



Community Council Agenda

Joseph Cook Elementary School

Wednesday, April 13, 2016

Community Council Meetings are usually held the third Wednesday of every other month at 4 PM in the library.

2015-16 Meeting Schedule: Sep. 16, Nov. 18, Jan. 20, Mar. 16, Apr. 13 (Run), and May 4 (SIP)

Members Present: Natalie Argyle, Karen Briggs Kallie Read, Sheila Worley, Susan Bennett, Heather Marshall, Michelle Caldwell-Pierce

Agenda:

1. **Welcome & Introductions**
2. **Review and approve minutes**
3. **Principal's Report on school items**
 - a) Updates on school projects – Plaza rock put in next week, tree chosen/ready, getting plants
 - b) Carpet – To be installed Summer 2017.
4. **Current ideas, questions, needs, and/or concerns from Council and/or Community**
 - a) Too many fundraisers this year as an entire school? Shirts, Carnival(PTA), Cookie Dough(\$4000-\$6000), Entertainment Book(\$2500-), 5K(\$2000-\$3500), Break the Rules(\$1800-\$2400),
 - b) Ideas for next year: Single card with multiple uses \$20, Papa Murphy cards, Entertainment books in the office only, 5K just for fun? Combine with pledges per lap, Norbest turkey,
5. **Parent and Community Involvement**
 - a) Funding Priorities for next year – Prioritize our list of what fundraisers will pay for what needs/projects. Sound system half-funded by Student Council's Break the Rules Day, so our first one is already on its way! Fund technology, and field trips, and cement pad from fall/spring fundraisers?
 - b) Prioritize items w/ principal for next year...?
 - Cement pad for East Bike Rack- \$2000
 - Mini Climbing Wall- \$5000
 - Security Camera West Portables
 - Playground addition
6. **Trust Lands Items, Budget, or Updates**
 - a) Second look at Trust Land Plans for next year – Goals and funding. \$2K for Math tutoring, Math prep/planning this summer (20 @ \$1,000), and UMTSS (14 @ ~\$1,500?)
 - b) Proposed budget passed unanimously
 - c) Goals: Reading, Math, Attendance,
7. **Student Wellness Plan and Update**

a) **The Race**

1. **Dinner: New, former student (name?)** will be helping as his Eagle Scout project, and will help us with the food. Contact Smith's, Don's Meats, Sam's Club. We will need buns, meat, lemonade, salad, chips, & a cookie. Also salad dressing and paper goods (plates, cups, forks). Plan for 200. Ask Wal-Mart about a donation (in-kind or financial).
2. **Prices:** Dinner will be \$3, Race for \$14.
3. **Publicity/posters (Loren, Sheila, & SC)** - Loren will create, distribute w/ us and student council. Hang posters at Library, City Rec Center, 7-11, Smith's, Gold's Gym, SNAP Fitness, WalMart, Rush Funplex, and Syracuse High School. Loren will post on the race page.
4. **Auction/Raffle (Natalie)** – Need 6 volunteers from student council or elsewhere to help w/ tables.
5. **Shirts/Logo** - Choose logo, shirt color, and finalize other things.
6. **SWAG Bags/Numbers** – Loren will call Strider's to ask about bibs/bags/pins, and prizes. Use Dick's Sporting Goods as a backup. Ask them about being a sponsor. Sheila will check with Big 5 about prizes or sponsorship.
7. **Registration/SWAG/Shirt pickup** – Heather will help assemble, and Susan Bennett & Kallie Read will help. Also sell raffle tickets at table.
8. Don't do a Jog-A-Thon this year.
9. Another Eagle Scout chose replacing sod around our track.

8. **Open Items**

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