

PTO Meeting 4/14/21

Field day – PTO providing chalk and bubble wands – Costco \$.70 – Kids to keep them.

Teppner Report – Articles on reducing COVID restrictions. Friday meeting with teachers asking about getting rid of zoned recess. Unanimous yes. Scrambling to inflate balls, providing toys, etc. Other restrictions, keeping masks. Next year is unknown on masks and shields for lunch tables. Planning for next year, normalcy. Start time will likely be 15 minutes sooner as will dismissal. Not confirmed. Third grade testing ongoing. MAPS testing is ongoing now.

- Care packages went over well.
- Field day. Not likely to have volunteers.
- Welcome to Hillary as vice president.
- Pay for a playhouse. No date yet.
- Kona Ice for the end of the school year? Possible DQ or wendy's gift cert for blizzard or frosty for e-campus. Last day of school.
 - Predetermined what flavor they prefer. Three flavor choices. Kids get into separate lines for their flavors.
 - Can we have volunteers? Possible PTO volunteers for outdoors. Checking budget. This may be a little too much. Need to reference the budget to see if it's possible.
- Open house for 2022? No official dates yet. Possible 24th
- Kindergarten testing is the same as this year. Each half of the alphabet gets one full day and then all together. Parents will get to spend a small portion of that time with their child. August 24 a-l, aug 25 m-z, aug 26 all
- Meet and greet for new parents to meet others and get involved. Suggested to have party signups on initial membership paperwork to entice signups
- Treasurer info - \$24,000 in the bank. \$4,000 earmarked for book fair.
- Book Fair – Online only. April 23-may 2. Book Fair company will separate orders by classroom. Library bound books for library. \$50 for each teacher to make a wish list. Parents can see wish lists for teachers for parents to purchase for classroom. Monitor so that if all of a wish-list is purchased, teachers can be notified to add more books. Next year possibly having a fall and spring book fair.
- Field Day – Items were discussed for kids to take home. Popsicles for everyone and chalk for K,1, bubbles would go to kindergarten and first, second asked for jump ropes, but that has been nixed.
- Kindergarten students 427.
- Need E-campus date for scavenger hunt to provide popsicles.
- Vote to increase the budget on Field Day to \$1,000. Passed.
- Harlem Wizards - We are interested in hosting a game next year. In contact with them. Looking for dates likely in the November/December time frame. If they

don't travel, they request a virtual one. All depends on allowed capacity. Moving forward with planning.

- Charleston wrap or Yankee Candle or Little Caesars Pizza fundraisers. Storage of pizzas is a possible issue. Possible pepperoni rollers.
- Teacher appreciation – greatest showman theme. Breakfast, lunch, snack, teacher gift. Need to increase budget. 120 in the school, 48 in the bus garage. Voting to increase budget. Look into Romeos, Lorain CCC Culinary department, Fligners. Looking for boxed meals. Voting to increase budget. Passed. Increased to \$3,000. To include all teacher meals. Bus garage wants pizza. Are personal pizzas possible? Any day that week works. If we cant have personnel, can we get a volunteer to pass out? May 3-7.
- Possible coupon from Hastee Tastee or kreegs for kids. Possible substitute for Kona.
- Last Meeting May 12.