

CMS PTO

April 4, 2023

In Attendance: Dan Morgan, Jen Barnes, Sun Shine Hohman, Bahar Iranmanesh, Laura Warren, Adrienne Mitchell, Bryce Griffin, Shel Lyons, Devon Crews, Hayley Merrill, Roeya Banuazizi, Kerith, Ann Day

- I. Approval of March 7th Meeting Minutes
- II. Welcome & PTO Updates
- III. Staff Appreciation Events
- III. New Family Committee
- IV. Treasurer's Report
- V. Fundraising Update
- VI. 8th Grade Dance & Brunch
- VII. Engineering/Robotics/Athletics Presentation
- VIII. Principal's Report

Meeting called to order on April 4, 2023 at 8:20am.

- I. Approval February 7, 2022 Meeting Minutes:
 - a. Laura Warren moved to approve the minutes
- II. Welcome & PTO Updates - Sun Shine Hohman
 - a. Review of PTO Mission Statement
 - b. Recap of topics presented: Counseling, Wellness, ChatGPT, Athletics, Robotics, and Engineering
 - c. PTO has one more meeting, May 2nd, this school year. It will be held at 6:15pm in the CMS library. We are inviting parents of rising 6th graders to attend. Additionally, PTO will sell PE clothing for next year.
- III. Staff Appreciation Events - Valerie Ghio
 - a. May 8th -12th
 - b. The weeklong celebration for the staff will include: treats, gift cards (SignUp Genius will be sent), letters of gratitude, ending with a lunch.
- IV. New Family Committee Update - Laura Warren
 - a. One last parent mixer will be held before the end of the school year (TBD)
 - b. Contact Laura if you are new to CMS.

- V. Treasurer's Report – Adrienne Mitchell
 - a. Checking: \$75,000
 - b. Checks written this month: Music in the Park (\$4,000)
 - c. Upcoming Expenses: 8th grade Dance and Brunch, PE Clothes (\$14,000), Staff Appreciation Week

- V. Fundraising Update - Bahar Iranmanesh
 - a. The Chipotle event held March 8th raised \$820
 - b. We will hold at least one more dine-out opportunity before the school year ends

- VI. 8th Grade Dance & Brunch- Shel Lyons
 - a. Next meeting will be held on April 17th, via Zoom
 - b. Wrapping up the planning.
 - c. Shed has been cleaned out.
 - d. Discounts from Paris Bakery
 - e. Issue with lighting may need to address with PTO after the April 17th meeting

- VII. Engineering/Robotics and Athletic Presentation - Bryce Griffin
 - a. Overview and vision for the future was provided of the Engineering and Robotics program at CMS.
 - b. First year of Robotics was taught this year: Lego Robots, Vex Robots, Indoor Drones, Co2 Dragsters.
 - c. Sports Overview:
 - i. Fall Sports: Soccer (boys, girls, and skills & dev team), Volleyball (6-8th girls, 6-8th boys, skills & dev team), Cross Country (110 athletes)
 - ii. Winter: Basketball (6-8th boys, 6-8th girls, skills & dev team for boys, open morning gym for anyone)
 - iii. Spring: Tennis (44 athletes, two teams), Wrestling (30 athletes), Track & Field (131 Athletes)

- VIII. Principal's Report – Dan Morgan
 - a. Sprint Sports
 - b. Last Music Festival, Strings, will be held on Wednesday, April 5th.
 - c. Spring Dance held on March 17th was a little under attended due to weather and illnesses. Approximately 350 students attended the event.

- d. Battle of the Books wrapped up Monday, April 3rd. Team “Overbooked” won the competition. PTO sponsored prizes: RG Burger lunch, trip to movie theater, and Coldston gift cards.
- e. The 8th grade wiffle ball tournament ended on Monday, April 3rd. 7th grade season will begin after break.

IX. Closing - Sunshine Hohman

- a. Next PTO meeting will be held in-person.
- b. Please contact PTO if you want to get involved.

Meeting Adjourned at 8:48 am