December Meeting—12/15/22 at 9am

In attendance—Darcie Canalas, Michelle Hessler, Delphine Dell’Era (Treasurer), Stephanie Spier, Weston Steinberg (Vice Principal), Liz Tucker (Principal), Aki Sueyoshi

1) In need of a Secretary & Vice President
2) Had lots of great sign-ups for the holiday/winter party on December 16th, parents can come and help pass out cookies/hot chocolate in the cafeteria in the lunch room during both A & B lunches
3) PEN events—Can do January 26th in Cafeteria *Library is taken
    January 24th is the better option after talking with Liz—Get an interpreter
4) February Dance—Hired DJ, Got the Photo Booth, Involve Student Council with getting a theme, decorations (about 30-40 kids in student council), will ask parent volunteers for snacks, sell pizza.  Time (5-7pm)  Wanted 6-8pm, but Liz wanted earlier so we decided on 5-7pm
    DJ Halfbrain is booked—a lot of people wanted the gig
    Dance location—The Big Gym
    Food Served, ramp area outside the gym
    Budget—Photo Booth, $400 & DJ $400
    Parents can just volunteer for the dance and don’t need to be in the Raptor system

5) Liz/Weston Update
    Fast & furious few weeks since last meeting
    Student Council has put on spirit week December 12th-16th
    Hidden Gnome game, if you find one you get a prize (hidden throughout the school)
    The kids won’t know about the holiday party til Morning Announcements on Friday the 16th
    Teachers looking forward to the break
    Getting excited about rolling into the spring semester, planning, getting classes ready, schedules
    Sports have been great
    FC Cyclone Group-Play every Saturday at Boulder Indoor Soccer, playing against other clubs, they have expectations to participate & stay on the team
    Girls Basketball went undefeated
    Boys Basketball starting in January, 21 kids signed up
    Theater Class (Peter Pan goes wrong play)—putting on a performance today, Thursday December 15th
    Open Enrollment night was a success, self-guided tours, a lot of students helped in many areas, a lot of families from everywhere-private school families, families living outside of our area
    Coffee for incoming families-early December (12/2), Q & A with Liz & Weston
    Enrollment has been really good at Centennial, haven’t had to make any significant changes
6) Treasury Numbers—
   Raised $7,720 for PTO Funds
   Have around $15,000 in the account
   $3000 for savings
   $12000 in business account
   Received about $600 in extra amount from donations & grocery card
   Haven’t spent much in November
   Will have enough to budget for Feb. dance
   Liz had a morning meeting with the teachers on December 15th to talk about the Funds from the Fuel the Cyclones campaign. They are excited to use the funds from the parents for these items:
   Flamenco Dance Group
   Getting Cookware
   Weights for Gym Classes
   Field Trips
   Guest Speakers
   Furniture

7) Evening PTO Meeting can coincide with the PEN event, January 24th at 6:30pm
   FET Does their meeting the 1st Tuesday of the month in the evening
   Have a liaison from the FET group for the Dance