

OLLH Home School Council Meeting

October 5th, 2020

The meeting was called to order at 6:00 p.m. by Beth Gornowich. Beth led the group in the opening prayer. Beth Gornowich, President; started the introduction of officers followed by Michele Roggenbuck, Vice President; Amanda Gentner, Secretary; and Mary Ramish, Treasurer. The Secretaries Report was read by Beth Gornowich from the August 24th meeting. Approved by Mary Ramish and Amanda Gentner seconded the motion. The treasurer's report was presented by Mary Ramish. HSC provided \$2,000 to Holy Name of Mary Parish to be distributed to the teachers for supplies. A staff luncheon was paid for by the HSC in the amount of \$120.00. HSC Fund balance as of October 5th, 2020 is \$21,772.92 with two pending transactions of about \$2,000.00 for mulch, and roughly \$3,500.00 for the installation of the 2 new drinking fountains/water filling stations. The estimated pending balance is \$18,200.00. Mary Ramish also reported the Amazon smile credit from last month was \$52.78. Reminder to all parents, staff, family, and friends the Amazon smile credit can be used on your laptop computer and phone app. The HSC committee agreed to finalize the Budget approval for 2020-2021 year at the next meeting. Michele Roggenbuck motioned to accept the report and Mary Ramish seconded that motion.

OLD BUSINESS:

- a.) Homeroom parents-There are at least two room parents for each grade, except 6th grade, they have just one parent volunteered, and are in need of 1 more. Thank you to all volunteers; Sarah (Ryan) Volmering, Katie Laeder, Jessica Gentner, Amanda Gentner, Sarah (Doug) Volmering, Tami Nickrad, Rachel Roggenbuck, Jennifer Siemen, Kristen Legault, Janelle Gusa, Jennifer Mazure, Angie Nowiski, Michele Kabban, & Jackie Soper.
- b.) There are ample volunteers for the Christmas program, and track and field day. A few more volunteers are needed for the Mother/Son Bowling event, Little Caesars Pizza Kits Fundraiser and the March Reading Month Coordinator. If interested, please, contact a HSC member. Thank you in advance!

NEW BUSINESS:

- a.) Cookie Dough fundraiser- Abby Ragudos and Mary Ramish have willingly volunteered to head this fundraiser. Mary is looking into all details and going to try getting that started ASAP if the cookie dough fundraiser will be ran again this year. Thank you Abby and Mary for your time and efforts into this fundraising event.
- b.) Apparel Sales- Jennifer Mazure has been leading this event, all orders have been turned in. Thank you, Jennifer, for taking control of this event!
- c.) Road Rally- Theresa Hessling, Beth Gornowich, and Rachel Roggenbuck will be running this event, The date had been set for November 7th, 2020. Thank you, Theresa, Beth and Rachel for organizing this event!
- d.) Daddy/Daughter Dance- Chrissy Guitar will be coordinating. Thank you, Chrissy!
- e.) Box Top for Education Coordinator- Jodi Capling has volunteered for this position. Thank you, Jodi, it is appreciated.
- f.) Tech Updates- Mr. Cavanaugh has applied for a grant through CCFMM, his proposal has been read, but has not heard back if the grant is accepted at this time. If the Grant is accepted the school could receive up to \$25,000. If so, plans of potentially 8 new Chromebooks for the 5th-8th

grade classrooms and 30 ipads for the k-5th grades could be the outcome. Alongside harddrive upgrades to the current desktops, moving the computer lab to the old kindergarten room, and old updates could be the outcome.

- g.) Teacher laptops- The laptops are in need of a software update which would provide Microsoft word, excel, and publisher.
- h.) IT work- Tami Nickrand has assisted Mr. Cavanaugh with updating the school webpage and website. Thank you, Tami, for all of your help!
- i.) Christmas Pageant- Due to COVID-19 the annual Christmas Program will not be possible. A Christmas pageant is in the works, thanks to Pat Murdock! At this time we are unsure if volunteers will be needed, nor how many. Also Pending ideas of Christmas Cookies, Hot cocoa, and Popcorn concessions be available at the event, again, unsure how many volunteers will be needed at this time.
- j.) Christmas wreaths- As idea of creating a Christmas decoration instead of a Christmas wreath was discussed. Home Room Parents would head this idea for each classroom- as they did in years past with the wreaths.
- k.) New Staff/ Student signs- All new staff and new students received a sign placed in their yard to welcome to OLLH. Once again, welcome all new families and staff! If you received a sign in your yard, we kindly ask if you could return it to the office to be used for our future Trojans! The idea of offering signs to all OLLH families was discussed and will be revisited at the next meeting.
- l.) Mask Fundraising- OLLH mask fundraiser is in the works, more details coming soon. Masks will be available for purchase for \$5.
- m.) Advertising- Mr. Cavanaugh would like to advertise OLLH school on a local radio station such as 103.7. He will look into doing such and report back at a later time.

NEXT MEETING:

The next Home School Council meeting will be held November 9th at 6:00 p.m. All Parents and teachers are invited to attend!

The meeting was adjourned at 7:10 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Amanda Gentner, Home School Council Secretary