Skyview Home and School Association Monthly Meeting Agenda

Date: Thursday, March 3, 2022, at 6:30 PM

Place: Library at Skyview Upper Elementary School, 4001-B Eagleville Road, Eagleville, PA 19403 & Via Zoom. The link is:

Attendants: Regina Santangelo, Kelly Arnone, Kate Dougherty, Patrick Qin, Carolyn Maniscalco, Lauren Pires, Jenn Zavertnik, Nicole Berical, Gina Stover, Jodi Kohar

I. Principal's Report

- The Principal, counselors, & teachers completed data meetings in mid-Feb. to review/determine benchmark levels and identify needs for support systems.
- There is a 6th grade youth book drive for Read Across America week.
- Transition planning is ongoing for applicable students changing schools (4th-graders and 6th-graders). There will be tours, intro nights for parents, etc.
- The author visit will take place on 3/04- All students will see the presentation.
- New mini-Thon club/group: A meeting was held today (3/3) with some 6th-graders who presented their idea of beginning their own mini-Thon club/group. The students want to raise money for a cause, but they are still deciding on the cause. Ideas, such as having an outside event with a DJ on a Friday, were discussed. There will be further meetings to iron out more details. Maybe mini-Thon could coordinate with Fun Day after PSSAs in May.

II. Presidents' Report

- a. Author Visit—Susan Muaddi Darraj—Friday March 4th for Read Across America
- b. Family Game Night (BINGO)—March 10th from 7-8:30 PM—FREE EVENT—Google registration form is filling up! Great prizes are ready to be won and raffled off! Free water bottle and soft pretzels! Teachers and staff will participate in the games. There is a max of 140 students and 74 are signed up currently. No siblings only SV students permitted.
- c. Career Day—Friday, April 1, 2022—We have a committee of volunteers! Thanks to those volunteers! Presenters are needed!
- d. Skyview Science Days—2 Virtual Programs to choose from: 4/8 and/or 4/9 Space is limited and registration ends 3/17.
- e. Skyview Movie Night at Movie Tavern—The Bad Guys—Rated PG. Thursday, April 28th at 7:00 PM. May add additional shows at 6:00 if we get a large number. \$9.60 per person (adults & kids) for admission, popcorn and a drink. Open to all Skyview families and staff. PRIVATE THEATERS for Skyview only!!
- f. We bought a zoo!! Elmwood Park Zoo. For 2 hours for Skyview Appreciation Night—FREE for all Skyview Families and Staff to attend. Tuesday, May 17th from 5:30-7:30 PM plus an Animal Greet (Redtail Hawk). Rain or Shine event.
- g. Yearbook sales 109 sold so far \$18.99 plus tax for each
- III. Vice Presidents' Report In combination with Presidents' report
- IV. Secretary's Report

- a. Approve February's Meeting Minutes
- b. 22-23 Board Nominations A Treasurer is still needed
- V. Treasurer's Report SVHS is staying on budget

We are targets to spend ~50% of our budget. We will know by the end of the month if we're not going to spend the money.

We still need some HR parents to get reimbursed. Contact Patrick for reimbursement.

A new mini-grant was requested. We do have money left in our mini-grant fund.

VI. Old Business

- a. MCC Update Meeting minutes can be found in Konstella
- b. SEA Update -
 - The series on Universal Design for Learning with Shelley Moore wrapped up this week! Over 100 Methacton directors, administrators, educators and families/caregivers registered to attend live and have access to the recordings and handouts for all 4 sessions. The Methacton SEA was proud to partner with neighboring school district parent groups in Radnor, Lower Merion, Build Tredyffrin/Easttown, Upper Dublin and Cheltenham along with the Montgomery County Intermediate Unit to make this event FREE to our METHACTON community.
 - THURSDAY, March 17- Our next SEA meeting topic is Take Steps NOW TO Prepare for Life After High School --The role of the student, family and school in successful transition planning. A flyer will be coming out soon. Our families and staff are welcome to register at this
 - link, https://forms.gle/dx8428H14zLkVUGc9
 - WEDNESDAY, April 20 Our SEA meeting topic is Extended School Year (ESY) presented by Kathleen M. Metcalf, Managing
 - Attorney of Special Education with Rafaelle & Associates, LLC.
- c. School Board Update see March notes via the link March 2022 School Board Notes Newsletter

VII. New Business

- a. Volunteers are needed for Spring Picture Day.
- b. Need a date for the Tricycle Race and Police Escort from the Skyview Strong fundraiser rewards 5/13
- c. Need a date for the End-of-Year Fun Day—6/3 with a rain date of 6/6.
- d. Art Show is 5/4 from 6:30PM 8:00PM
- e. Staff Appreciation Lunch change date

Next SVHS Meeting: Thursday, April 7, 2022, at 6:30 PM in person @ Skyview Library & Via Zoom