

Nord PTO Board Meeting Minutes
March 10, 2022
Walter G. Nord School

Meeting order: 6:06 (Beres acting president)

Principal Report: *Ms. Jiovanazzo*

- ❖ Field trips- About 230 students have registered for the Columbia trip. Currently figuring out busses and which classes will go on which days.
- ❖ RtR - Ordered the book "Mustaches for Maggie" for the students - That's also the theme.
- ❖ Open Gym on March 16 - Filled quickly (180- 200 kids) Will have another one in April.

President Report: *Amanda Messer (asmesser3@gmail.com; 419-509-6564)*

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Treasurer Report: *Darcie Parsons (nordptotreasurer@gmail.com; 440-667-5202)*

- ❖ Bank Balance - \$31,337.02
- ❖ Quickbook Balance- \$31,337.02
- ❖ Outstanding Balance - \$0 (nothing is outstanding currently)

Marco's Pizza Fundraiser: *Darcie Parsons (nordptotreasurer@gmail.com; 440-667-5202)*

- ❖ March results – Amoroso's class won with 17 orders and Hostutler's class came in second with 16 orders. We earned a total of \$678.
- ❖ Plan for April (5th grade) pizza boxes – boxes should have arrived today for students to decorate the week of 3/14 in Art class
- ❖ Future Dates: 4/6, 5/4

Reading Club: *Amanda Messer (asmesser3@gmail.com; 419-509-6564)*

- ❖ March calendars were sent out, due to ELA teachers on 4/1; may extend to 4/8 since Spring break is the week before
- ❖ Prizes distributed

Staff Appreciation: *Kimi Allen (kimiallen514@gmail.com)*

- ❖ Ideas for March/April
- ❖ March - Personalized notepads and flair pens; Will be delivered March 11
- ❖ April: Easter or Earth day theme?
- ❖ May: Farmer's Market themed for teacher appreciation week (May 2-6, just not on the 3rd because of field trips)

PBIS *Amanda Beres (arc1681@aol.com; 330-354-7157)*

- ❖ Open Gym
- ❖ Non candy prizes are going well.
- ❖ The prize cabinet needs to be organized and relabeled.

Community Support: *Amanda Beres (arc1681@aol.com; 330-354-7157)*

- ❖ 2nd Annual “Love Our Community” coin drive was a success; we raised \$1267.93. The check was mailed to Second Harvest.

Community Fundraising: *Darcie Parsons (nordptotreasurer@gmail.com; 440-667-5202)*

- ❖ Cleveland Monsters update
 - Still waiting to receive payout from Cleveland Monsters, will divvy out the profits among the 3 PTOs once we receive the money.
 - Sign up genius created for 50/50 raffle volunteers (12) for the March 29 game; no volunteers to work raffle so far. We may cancel the raffle since we have no volunteers.
- ❖ Mama Jo’s Pies fundraiser – Canceled, no call back from Mama Jo’s rep
- ❖ Spring apparel sale – Amanda Walker is Nord rep; no updates currently from Heather Hatten (chairperson at AJH)

Dances: *Jen Denn (dennjennifer@gmail.com; 440-309-5321)*

- ❖ Girls’ Dance – Friday 4/1; Boys’ Dance – Saturday 4/2
- ❖ Need volunteers to staff the dance; see our Sign Up genius on our socials
- ❖ Studio Q photo booth and packages available

Walk-a-thon/Kona Ice: *Jessica Glowacki (jnp2902@me.com)*

- ❖ Need the form for pre-choosing Kona Ice flavor & the current flavor list.
- ❖ Need volunteers - We’ll ask Kona how many volunteers. One per class? Vs some for the whole day who know how to do the syrup dispenser.
- ❖ Parents/guests can come.
- ❖ Teachers and kids get Kona Ice - not guests.

Field Day: *Morgan Wachholz (morgan.wachholz@gmail.com; 440-225-8948)*

- Student water bottles vs. jugs with cups? Freeze pops will be ordered for each student.
- We’ll need volunteers for each station. Typically 12 stations & 2-3 adults for each stations. Plus someone for the water station. Approx. 40 volunteers — Possibly doing a lottery for the volunteers. Papers go to all kids asking who would like to help.
- No extra guests allowed.

Future Meeting Dates:

- ❖ 6pm in the Nord Media Center and via Zoom (Meeting ID: 270 191 1225)
- ❖ 4/14, 5/12
- ❖ April – nominations for PTO President, Vice President, Treasurer, and Secretary
- ❖ May – vote for Executive Board offices

COMMITTEES/CHAIRPERSONS

Community Fundraising: Darcie Parsons (nordptotreasurer@gmail.com) 440-667-5202

- **Apparel Sales:** Jen Denn (dennjennifer@gmail.com) 440-309-5321
- **Book Fair:** Amanda Messer (nordpto1@gmail.com) 419-509-6564
- **Walk-a-thon/ Kona Ice:** Jessica Glowacki (jnp2902@me.com)
- **Cleveland Monsters:** Kelly Dupasky

- **Kalahari:** not this school year
Community Support Initiative: Amanda Beres (arc1681@aol.com) 330-354-7157
- **Social Events** – Jen Denn (dennjennifer@gmail.com) 440-309-5321
Field Day: Morgan Wachholz (morgan.wachholz@gmail.com) 440-225-8948
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2021-2022 Board Members:

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Secretary: Morgan Wachholz (morgan.wachholz@gmail.com; 440-225-8948)
Principal: Jill Jiovanazzo (jill_jiovanazzo@amherstk12.org)

Meeting adjourned: 6:37 (1st Wachholz, 2nd Stacey Bruce)