Sonoma Mountain Charter Elementary School **PTA Meeting Minutes** – Association Presiding: Rachel Boenisch, President

October 6<sup>th</sup>, 2021 Called to order: 7:02 PM Adjourned: 8:06 PM

### **Executive Board Attendees:**

Rachel Boenisch, President
Jen Mitchell, Vice President
Maren Dever, Treasurer
Mari Patrick, Secretary
Erin Bishop, Financial Secretary
Angi Busick, Historian
Michele Gochberg, Principal
Michelle Rodd & Alex Jelliffe, Outreach and Communications

CALL TO ORDER: Rachel Boenisch called the meeting to order at 7:02 pm

\*\*Due to COVID19 and per the stipulations of the 14<sup>th</sup> District PTA, meetings will take place via Zoom until waiting for revisions of Bylaws have been submitted and waiting on approval\*\*

# **OFFICERS' REPORTS**

### **President**

- Events Calendar Need to approve with the intent to have those events to happen. Motion to adopt calendar by Alex J. and seconded by Erin B.
- New running club t-shirts will be discussed at next meeting.
- SoMo Wear revamping shirts possibly in the next month
- > Open Chair position Virtual Bingo Night
- Looking for officers for next school year
- Next Association meeting is on November 3<sup>rd</sup>.

### Vice President

- > Running club feet were distributed out to students with great success.
- > T-shirts are given out when Marathon is completed, should we change policy and give kids an opportunity on paying for one. Possibly get a patch for Marathon.

# **Secretary**

- > Bylaws have been submitted, however not yet been approved. Possible approval by November 2021.
- ➤ No comments or corrections were presented regarding the minutes from September 1<sup>st</sup>, 2021 meeting. **THE MINUTES WILL STAND AS READ.**

### **Outreach and Communications**

Thanksgiving Food Drive – Once information is ready and we will be doing the food drive, have information is given earlier then later for information distribution to families via social media.

## **Financial Secretary**

Incoming money from SoMo Wear

#### Treasurer

- ➤ Review checks to be ratified from September 1st September 30<sup>th</sup>, check numbers #3139-3145 Motion to ratify seconded by Sarah N. **Motion Passed**
- Motion to pay all ordinary and necessary expenses thru November 3rd Motion seconded by Angi B. Motion Passed
- ➤ 2021-2022 Budget to be presented to at the next Association meeting.

#### Historian

Reminder to fill out volunteer hours

### **Principal**

- ➤ No food allowed to eat in classroom during school, the holiday parties should be based on activities. There will be a parade for all students in costumes for Halloween. Directions/information will be sent out to parents for the parade. Will be connecting with teachers on expectations on holiday parties.
- ➤ Bike Rodeo was a great success. Bike test- was very hard, kids can still ride their bikes to school without license however it is important for students to know the bike school rules
- ➤ SoMo U Cancelled for 10/13 and rescheduled for hopefully 10/27
- ➤ Red Ribbon Week Mr. Sharkey gave donation, this year's theme "Drug Free Looks Like Me". There will be a competition for the school
- ➤ Halloween more information to come out the next few weeks
- ➤ Wheels of Free Style Nov 5<sup>th</sup>
- Veteran's Day Celebration Nov 12<sup>th</sup>
- ➤ New Student Club Amor Para Todos Student Clubs (APT club) create a safe, welcome environment for students and allow them to grow. Starts next week there will be a robo call on Sunday and presented to students at school next week.
- ➤ District Vacant board seat, 10/14 will have 5 possible candidates
- ➤ ELO Funds coming in and allocated based on Title 1, to help school with students adapting to school and with no learning loss. Funds to be spent by 2024 along with reaching our LCAT Goals. Staffing is still a challenge but having the funding will be helpful with that. Still need Subs, classified or certificated. Will be posting positions for Running Club and PE Tech.
- ➤ Music 4<sup>th</sup> Graders with Recorders, other instruments require special masks, special coverings and require them to be outside. Some students played an instrument last year and some did not touch an instrument at all last year. Three 6<sup>th</sup> Grade classes this year are picking up an instruments with the help of Ms. Bunn.

### Sarah Nelson – Parliamentarian

- > Growth in 2<sup>nd</sup> grade has shown great ways to turn negative thoughts to positive thoughts
- ➤ 163 Members Goal is 175...try to do a membership drive

### **Albertine Johnson - Teacher Representative**

- ➤ Kids are settling in at school. School community is thriving with PBIS program.
- Social emotional program, lessons are done once a week. Growth mindset goals. Goal sets in classrooms and the growth has been great.
- > Teachers are in training, VTS program. Teachers walk away rejuvenated after each training.

### Sylke Anderson – Walk and Roll to School

> 312 participants of the Walk and Roll to School, need to agree on what the 3 raffle winners will get as a reward.

# **Jacqueline Musselman - Dine and Donate**

- First Dine and Support at Osha Thai today
- ➤ Dine and Donate with Habit Burger great results
- ➤ Dine and Donate next is at Round Table Pizza coming up on 10/21
- Working on November events