Whiteside PTC Agenda: Monday, 11/21/24



Attendees: 2024-2025 PTC Board Members:

Sarah Odens (Pres) Kimberlee Hicks (Treas) Jami Houston (VP), Kristin Runyan (Sec)

Administration, Faculty & Staff: Mark Heuring, Nathan Rakers, Michelle Burton, Kristy Schaaf, Anna Campbell, Amy Jung, DeAnn Doolittle

Parents: Lynette Mack-Green, Whitney Taylor

Zoom: Christine Mitchell-Endsley, Megan Trippi, Rachelle Madison, Derek Houston, Alyssa Taylor

- 1. Call to Order (Jami Houston) 6:03 pm
- 2. Pledge (Jami Houston)
- 3. Approval of Minutes: October 2024 (Kristin Runyan)
 - a. Motion to approve October 2024 Minutes
 - i. Moved: Burton Second: Schaaf Result: Motion Carries
- 4. Treasurer's Report: October 2024 (Kimberlee Hicks)
 - a. Motion to approve October 2024 Report
 - i. Moved: Burton Second: Schaaf Result: Motion Carries
- 5. District #115 Report (Superintendent: Mr. Mark Heuring)
 - a. Veterans Celebration great turnout at both schools. Thanks to principals to
 - b. The School Report Card will be posted this week. Both schools were ranked "commendable"
 - c. Weekend Warrior Thanks for the support from PTC. Staff are now able to do "payroll deductions" to donate to Weekend Warrior. Some have selected to do this.
 - d. Construction update: Wrapping up the solar projects. Committee continues to meet for the PreK and EC addition. Had some delays in the planning process with concerns about mines in the local area. Should be in by the end of 2026 school year.
 - e. Principals Week we took time to appreciate the principals
 - f. Thank a Board Member DAy was last Friday (11/15)
 - g. Looking for Paraprofessionals. If you know of anyone interested, direct them to the office with inquiries.
- 6. Principal's Reports
 - a. Elementary (Mr. Nathan Rakers)
 - Treats for Troops bags of leftover candy from Halloween were made into baggies
 - ii. Good drive last week- met the goal of 500 items collected. Each grade will get a gym jam
 - iii. The Veterans Day parade and Glee club song was great!
 - iv. Bossler asked about Santa for Gingerbread night. Charges \$50 per hour due to needing to clean his suit but is willing to do \$25 per hour for us.

- b. Middle by Mr. Heuring
 - i. Basketball is going strong.
- 7. Teacher Liaison Reports
 - a. Elementary School (TBD) DeAnn Doolittle!!!
 - i. No report at this time.
 - b. Middle School (Michelle Burton)
 - i. Thank you for the Conference dinners & they loved the tablecloths
 - ii. Ordered the 5th grade new equipment & Good News Party
 - iii. Fall Fest went pretty well. Had to be moved inside due to wind and weather.

8. Old Business:

- a. Elementary School Teacher Liaison DeAnn Doolittle has agreed. Amy Jung will help give her some guidance on what the role entails.
- b. Past Events Overviews & Reports
 - i. No discussion on the Conferences and Fall Fest
 - ii. Class parties got a little bit of a late start. Amy Jung got feedback that she is willing to share. It was a little light on the activities. A week or two before, teachers would be told what would be in the box so teachers knew what to expect.

Date	Events	Chairperson(s)
10/22	Teacher Conferences Dinner	Jami/Sarah O./Kristin
10/30	MS Fall Fest	Mrs. Laurent
10/31	ES Fall Class Party	Kimberlee

9. New Business:

- a. Glo Bingo (Jami) March 21, 2024
 - i. School Board volunteers
 - ii. Principal for the day & Teacher parties
 - 1. Mr. Heuring and Mr. Rakers for number Calling
 - 2. We can work on bid sheet clarity
 - 3. Good to offer 8th Grade Graduation Tickets.
 - a. Consider starting lower. A \$200 starting point was too much. The lower you start, the more fun the bidding is.
 - iii. Need new auctioneer
- b. Upcoming Events
 - i. To Discuss
 - 1. Gingerbread Night We do have some registrations. Might need to order more table cloth rolls.
 - 2. Winter Class Parties -Pancakes and PJ's confirm \$8. Some discussion about orange juice and tang. Overall decision was to stick with the Tang.

Date	Events	Chairperson(s)
12/6	Gingerbread Night	Amy Jung/Christine ME/Nicole Sexton
12/20	ES Winter Class Party	???
1/25	Pancakes & PJ's @ES	Amy Jung

ii. Save the Date

Date	Events	Chairperson(s)
2/14	ES Friendship Class Party	Kimberlee
2/21	Family Puzzler @ MS	Kristin
3/4 or 3/6	Teacher Conferences Dinner	Jami/Sarah O./Kristin
3/14	Kindergarten Grandparents Lunch	Kimberlee
3/21	Glo Bingo	Jami and Kimberlee
5/5-5/9	Teacher Appreciation Week Events	Jami/Sarah O./Kristin
5/20	Year End Carnival @ ES	Michelle G.
End of Year	ES Year End Party	???

- 10. Open Forum & Announcements
 - a. Let teachers know that they can start picking baskets. Specifically before Black Friday, basket ideas.
- 11. Next Meeting: Monday, December 9, 2024, 6:00 PM Middle School Library
- 12. Adjournment at 6:47 pm

a. Motion: Kristy Schaaf 2nd: Michelle Burton Result: Motion Carries

Respectfully submitted,

Kristin Runyan

Approved: December 9, 2024