General PTA Mtg Agenda

 Friday, November 15th 2019 at 8:45 am.

1. Call to Order
2. Old Business
3. Walkathon Recap: ended up at $28k, we knew it would be lower this year because we had to keep moving the date due to the strike. Collections close today and prizes will be announced on Monday. We are happy with the amount raised. It was a great event, colder than normal. It will be in October next year.
4. New Business
5. Holiday Fair: Coming up De. 12th, not doing baskets this year because we didn’t raise much and it was a hassle. Marie had an idea to raffle off donated, gently used toys/games in grab bags- collect everything by Friday the 6th and package. There is also a student craft fair this year- we have 9 participants already, may put a poster up also and will ask people we know- we only have 20 spots. We will have Ms. Davlantes put in her email also. All money will go to a charity, probably cystic fibrosis and one other so the kids have a choice. Christine asking to put out a box for stocking stuffer for Irving Park Pantry donation, will put box by the door and put in the basement during the party. Lydia working on a flyer to put out in blast and Trish email. Melanie will put together a draft to make sure everything included since we have a backlog. Also will have a box for RAS donations during holiday fair.
6. Giving Tuesday- still working on big item, Melanie meeting with Mr. Denhoff about indoor recess ideas, considering A/V for auditorium- We will vote by email exec board. The last couple of years we have raised for chrome books. Consider more water bottle fillers as well.
7. Committee Business
8. President
9. Community

Holiday Fair

Cookie boxes, Tuesday Dec. 17- we will assemble in north basement- volunteer page will go out in blast

1. Fundraising

Spring Gala First Meeting (December 6) Friday- please anyone come, will be at 9:45

Metropolis Coffee Fundraiser: proceeds split between kindergarten aid and boosters- we order coffee and 50% comes back to school- sheets should go home soon, will also have bags to sell at holiday fair

Booster/Spirit Wear: delivered yesterday

Mod pizza give back night on Wednesday- was full day for anyone that came in.

Thursday night Praha fundraiser Dec. 5th

Reveler fundraiser after walkathon was packed, waiting to see amount raised- they gave us 15% off plus 15% give back. That money will go to walkathon.

1. Treasurer
2. Education
3. Membership

Status of PTA Membership Drive: approx.75 families. Maybe we put up a thank-you to all the families who have donated. $4.75 of membership goes to IL PTA. You can find out online what our number of members were last year. We need to input our current members Emily will ask Lori about process.

1. Recording Secretary
2. Other Business

Next mtg Friday Dec. 6th

1. Adjourn