

Graebner Grapevine

(Information from the November 2019 GPTO Meeting)

The meeting came to order at 6:30pm with 13 in attendance which included 5 board members, Mrs. Wood, and 1 Graebner teachers.

The President, Jenna Wiland read the GPTO mission.

Graebner Reports

Principal's Report from Mrs. Wood (Interim Principal)

- Teachers working on professional development
- Parking improvements in progress
- Good conference turnout
- Good turnout at Trunk or Treat. Mr. Nader commented about possibly using the police in the future.
- She would find out about the Christmas tree donations info
- Dec 17 is the Smart Moves celebration

Graebner Guest Speaker (Mr. Nader)

- 13 teachers in supporting PTO moving forward with their vision
- He had a discussion with the teachers regarding basket raffle money for fun run, teacher allocation or laminator and restructuring stipends. The teachers would have a staff vote for increasing allocation to \$150 from \$100 or get a new laminator.

Box Tops for Education (Stephanie Brannack)

- \$506.90 was November's deposit
- Bulletin board updated
- Online donations was \$570

6th Grade Committee (Jenna)

- Candygrams are being sold
- 14 Books donated to library with the leftover money from last year's committee

Committee Reports

Committee Chair (Laura Bergen)

- All committees are chaired until Muffins with Mom

Classroom Reps (Autumn Molnar)

- Mr. Nader said he could be liaison like he is for the staff
- Should we have PTO newsletter per Mrs. Wood's suggestion
- Andrea Weichbrodt volunteered for 3rd grade, Kristen Kopp for 1st grade, and Kathleen Garner for 6th.
- We could give links or info/newsletter to Mrs. Wood to put in her email newsletter

Community Relations (Autumn Molnar)

- 2 cards were sent out

Beautification Committee (Andrea)

- Transitioning to Christmas decor

Playground Committee (Autumn Molnar/Veronica Moracvik)

- Playground equipment ordered and to be delivered in December
- Where are all the balls? Check roof?

Secretary's Report (Autumn Molnar)

- Approved

Treasurer's Report (Stephanie Brannack)

- Approved

Activities and Fundraising

Roller Skating Night (Holly Mayhew)

- Nov 8, 5-7pm made \$66
- Jan 17 5-7 is the next event

School Supply Collection (Kathleen Heberling)

- GPTO will be collecting all school year.
- Waiting for things to die down a bit

Spiritwear Sale (Autumn Jacobs)

- The order forms will be in the mailbox tomorrow
- Sale will go until Dec 2 for delivery no later than Dec 20.
- Hoodies, long sleeve Ts, short sleeve Ts and ¾ sleeves in a variety of colors

Scrip (Gift Card Sale (Holly Mayhew)

- All online through Dec 2 with delivery by Dec 11

Old Business

Donuts with Dad (Sheryl Franks)

- 2nd day ok, a few hiccups with check-in

Trunk or Treat (Tiana Kemp)

- Went very well
- wristbands broke
- People across street coming over
- Too spaced out

Santa Shop (Jenna Wiland/Holly Mayhew)

- Teachers have been signing up
- Flyers soon
- Signup genius for volunteers

Holiday Night (Laura Bergen)

- Wednesday Dec 11 6-7:30
- Planning on Nov 21 at Starbucks for volunteering/planning
- Hungry Howies, hot chocolate, photo booth, santa hats, cookies, craft, game, santa shop

General Discussion

Attendance Winner (using wheelofnames.com):

- Veronica