

November 12th Sandpiper PTO Meeting

- Hoedown: Wrist bands were a big success this year. PTO made \$1843. Paid out \$3600 and brought in \$5400. Looking for a volunteer to take over Hoedown for next year.
- Sandpiper 40th birthday
 - Suggestion made to celebrate the entire year to keep the momentum going
- Carnival: Looking for committee leads for the following
 - Food truck committee: Shannon Cucci and Kristine Poulsin
 - Carnival Rides Committee: Grace plus looking for someone else.
 - Carnival Game Committee
 - Sponsor Committee
 - Decorating Committee
 - Layout Committee
 - Volunteer Committee
 - Advertising Committee
- Donuts in December on Dec 6th at 8am
 - Changing from Donuts with Dads, to be more inclusive and discussion around how to handle this event, should we charge for the donuts since we are expanding this to everyone. Or should we bring in a coffee truck? Should we place an order with Starbucks in advance? Chantal is working on obtaining additional free donuts.
- Roadrunner Donation Request
 - Special Education school for emotional disability in PVUSD. They do not have PTO, they are reaching out to PTO's in the district, looking for sponsorship on their Amazon wishlist. The kids earn tickets throughout the fall so they can purchase items which the kids can then cash in the tickets and shop for their families.
 - Talk to student council about making this a project.
 - Going to explore options and then will send out an email
- Student Council Canned Food Drive in Nov: Bring in your non perishable canned items.
- Yearbook Cover Contest Entries Due Nov 22nd. Flyers will go home shortly, encourage your kids to submit an 8.5 x 11 sheet paper that will be voted on in the library. One will be chosen for the front cover, back cover and a special insert
- Sandpiper Spirit wear Makes GREAT holiday gifts.
- Looking Ahead
 - McDonalds Family Restaurant Night 11/19 4-7pm
 - Kona Ice for Sale in Sandpiper park – 11/22 at 3:15
 - Scholastic Book Fair: 12/2 – 12/6 – Looking for volunteers
 - Donuts in December 12/6 at 8am in Sandpiper park
 - Kendra Scott Fundraiser at the Quarter on 12/14 from 10 noon
 - Bingo Night 1/10 at 6pm
 - Trekkers Begins Jan 10th – March 13th every Friday
- UPC Report: The meeting is on 11/13 to explain the changes in the math curriculum. UPC has a special education committee. There is a parent meeting 12/3 at the district offices from 6-8pm. PVVA is collecting donations for prom (dresses, shoes, menswear, purses) Need slim clothing for the guys. There is an immersion committee at district.

- Teachers Report: Playground ideas: different games to play, could paint on the ground like hopscotch, painted twister, foursquare, and other colorful paintings, Erin Marlow, Nurse Becca volunteered
- Principals Report
 - Catalina was a success! PTO covered the cost of 4 kids that would not have been able to go.
 - DHS came out and sealed off all of the gates. Cameron is working to get this to a lock, that can be opened when needed.
- Questions
 - Idea for gift at the end of the year. \$1000 - \$2000. Life size / jumbo Musical instruments to be installed that the kids could play. Then could continue to grow and create an ensemble over time.
 - Motion to dedicate a single instrument for the 40th Birthday present
 - Seconded
 - Passed unanimously