



**Manzanita Family Faculty Organization
Monthly Meeting
March 11th, 2021**

Call to Order: 10:03am

Members in Attendance: Asia Haubner, Kim Boling, Jennie Buban, Lisa Yurkanin, Julie Bowden, Catalina Buffum, Ann Lee, Megan Winter, Carole Siegler, Amy Krauss, Mark Rubin Toles, Angela Appel, Megah Sha, Mark D, Celine Cohn

Approve Minutes: Michelle Ijams

1st: Catalina Buffum

2nd: Ann Lee

Approved FFO minutes

Principal's Update: Kim Boling/Mark Rubin-Toles

- Transition into to middle school
- OGMS Mission Statement: Create curious, capable and compassionate problem solvers.
- Be respectful, be responsible, be compassionate
- Lots of support at OGMS for the children.

Counselors, ZAP(new name Zeros Are Preventable), academic assistance, Panther Pals, Panther Den, advisor based student success program, peer tutoring. Plan for next year: Tours on April 7th. Self-guided tour. Maps will be provided and Panther Pals will be onsite . Everyone will need to wear masks.

Sports: Sign up for sports/activities at the end of July at OGMS. Spots fill up fast.

- Week before OGMS starts: pick up and unpack. Students will receive: schedule, locker, school ID. Take pictures, and buy yearbook.

Day before school starts: New to school orientation.

- Join the FFO at OGMS. orangegroveffo.org

OG newsletter available

Treasurer's Report: Lisa Yurkanin

Expenses:

- MB/Shade: \$43,000
- SEP: \$13,185.74
- Bloomz: \$2,419.41
- Teacher Funding: \$3306.44
- Principal's Fund: \$1918.29
- T-shirts: \$1,332.83
- FFO/Admin: \$2,216.31
- Bank and Credit card fee: \$1,155.84
- Expenses: \$68,534.86

Income:

- Mustang Bucks \$48,080.00
- Yearbook \$2,650.84
- EduKit \$1,325.93
- Desert Dash \$1,175.00
- Custom Ink \$1,238.03
- Teacher Appreciation \$1373.00
- Amazon Smile/Fry's Qtrly/Box Tops \$1261.25
- Dine Outs/ Misc. \$1245.55
- Read-a-Thon \$18,083.76

● **TOTAL**
\$76,433.31

Financials Approval: Julie Bowden

1. Catalina Buffum
2. Angela Appel

Approved Financials

Mustang Bucks: Catalina Buffum

- \$15,800 out of \$16,000 for Grade Level Spending
- \$200 more for grade level funding
- \$32,280 for shade structure
- \$48,080 Total for Mustang Bucks

SEP: Lisa Yurkanin

- Kindergarten Spending: \$2461.04/\$2,730.22
- 1st Grade Spending: \$974.25/\$1,333.29
- 2nd Grade Spending: \$840.03/\$1,812.92
- Multi-Age Spending: \$2121.35/\$2,421.69
- 3rd Grade Spending: \$2604.61/\$2,421.69
- 4th Grade Spending: \$2,127.84/\$2,911.77
- 5th Grade Spending: \$2,223.86/\$2,775.64

Jennie Buban: Motion to approve an additional \$50 to each teacher, and included staff member for classroom funding totaling up to \$2,000.

1st: Lisa Yurkanin

2nd - Catalina Buffum

Motion passed

Committee Reports:

- DFFO Report:
 - All schools in district back to 5 days a week in person.
 - Pima County Health Department is opening up a special vaccine location just for educators.
 - Register your child as soon as possible. 3,700 out of 5,000 returning students have registered. All students must register by April. Teacher contracts go out in April.
 - Community Schools:
 - CARE and classes are still going on. 75 available classes, K-8 online and in person options.

- Quarter 4 athletic skills training camps in volleyball, soccer and running now available
- Summer program registration goal is to open by Spring Break
- Summer credit classes for HS (Health and PE): February 8th
- Register for CARE 21/22 Friday March 19th. Open at 8:30am
- Spring Break registration open March 9th @8:30am classes will be coming out soon.

- Foundation Report: Julie Bowden
 - TOY
 - Event happening, May 1st at the Oro Valley Gaslight Theater location. All outdoors.
 - Become a sponsor and make a tribute to a teacher.
 - Foundation is halfway to goal of \$150,000. Please donate!
 - Yearbook: Julie
 - On sale at manzanitaffo.org. Currently we have sold 90 yearbooks. Usually we sell between 300 to 350
 - Still accepting selfies and candid's for yearbook.
 - Staff Appreciation: Angela Appel
 - Thank you to everyone who has donated!
 - March 17th: St. Patrick's day snacks and drinks. Look for the sign up genius on Bloomz. Please label snack donations, "teacher appreciation."
 - Milers' Club: Ann Lee
 - Ongoing
 - Dine Outs: Celine
 - Next dine out in April. Fini's Landing
 - Dine out budget is met

New Business:

- Shade structure posts going up over Spring Break. Shade sails are currently in production.

Current drop off time for in person learning: 7:38am

Important Dates:

Miler's Club ongoing

Spring Book Fair March 1st – March 14th

Kindness Week March 15th-19th

Next FFO Meeting: Friday, April 2nd, 10:00am

Motion to Adjourn: 11:13am