



AGENDA
MGMS, Monday, May 15, 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 Cultural Displays | |
| d. PBIS Rewards | |
| 3. Future Vision Conversation | Andrea/Karmyn/Cathy |
| a. Parent Engagement & Leadership, Supporting Student Leadership & Development, Creating Positive Culture & Community Building, Fundraising, Communication | |
| b. Fundraising Needs & Budgeting | |
| 4. Project/Activity updates | |
| a. "Tell Me About It" | Kendra Grand |
| b. Donut Sale on 5/26 | Cathy Pink |
| c. Book Fair | Andrea Dorn |
| d. Teacher Conferences / Staff App | |
| 5. Treasurer's Report | Ron-Karmyn |
| a. Balance on May 15 '23: \$ 12,474 | |
| b. Teacher Appreciation nearly covered (\$54.50) balance approved by board | |
| c. 8 th Grade Celebration – need to approve tonight | |
| 6. Volunteer Needs for Next Year | Andrea-Karmyn |
| a. Board Positions Open | |
| b. Fundraising Leadership | |
| c. Event Leadership | |
| d. 8 th Grade Celebration | |
| e. Staff Appreciation - Tara | |

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)
 - Event Leaders
 - Fundraising Leaders
 - Book Fair Leaders
 - Donut Sale Volunteers
- Leadership transition. Board Positions Open

Andrea-Karmyn

Reminders:

- Future PACT meetings @ 7pm Google Meets
 - May 15th
 - Adding Meeting June 6th

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