



Parents Association of Lacamas Students (PALS)

Lacamas PALS Monthly Meeting Minutes – 12/9/2020

Meeting called to order at 6:02 by Therasa Cheng

MEMBERS PRESENT: Therasa Cheng, April Bullman, Katie Redmond, Jenni Isaak, Caroline Robbins, Jenni Wilson, Jackie Powell, Tracy Paskowski, Michelle Palloni,

BOARD REPORTS

- **Secretary's Report:** Motion to approve the minutes from November, Caroline Robbins seconds and notes are approved.
- **Treasurer Report:** Caroline Robbins shares the reconciliation. Asks for reconciliation to be approved, Therasa seconds. Motion passes. We also met to go over the budget which we have thanks to a generous corporate donor. Michelle made recommendations that were included, we have 2,595.89 left over. Two options, we could add \$85 to each teacher grant for \$285, or take \$600 and put it in staff appreciation and it would still give us enough to add \$65 to each teacher grant. Or supply each staff member with a T-shirt and then whatever is left can go to teacher grants.
60 Staff: T-shirts \$20 per staff and then we would have \$45 additional for each teacher grant. Then each teacher will receive \$245 for the teacher grant.
Caroline moves to approve the budget, April moves to approve. Budget passes!
- **Volunteer Report: Pass**
- **Communications Report: Pass**
- **Literacy Report: Jenni Wilson. We got a little bit from the online book fair. We made \$142 from the online bookfair. That brings our Scholastic dollars to \$631.90. We booked the June fair. Possibly set up another in February or March. We are going to schedule one right before Spring Break. The 8th-19th of March.**
- **Fundraising Report:** We sold 31 payback books. We earned \$310. We are going to extend through the holidays. Cashed in School Store. Ten participants for Pie in the Face fundraiser, scheduled for middle of January. Sending ParentSquare messages for fundraising and spirit wear. Julie is also going to put it in the Leopard Update.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

- **Staff Appreciation:** Jackie Powell. Missing the communication piece to let families know what the little notecards are for. Julie and Katie will talk to Charlie about posting again. We have already received several cards for staff and are sorting them as they come through.
- **Class Books:** We need a little bit more time. We are taking an inventory of what we have and then deciding what would really be necessary.
- **Spirit Wear:** extending the date to the first week in January. Making some fliers and we will help get into supply folders.

NEW BUSINESS/UPCOMING EVENTS

- **Possible Family Game Night ideas. Katie Redmond will bring ideas to the meeting in January**

Meeting adjourned at 6:35PM by Therasa Cheng.

Next Meeting January 13th, 2021