this year. Rachel is reaching out to Melissa about timing.
- No longer collecting old uniforms, too difficult to store and no one bought them last year.
- Tuesday, May 26th- 8th grade recognition. Ben asked for help with serving and to bust the tables. He would prefer 6th & 7th grade students and families from 6:30-8:00. Rachel will help to find families and organize.
- What is going to happen next school year? Looking to start the year as normal as possible. New Family Night, Back to School Night. Middle School Night, and Preschool School Night. Ben is working on the dates for those. Also, Ben would like to have Home & School representatives at a few, especially the New Family Night. We plan to use the Powerpoint from last year that Stephanie created.

Future meetings

- May 10th @ 6:30 pm- school parking lot, no childcare provided
- June 14th @ 6:30 pm- school parking lot, no childcare provided
- July 12th @ 6:30 pm- school parking lot, no childcare provided