McKim Middle School PAC Meeting Minutes – Tuesday November 29, 2022

Time: 6:47pm

Where: Room 133 McKim School

In Attendance:

- Kim Mchan
- Erin Johnson
- Jessie Dare
- Bradley Carrier
- Jess Gyurkovits
- Katie Tersmette
- Kim Waite

Motion: Adopt previous meeting minutes. Carried

Chair Report

1) Nothing to report

Principles Report

- 1) Winter variety show will cause lunch to be a little earlier
- 2) Hot lunch today, November 29th and tomorrow, November 30th
- 3) For those who want to attend there will be a Soccer game available to watch in the theatre on Thursday starting at 8am
- 4) New Expo cycle started November 10th
- 5) Popcorn sale going on Wednesday next week
- 6) December 12th report cards will be sent home
- 7) Ski days are in the works
- 8) Wants to know how school communication is now compared to previous years.
 - a) PAC says it is working well
 - b) Daily announcements are also on the website for parents/caregivers to see

Treasurers Report

- 1) Gaming account \$14,180.49
- 2) Main account \$1680.41
- 3) Comic book and art club need to cash the cheques we wrote for them.

Business

- 1) Lego Club Request....Any ideas to get donated Lego to the club. *Motion: for PAC to spend \$1000 towards Lego Club from gaming account, passed*
- 2) Finding a new Treasurer? Will continue to look throughout the year.

New Business:

- 1) PAC handout, did everyone read it? Went over what the general information. Document will be shared with anyone that requests it.
- 2) DPAC, who can attend? Kim will try to attend and will let the rest of the council know if she cannot make it.
- 3) Student affordability fund, district has worked out that McKim has \$43,000 to spend on students (roughly \$105/student). Priorities are making sure kids are fed and have warm cloths. Additional options are:
 - a. Being able to offer a better breakfast i.e., sliced fruit, yogurt, toast, vegetables. Make available in each classroom.
 - b. Lunch, one day a week, everyone in the school will eat a hot lunch for free (looking in to who can provide this).
 - c. To fund a babysitters course.
 - d. Trying to come up with other ideas as well, would like to teach a skill so the kids can possibly earn extra money.
- 4) Spoke about what we might do moving forward with future funds and fund raisers, keeping the hot lunch for future years and more substantial breakfast a possibility.
- 5) Spoke about how the breakfast program works, who runs it and what needs it has. \$10,000 comes from a government fund to pay for the breakfast club.
- 6) Wrapping presents, December 12th at 9pm. We have enough volunteers. Funded by Rotary Club (\$2500) and some from student affordability fund to buy gifts for students in need.
- 7) Banking, we need to add signing authority. *Motion: Removing Rieva Lynne McCuaig and adding Katie Tersmette for signing authority on McKim Banking, passed.*

Next Meeting: Tuesday January 31, 6:00pm

Meeting Adjourned: 7:45pm