



AGENDA
MGMS, Monday, February 27, 2023 7:00-8:30pm
GOOGLE MEET

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.

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| 1. Welcome & Introductions! | | Karmyn Nelson |
| 2. MGMS School Update | | Patrick Smith |
| a. General School Updates | | |
| b. Outdoor Classroom | | |
| c. Celebrating Culture Displays | | |
| 3. Project/Activity updates | | |
| a. “Tell Me About It” | | Kendra Grand |
| b. Mustang Mart | | Cathy Pink |
| c. Book Fair | | Andrea Dorn |
| 4. Treasurer’s Report | | Ron-Karmyn |
| a. Balance on Jan 23 ‘23: | \$ 15,482 | |
| b. Seeking new Treasurer | | |
| 5. Volunteer Needs | | Andrea-Karmyn |
| a. Game Night | | |
| b. 8th Grade Celebration | | |
| 6. Project Work Time | | Andrea/Karmyn/Cathy |
| a. Food Drive, Fundraising, Community Building, Game Night, 8th Grade Celebration | | |

Focus Area 1. PROMOTE PURPOSE & POSITIVE CHANGE

- **“Tell Me About It”**
- Recycling Initiative
 - “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.
- Supporting Outdoor learning space

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:
 - August. **6th Grade Welcoming/Open House event**
 - October. **Book Fair** (fundraiser)
 - October. **Fall Conferences.** Set up table to promote PACT and plan meals for teachers
 - February. **5th Grade registration.** Set up table to promote PACT
 - May. **Game Night at MGMS**
 - 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

Andrea-Karmyn

Reminders:

- Future PACT meetings @ 7pm MGMS Media Center / Google Meets Option intended – discuss moving to virtual only meetings for balance of the year
 - Apr 17th
 - May 15th

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