

- 12/04/23 PTO Meeting
 - 5:45-7:30
- Winter formal
 - 5th grade student proposal to aid refugees with toys and other items
 - International Association may be a resource
 - Mrs. Beecham will meet with students to plan additional details
- School Counselor
 - The school counselor is out on emergency medical leave and the school social worker is helping to cover needs
- Girl Group
 - Funding-Mrs. Beecham will check with Mrs. Peeples about covering cost since SSD covered cost of swing that PTO was planning to fund
 - 3rd grade girls have been invited
 - Hudson will be included (Hudson and Givens will provide funds based on number of students attending from their individual schools)
 - There have been 4 sessions planned for 4th-5th grade
- Trivia
 - Will be in the same location as last year
 - The theme will be "Saturday Night Live"
- Chess
 - There is no separate line item in budget for chess
 - A representative should check with chess club about where we stand for payments due for 1st semester
 - A representative will find out what the interest level is for 2nd semester
 - Communicate with parents the total cost is \$100/child. There will be an option to families for financial assistance for those in need.
 - Families can be given the option to donate \$ to support those who need assistance
 - \$700 has been raised for Chess Club currently
- Wolf-a-Thon
 - Goal was \$4,500 and \$5,360 was raised
 - This total does not include Novel Neighbor or \$272 from Hacienda
- Black History Month
 - Mrs. Beecham will reach out to SLU or the Black Rep to inquire about a performance
 - Other options included:
 - MO History Museum
 - Webster University theater community
 - Step Team
- January Luncheon
 - Teacher welcome back luncheon

- Should gift cards be included?
 - All staff should be included in a gift
- Spirit Week
 - After winter break
 - Proceeds will go to Food Pantry
- Class Parties/Room Parents
 - February 15th is the next trimester party
 - Room parent zoom discussion in January 8, 2024
- Volunteer Opportunities
 - Assist Mrs. Peebles with the marquee
 - Chess club supervision
 - Birthday treats for teachers
- Campus Beautification
 - More information to come
 - A group is scheduled to visit the school in the Spring
- Given Merchandise
 - Givens items ordered from Zoey's attic have not arrived to several families- a representative will check with Zoey's