

# Community Club - November 11th, 2020

- Principal's Report
  - Not a lot going on in the building
  - Transition to Yellow – logistics and scheduling
  - Working on a sense of belonging with the kids
    - Having class meetings
    - SEL needs
    - Teacher activities – to learn more about their kids
    - Build relationships with kids so extended learning transition goes well
  - Working with Godfather's Pizza 'Be Nice Get a Slice'
    - Hand out to Gators of the Month
  - Extended campus survey went out to parents for 2<sup>nd</sup> semester planning
- Treasurer's Report
  - Provide overview on balance and deposits
  - October ending balance is \$5483.44
  - Don and Millies day earned about \$18
  - Scooter's amount was approximately \$50 (30% of mentioned sales)
  - Venmo cash out – unsure what that is. It's a credit to the account, but unsure who set it up, how to log in and what credit is coming back.
    - Brooke to look into it further and report back
- Old Business
  - Fall Parties
    - Teachers like the goodie bags and appreciated our efforts
    - Kids were having a good time in the classrooms
- New Business
  - Fundraising
    - Gator Gear water bottles
      - Ken gave an update that 13 water bottles, 4 tumblers and 5 plastic bottles were sold
      - Working on receiving payments
      - Amanda to take the fun run water bottles and give out for PBIS give aways
      - CC to order the 50 minimum with the gator mascot and Amanda willing to pay for half of that order.
      - We would have enough plastic water bottles on hand to sell on an as requested basis or set up a table at future events for sales.
    - Pop - Day of Awesomeness

- 1<sup>st</sup> hardcopy flyer went home with kids today
  - 1<sup>st</sup> Facebook post went up and Amanda shared the post on the school's Facebook page and Class Dojo
  - All Facebook posts are scheduled and will automatically post.
  - Could use some volunteers the day of the kick-off
  - Hathy visited the school with Jessica to figure out where to set up and how kids exit the building
  - Everything is for the most part set up and ready to roll out.
  - Need to look into a spinner wheel app for announcing big prizes
  - Golden ticket prizes and iPad are already dropped off at the school
  - Read-a-Thon in the spring to coincide with One Book One School/Book Fair
    - Look into an online logging and fundraising program (will likely have a percentage fee)
    - Wait to figure out a time until we see how covid and extended learning looks like
- Pre-winter break movie day
  - Melissa to head up and organize
  - Amanda to propose 2 dates for movie day since in yellow mode
- Yearbook Committee
  - Not a good year to ask for teacher or student help
  - Angelia to take last year's template – teachers can insert class photos
  - Angelia can take the school pictures CD and plug those in the template
  - Business sponsorships?
    - Table for next year to go out and ask local businesses
    - Possibly run a blurb in the Newsletter and see if any parent businesses reach out
    - Suggest keeping it a flat rate such as \$25 to get business's name in the yearbook
    - 6<sup>th</sup> grade parent could write a note to their kid with a donation?
    - 6<sup>th</sup> grade could pay for a special picture to include instead of the standard school picture?
- Westside Community Club President's meeting
  - Jessica attended – a lot of good ideas that other community clubs do
  - Some schools have a much higher budget
  - Capitol campaign
    - Figure out the entire budget for the year, then divide by the number of kids, then ask for that dollar amount.
    - Could have business or personal sponsorships to sponsor kids.
    - Westgate tried that several years ago and it wasn't as successful as the carnival/fun run etc.

- Jammie Jog – fun run but in pajamas
- Gouls on the Run – Halloween themed fun run
- Student directory
  - Pay for access to the list; pay for sponsorship
  - Westgate always just sends this out digitally.
- Oakdale is good about social media
  - They have a weekly newsletter
  - They have an online tool kit on their own website.
- Swanson had a critter theme for each of the classrooms
  - Sell t-shirts with that critter theme on them
- Loveland does a video agenda for the community club meetings to get more involvement and interest
- Some schools have an ongoing gear store
  - Some schools have better success that incorporates the Westside logo “Gators Today - Warriors Tomorrow”
  - Beanies didn’t sell very well a few years ago
  - Possibly embroidered flat bill hat?
- School supply kits
  - CC pays and assembles school supplies then a sponsor could pay for and provide school supplies to ones that need it.
- Have a parents event/meeting outside of school – use it as a recruiting effort
- Parents Night out – trivia, Red Eye Tavern and percentage of profits go back to CC