



## Manzanita Family Faculty Organization Monthly Meeting October 4th, 2019

**Call to Order:** 8:17am, Asia Haubner

- Members in attendance: Asia Haubner, Megan Swartz, Julie Bowden, Kim Boling, Michelle Ijams

**Approve Minutes:** Michelle Ijams

- Heather Reed
- Jennie Buban
- Approved September 2019 minutes

**Principal's Update:** Kim Boling

- Introductions and welcome
- Mindfulness at Manzanita
  - Self-Regulation
    - Independently improve performance and preserve through challenges
  - Why?
    - Focus in Class
    - Emotion regulation
    - Respect
    - Delay gratification
  - What it does?
    - Self-compassion
  - How?
    - Mindfulness Education Exchange
    - Cultivating mindfulness in education
  - K-12 Lessons throughout the year
    - 18 teachers at MZ are learning storytelling with mindfulness
    - Mind Up Curriculum
      - K-2, 3-5 programs
- Monday Morning Mindfulness: every Monday, 7:40-7:55am (MPR)

**Treasurer's Report:** Megan Swartz

- Amend budget to add Family Evening of the Arts, please vote
- Desert Dash: \$4600 in sponsorships
- Amazon Smile: \$600-700 a year
- Fry's: \$500-600 a year

- Approve September Financials:
  - Lisa Yurkanin
  - Julie Bowden
  - Approved

**Mustang Bucks:** Julie Bowden

- \$26,300 currently, goal of \$26,000
- 3rd Parking Spot Winner: #18 Heather Zapata

**SEP:** Lisa Yurkanin

- \$26,000 split between all the grade levels
  - Spend on field trips, classroom materials
- Kindergarten: Desert Museum adoption, Village Farm, RAZ Kids (\$3,892)
- 1<sup>st</sup>: RAZ Kids, Botanical Gardens, Village Farm (\$2,318)
- 2<sup>nd</sup>: RAZ Kids, Slim Goodbody (\$1,987)
- Multi: (\$4,181)
- 3<sup>rd</sup>: Planners, Passports (\$4,636)
- 4<sup>th</sup>: Tucson Symphony, Phoenix Science Museum (\$4,429)
- 5<sup>th</sup>: IXL, Planners (\$4,636)
- 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Science Camp:
  - \$200 per child for food, transportation, camp
  - 113 5<sup>th</sup> graders this year, 12 need to pay
  - 7 scholarships
  - Payment plan can be used
  - The total of the camp is ~\$22,000
  - We do not bring enough money in to cover the trip so the FFO is dipping into reserves.
  - Discussion on raising the price to \$210
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade trip is \$70 per child

**DFFO Report:** Asia Haubner

- 5,632 students enrolled
- 43% of the district is open enrolled
- Open enrollment begins November 1<sup>st</sup>
- Please remind in-district families to register for school as soon as possible
- Community Schools staffing:
  - CARE
  - Wednesday Orchestra students
- Great new Q2 classes coming out soon.

**Committee Reports:**

- Desert Dash: Kim Bourn
  - Saturday, October 5<sup>th</sup>, Sabino Canyon
  - \$4,000 sponsorship goal
  - Sign up genius is out for volunteers the day of the event
  - 6:30am warm up, event begins at 7am

- Staff Appreciation: Jen Pershing
  - October 15<sup>th</sup>, Half Day Grab and Go Lunch
  - Sign up genius will be sent out and link in the newsletter
- School Pictures: Terri Schaefer (Angela)
  - November 5<sup>th</sup> is re-takes
  - Delivery for pictures is November 4<sup>th</sup>
- Foundation Report : Angela Appel
  - Tapas for Teachers is coming up on October 11<sup>th</sup>
  - \$40, Adults only
- Newsletter:
  - Please make sure that you have joined the FFO group on Bloomz to get the newsletter and all the updated information

Next Meeting: Friday, November 1st, 8:15am

Motion to Adjourn: 9:11am