

2017-2018

Brawley Middle School PTSO

Board Meeting

November 3, 2017

Present: Liana Weller, Laura Gottlieb, Kisten Hunter, Sarah Rawls, Shannon Stanley, Kelly Majewski, Jimmie Dancy, Kristi Foster, Debra Seymour, Rachel Campbell, Ann Mautner

December meeting date conflicts with spelling bee. December meeting will be moved to Dec 8th at 9am (Mr Dancy's birthday)

903 Meeting called to order - Liana

Principal update – Jimmie Dancy

- Officer File received a promotion and will be moving on from his role as the BMS Resource Officer. Officer Marty Collins will be replacing him and is with Ofc File now
- Vaping issue – becoming a larger issue within the school. 3 days suspension for offenses. Mr Dancy may address on a larger scale (email) with parents
- Fall Fund Drive –
 - So far only 7% participation rate (53 families)
 - \$11,830.25 taken in so far (behind from last year)
 - PTSO to send out ConnectEd to promote. Focus on what has been purchased so far and what is at risk if funds are not raised
 - Homeroom teachers to send email to parents supporting efforts.
 - New reward – with minimum \$10 donation, individual students will receive 2 free dress code passes to be used 11/20 & 11/21/17. Students who have already donated will receive passes as well.
- Mrs Garver received a \$5k grant – being used for campus beautification, picnic table area near concession stand

Treasurer update - Laura

- Current balance - \$28,430.26

October Follow ups

- Fence Banners: Kearney builders location on fence – Mr Dancy to contact about placement issue
- Spirit rock: still pending destruction of old rock and installation of new one
- Holiday teacher gifts – quotes in
 - \$27 for ¼ zip, \$32 for full zip
 - Due to low participation in fund drive proposal to not spend extra money on additional gifts. Luncheon and gift cards will continue.
 - VOTE: unanimous Yes, drop the jackets and continue with luncheon/gift cards only

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- School rules/procedures printing and framing – will follow up with Mr Keys for update- Liana
- 7th & 8th ELA request for author visit –
 - Allen Gratz – can speak to all 3 grades (7th & 8th reading his books this year)
 - PTSO & school to split cost - \$1250 each
 - Tentative date scheduled May 18, 2018
 - Potential – to sell autographed books as fundraiser
 - VOTE: unanimous Yes, to split cost with school for event

Committee Updates

- Spirit wear - Kristi
 - Sending out updated order form for new style jackets & other cold weather items
- Community nights - Sarah
 - Jersey Mikes/Juice Bar - \$372 for Jersey Mikes & \$200 for Juice Bar
 - Next event Nov 16th at Johnny Rockets
- Teacher Appreciation
 - Working on collecting the family information now. Should have soon.
 - Liana will help setting up the sign up genius
 - To include more slots for gift cards so more families can contribute this year

New Topics –

- Farewell gift for Officer File – to be presented next week – Kisten will handle purchasing (\$50)

955 Meeting adjourned - Liana

Next Meeting: Friday, 12/8/17 - 9am

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