



Family Parent Partnership (FPP) Meeting

March 7, 2018

The meeting was called to order at 6:36 PM by Kristy Dean.

20 people were in attendance (parents, teachers, staff, board members).

The group was welcomed and then joined in the Pledge of Allegiance, followed by a prayer from Mandy Gilbert.

All attendees introduced themselves.

Review & Approval of February Meeting Minutes:

- Chad Plendl made a motion to approve as presented, Becki Gray seconded. The motion carried unanimously.

Treasurer's Report:

- No treasurer's report tonight as Genetta Miller is not at the meeting.

Administrator's Report:

- Mandy Gilbert presented:
 - Keyote from the Frederick Keys is coming on Friday 3/9/17.
 - Mini muffins are needed for Friday breakfast (no nuts)!!
 - Faith in the Flakes assembly is changed to Monday Mar. 12th. Shirts will be handed out for the assembly on Monday.
 - Open house scheduled for spring: Wed. Mar. 14th 9:30-11 am.
 - Several families have come thru with kids to possibly start this year still. Several interested in starting next year too.
 - Rescheduled World Day of Prayer – Mar 23rd 10:30 am at Carroll Lutheran Village.
 - Mar 27th is a ½ day and there will be an Easter Egg hunt & Easter parties. Dress down day.
 - Goal of 40 students for re-enrollment was not met but it was close. Families who did register will receive a special gift for those kids in office folders tomorrow.
- Dress down coupons were given for all students whose parents attended tonight's FPP meeting for next week Tuesday - Thursday.

President's Report:

- Kristy Dean presented: Lot of events and things coming up this year so please watch email for announcements, etc. Thank you for flexibility with weather changes, etc.
- Drew Dean presented with a follow-up from Board Retreat:
 - Thank you to everyone for participating in the open comment sessions.
 - Great retreat, amazing group of leaders are here on the board.
 - Bishop Gohl facilitated the discussion.
 - New Mission Statement for the school: "Exceptional education formed in faith"
 - Discussion of new principal, overall strategic discussion
 - Formal procedures of discussion with Mandy Gilbert for principal position are ongoing.



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- Each person on the board is targeting key items of concern. Updates will come from Pastor Martha on principal decision in the next few weeks.
- Board is putting together a list of committees from the board and parents are invited to participate on these committees.
- All of this will be communicated through electronic means and/or office folders to each family.

Old Business:

- SpiritWear – First round of orders is due on Friday, Mar 9th. Will look into offering additional items for future orders.
- Tristar Martial Arts Presentation will most likely happen after Easter Break.
- Skating Parties – Magic Elm Skateland scheduled for April 15th from 4:30 – 7 PM. Cost of facility is covered by FPP. Skate rental and food/games are paid by families.
- Family Business Directory Update – Almost completed and will come shortly.
- Spring Bingo – March 24, 2018 –
 - 122 tickets have been sold as of 3/7/18. We want to hit a goal of 300 tickets sold.
 - More sponsorships have come in from people who've never sponsored before. Several first-time company sponsors, many associated with the board members too.
 - Food donation sign-up will come out by end of this week.
 - Need more promoting of the event.
 - Classrooms are working on baskets. If you have anything you want to donate, individual items, gift cards, etc. we can incorporate those into baskets (you don't have to fill an entire basket yourself).
 - We need lots of volunteers for the day of the event especially for help in the kitchen, silent auction, spirit wear sales, bingo supply tables. Middle school students and alumni can help also for volunteer service hours.
 - Julie Keller wondered if we could motivate the kids to sell tickets in any way. Kristy mentioned she doesn't want to overwhelm families with "fundraising fatigue". Drew Dean suggested an incentive closer to the end of the ticket sales for that "final push."
 - Kristin Brooks will send out a bulletin announcement for area churches.
- Fun Run – May 4, 2018 – Beth King couldn't be here tonight, so Kristy is presenting for her. Beth & Kristy will meet on 3/9 to discuss the details of event & the fundraising. Beth wants to send out a volunteer letter next week if possible for the event on May 4th.
- FPP Board Positions for 2018/19 school year – if anyone is interested in nominating someone or being part of the board, please contact Kristy Dean. We would like to expand and include some members at large to the executive board of FPP for next year.

New Business:

- Restaurant Fundraiser – Panera Bread, Monday Mar 12th from 6-9 PM – no flyer is needed, carry-out or eat-in. 10% of sales goes to CLS. We can setup a table with flyers about CLS and we could sell bingo tickets too.



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- Five Below Fundraiser – Friday – Sunday Mar 16th-18th (all day) – If shopping for Easter or bingo, please shop here. You must bring a paper flyer with you. 10% of sales to CLS. Flyers will be in office folders tomorrow 3/8/18.
- Coffee and/or sub sale – Several people have requested doing these again and possibly on a recurring basis. Cindy Myers said for the coffee fundraiser we can do it several ways – the same as last time or we can get a subscription of coffees with deliveries once a month to CLS. The once-a-month subscription earns a little less but is on a monthly basis. The coffee shop will also ship the subscription coffees but purchaser must pay the shipping. We still get the 30% profit. Cindy will have CLS blend coffee for sale at bingo. Both these fundraisers will happen after bingo is over.
- Chick-Fil-A Fundraiser – Friday April 6th – all day
- Applebee’s Flapjack Fundraiser – Sat. April 28th from 8-10 AM. Middle school service hours are available for this too. Grant Jewell recommends doing a 50/50 at this event too. We will begin to sell tickets at bingo. We can put up a table with CLS info. Half the proceeds of this will go towards the bus for the 8th grade trip and half will go to FPP. 8th grade students/families must participate in this since it will go towards their trip.
- Teacher Appreciation Week – April 30th – May 4th – Coincides with Fun Run too! We need ideas for staff appreciation week too. In past we’ve done breakfasts, lunches, gifts, etc. There will be a theme for the week which FPP will choose. We will also be asking the CLS board if they’d like to participate in some way too.

Being no further business to come before the meeting, a motion was made to adjourn by Chad Plendl, and seconded by Leslie Caperton. The motion carried unanimously.

The meeting ended with the Lord’s Prayer at 7:30 PM.

NEXT MEETING: Wednesday, April 4, 2018 at 6:30 pm