AGENDA
MGMS, Monday, November 14, 2022 7:00-8:30pm
GOOGLE MEETS

We will strive to make a measurable difference in our community through innovation, curriculum excellence, and honest/transparent communication that builds trust and optimism with our students, faculty and parents.

1. Welcome & Introductions!
   Karmyn Nelson

2. Prior Meeting Updates
   a. By-laws
      Karmyn
   b. Board positions

3. MGMS School Update
   a. Outdoor learning space
      Patrick Smith
   b. PBIS program
      Sam Bostrom

4. Project/Activity updates
   a. “Tell Me About It”
      Kendra Grand-Karmyn
   b. Recycling Initiative
      Karmyn
   c. Mustang Mart
      Cathy Pink

5. Treasurer's Report
      i. Needs to be reduced for TMAI funding, funded teacher requests, poster contest
   b. Seeking new Treasurer

6. Teacher Wish Lists

7. Volunteer Needs
   Andrea-Karmyn

8. Project Work Time
   a. Fundraising, Community Building
      Andrea/Karmyn/Cathy

Focus Area 1. PROMOTE PURPOSE & POSITIVE CHANGE
   • “Tell Me About It”
   • Recycling Initiative
      o “Green Champion” designation for our campus

Focus Area 2. PROMOTE A LEARNING ENVIRONMENT THAT CELEBRATES DIVERSITY AND INCLUSION
   • World Café Feedback Sessions / Student Voice Leadership Team. Paula Forbes & TeamWorks led.

Focus Area 3. PROMOTE EFFECTIVE COMMUNICATION BETWEEN ADMINISTRATION AND SCHOOL FAMILIES
   • 2 Mustang memos per month
   • Facebook site for MGMS
   • Supporting incoming families

Focus Area 4. ENGAGE OUR SCHOOL COMMUNITY
   • Regular Activities that PACT participates in:
      o August. 6th Grade Welcoming/Open House event
      o October. Book Fair (fundraiser)
      o October. Fall Conferences. Set up table to promote PACT and plan meals for teachers
      o February. 5th Grade registration. Set up table to promote PACT
      o May. Game Night at MGMS
      o June. 8th Grade celebration.
One Time Activities:
  - Food Drive
On-going, Regular Activities:
  - Mustang Mart. (budget neutral; revenue pays for snacks and prizes) (Contact person: Cathy Pink)
  - Promote Donations to “The Closet”
  - Spirit Wear sales
  - 2-3 Teacher Appreciation Luncheons throughout the school year. (Contact person: Andrea Dorn)

Focus Area 5. FUND CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT & STAFF DEVELOPMENT NEEDS

- Communicate with current teachers/admin for their “Wish lists”
- Capital Campaign planning

Fundraising Resource Generating Opportunities

- Fundraising Initiatives
  - Potential Color Run (Sponsor Organization: TBD)
  - Book Fair in the Fall
  - Promoting corporate donations through Benevity
- Cash donations are always accepted at the following locations:
  - Venmo: @MGMS-PACT-3
  - PayPal: mgmspact@district279.org
  - Benevity (for employer contributions): Maple Grove Middle School PACT
- Corporate Donations
  - Please check with your companies on whether you can donate hours in your community and have $$ donated

Our Needs:

- Volunteering Opportunities
  - Weekly Friday e-mail (ask Andrea if you’d like to receive this)
  - GAME NIGHT Leaders
  - COLOR RUN (Fundraising) Leaders
  - Book Fair Leaders – 2 add’l Book Fairs coming
  - Mustang Mart Volunteers
- Leadership transition. Board Positions Open

Reminders:

- Future PACT meetings @ 7pm MGMS Media Center / Google Meets Option intended
  - Jan 23rd
  - Feb 27th
  - Apr 17th
  - May 15th

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