

## FFO Meeting

November 4th, 2020

**Call to order:** 2:03pm

**Attendees:** Jennie Buban, Julie Bowden, Kim Boling, Kelsey Garcia-Faber, Karin Fiore, Megan Winter, Celine Cohn, Aditi Gupta, Catalina Buffum, Asia Haubner, Lisa Yurkanin

### Introductions and Welcome

**Approve Minutes:** Julie Bowden

1. Catalina Buffum
2. Megan Winter
  - Approved October 2020 minutes

**Principal's Update:** Kim Boling

Guest Speaker: Kelsey Garcia-Faber

The Distance Learning Playbook for Parent's

Author: Rosalind Wiseman

- Ch. 3 - The principles of well-being
  - Provides guidance to parents to help kids navigate through these challenging times of remote learning
  - Promoting well-being and managing/responding to conflict and challenges
  - Social emotional learning by grade level
    - K - foundational problem solving & self management skills
    - 1-3 - positive interaction with others
    - 4-5 - decision making & self growth

**Mustang Bucks:** Catalina Buffum

- Currently raised \$14,550 with a goal of \$16,000 for the year.

**SEP:** Lisa Yurkanin

- We have raised \$17,471.20 so far this year, including Mustang Bucks, Desert Dash sponsorships (\$1175), Amazon Smile, Fry's, Spirit Wear
- Total SEP spent \$18,840.30 - currently over budget
  - Spending on SEP, Bloomz, classroom spending, toolkits, RAZ Kids, IXL
    - Kinder has spent \$2371.98 of their \$2231.22 budget. (over by \$140.76)
      - Purchased a phonics program that pushed them over budget (Lilo)
    - 1st grade has spent \$903.29 of their \$1333.29 budget. (\$430 left)
    - 2nd grade has spent \$840.03 of their \$1741.44 budget. (\$901.41 left)
    - 3rd grade has spent \$1152.05 of their \$2421.69 budget. (\$1269.64 left)
    - 4th grade has spent \$2127.84 of their \$2911.77 budget. (\$783.93 left)
    - 5th grade has spent \$1,892.63 of their \$2775.64 budget. (\$883.01 left)
    - Multi-Age has spent \$1637.29 of their \$2584.95 budget. (\$947.66 left)

- FFO bought a doc-cam for Devon Inglee (Art teacher) for recording
- FFO bought the Spanish teacher - screen castify??? It condenses videos within nearpod to help with lesson recording

Aditi asked about teachers putting together wish lists to have parents fund requests.

- Ms. Boling said that wish lists are fine so that teachers can send them out to parents directly.

**Treasurer's Report:** Lisa Yurkanin

October Financial's Approval: Lisa Yurkanin

1. Celine Cohn
2. Catalina Buffum

**DFFO Report:** Asia Haubner

- Meeting is Nov 5th
- No updates to report as meeting hasn't happened

**New Business:** Jennie Buban

- Beginning our Shade Structure campaign
  - 2 structures (5th grade patio & library patio)
  - Got bids and renderings from contractor
  - Conrad Masterson (Shade Industries) is working with us on pricing
    - 2 shade structures \$56k → \$36k
    - Goodman family has stepped up to match dollar for dollar donations up to \$10k
    - Once we have funding we'll move forward to get the structures up ASAP

**Committee Reports:**

- **Book Fair:** Asia Haubner - will be virtual Nov 9-22nd, all earnings will be scholastic dollars and will be given to the librarian for spending in the school library next year.
- **School Pictures:** Asia Haubner - They are in the works, have not determined how to make it work but we are still planning on having them.
- **Desert Dash:** Jennie Buban - 50 participants, every grade level was represented. A winner from each grade level was selected for a \$10 Frost Gift Card.
- **Dine Outs:** Celine Cohn - \$173.69 earned from Panda Express dine out. Mod Pizza Nov. 19th, Chipotle in December.
- **Foundation Report:** Julie Bowden - TOY nominations are being accepted now until Nov 30th.
- **Yearbook:** Julie Bowden - New 3 year contract has been signed with Picaboo.
- **Holiday Project:** Karin Fiore - Reading to kick-off the project Nov 15th. Students will be writing letters to the elderly. Cards will be handwritten due back to school by Dec. 11th. Goal is to receive 500 letters. If kids write 2+ letters they get a pencil prize.
  - St. Luke's home, Sage Desert, Mt. View Retirement, and Tucson VA Nursing Home will be the recipients of the cards.

**Upcoming Dates:** Jennie Buban

Virtual Miler's Club is ongoing

Virtual Book Fair Nov 9-22

FFO Meeting - 2pm Jan 20th

Thanksgiving Break

Winter Break

**Adjourn:** 3:17pm