**April 2021 Meeting Minutes**

**Attendance**

Wendy Muchi, Erin Perreault, Melissa David, Gretchen Marino, Brianne Miers, Elizabeth Lamparth, Dan Corthell, Jen Creelman, Darci Andrade, Jen Ohanesian, Kristen Sabelis, Kathy Pelley, Sharon Mrotek, Christine Neslusan, Jenn Reed, Julia Kuzweski

**Principal’s Update**

☔Great to be back with normal things going on

☔Downfall - the traffic. We really need the police there to direct traffic

☔Need parents to reconsider busses to help improve traffic flow

☔ MCAS on the agenda - Tentatively May 25-27 but subject to change

☔1/2 day in May - Focusing on class placement then

☔Burgess support line - going to continue what's working

☔May 3rd - in person remediation to start

☔We will have a summer program

☔Postings with positions to fill

* Gym, library, 2 classroom teachers (Danielle Phillips resigned and Sarah Jones is taking a 1 yr leave)
* Working on ELL position

☔Looking to add other positions with grant money - will be temporary

☔Kindergarten screenings will look different this year

☔They will be May 18-21 by appointment outside under tent.

☔Placement will be announced over the summer with orientation at the beginning of the school year.

☔Pictures to happen in early May

☔School Improvement Council appointee needed

**Budget Presentation**

☔Didn’t change anything in the budget for next year due to it is unknown what will happen

☔Jenn Reed willing to do cultural arts if needed

☔Cultural Arts was changed to grade specific so it was a smaller show.

**Jog - A - Thon**

☔Going really well

☔$37,000 in online donations as of right now

☔484 registered out of 800 students. 380 students have at least 1 donation

☔Latest goal - Slime fest for $40,000

☔7.3% is the online fee we need to pay. Net now is $33,000

**Board Vacancies**

☔The following people have stepped up for next year

☔Vice President - Darci Andrade

☔Secretary - Brianne Miers

☔Treasurer - Julia Kuzweski

**Scholastic Book Fair Wrap Up**

☔$2300 went to the library

☔$150 in teacher gift cards

**Square 1 Art Update**

☔Online orders extended to 4/21

☔$5,658 made as of tonight (thats sales not total profit)

**Staff Appreciation Luncheon**

☔It is going to be a grab and go from The Fork Food Truck

☔Luncheon is May 14th on the ½ day

☔Usually we have a raffle - still figuring out what to do and how

**Class of 2022 and 2023 Fundraising**

☔Current 4th grade class and 5th grade class will need help fundraising

☔Butter braids, 5K and the cookie walk are 5th grade fundraising

☔Holiday Shoppe - 6th grade

**End of the year PTO Appreciation**

☔Outside at Erin's house - June 2nd

**Next Meeting - May 11**

**Open Discussion**

☔Red Sox next spring

☔At the May meeting we will vote on the new board members and budget

☔Jog - A - Thon funds possibilities:

* New gym equipment
* PIcnic tables
* Playground equipment replacement (may pole)

☔Cooking night - we had no answer from Sturbridge Seafood. Will try again next year

☔Burgess Wear - May special - Summer beach towel