

## PTO Meeting November 18, 2020

Welcome/Opening Prayer (all together)

Standard Agenda Items:

- Principal Report: Mrs. Larson
  - School going well, Christmas program in email. Staff staying well!
- Treasurer Report: Jodi
  - Current balance: \$22, 417.58 (before cheesecakes \$7863.82)
  - 20% of cheesecake sales, close to \$4000
- School Representative: Mrs. Kapphahn
  - Teachers working hard to finish 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter grading
  - Working on Christmas video
  - Kids happy to be in school and getting used to the changes to school
- PTO Chairs:
  - Popcorn – going good, kids all seem excited for popcorn Friday
  - Staff Birthday – going well for the birthdays, La Barista set up for birthdays with PTO card

Old Business:

1. Fall Book Fair results to school library: \$1085.85
2. October PTO events lunch for a month and conferences lunch (19 Oct) 5 meals on each teachers account = 11 teachers. Meals from Jimmy Johns.
3. Pie Sale discussion – Now Cheesecake Sale
  - Volunteer hours – for handing out cheesecakes, no hours for selling cheesecakes
  - Freezers – save 4 and possible sell the rest, pie equipment sale
4. Advent by Candlelight – not this year, rules changed for gathering sizes so event not possible for 2020 Advent season

New Business:

1. “Thankful for you” gift for teachers: Jodi and Carrie next week, lotions for teachers
2. Christmas gift cards for teachers: need volunteers
  - Used to do PTO wish list book of Classroom items or teachers favorite things, plants with gift cards the last few years
  - PTO email list of teachers favorite stores or restaurants possibly
  - Send email to encourage gift cards or Amazon/Walmart gift cards for teachers to order what they need
  - Kids give gift cards to teachers or an item for the classroom
  - Decided PTO would not collect gift cards for teachers this year, Students give their gift to the teachers directly. Money we used for plants will now go to teachers directly as a gift card or cash.

Upcoming events:

20 Nov: Cheesecake order delivery: Catherine, Sara, Carrie and Faith 1pm

20 Nov: Popcorn Friday

18 Dec Popcorn Friday

Next meeting Jan 20<sup>th</sup>

Closing Prayer(all together)