

Springfield Township Home & School

Meeting Minutes

6/14/16

Executive Board Present -Christiana Bucs, Brandi Corbo, Leslie Brewer, Melina Walker, Traci Leonard-Kownacki, Vicki Aaronson, Jennifer Mancini-Wallrath

Meeting called to order 7:07

There will be only one position that needs to be voted on for next years' Executive Board as Christine Sullivan has chosen to not run for any position. So later we will be voting only for Head Homeroom Coordinator.

Secretary's Report- Motion to approve by Shelley Guevara and 2nd by Leslie Brewer.

Treasurer's Report - Reviewed by Vicki Aaronson. Handout was available. Mayfair's profit was reported as \$2873. Discussion about getting more triple sponsors for next year to help offset the cost. Motion to approve report by Gretchen Lucan and 2nd by Brandi Corbo.

Executive Board Liason - Mayfair thank you cards are all done and went over sympathy cards sent. If anyone has any news to report please email Jenn Mancini-Wallrath.

Assembly update - No more assemblies for this year. We have several scheduled for next year. We did receive the money back from the cancelled assembly.

DJ Service -Mr. Schleider will be DJ'ing for us for our events with our speakers purchased last year. He is \$100 per event and \$25 for the Color Run. We feel the children will really enjoy having him DJ. Vote on \$325 for DJ services for the year. All were in favor.

Ladies Bingo - Hoping for this to be on April 1, 2017 at the same location, the Mount Holly Moose. We are asking for \$3500 for Ladies Bingo. We would also ask for \$200 for the purchase of our Bingo cage. Vote for the \$200 all were in favor.

Mr. Vaughn was asked about storage availability for possible space for the hot dog roller, popcorn machine and bingo cage after purchased. Mr. Vaughn will see about possibilities. Discussed moving the contents of the shed to a storage unit. We will also look into cost of a new shed.

Ballot Vote results - Ladies Bingo \$3500 - 18 all in favor

Holiday Shop \$2100- 18 all in favor

5th and 6th grade Dance Oct- October 21, 2016. We will be doing a "Glow Party".

Birthday Books - This upcoming year we are suggesting giving a \$1 treat for each birthday student. Asked for \$300 for this and all were in favor.

Gretchen Lucas asked if families of children who need assistance to pay for field trips are being told that H&S can be contacted. Mr. Vaughn stated that situation is handled in the school but Mr. Vaughn will also discuss with Mrs. Ricciani.

This year we allocated \$10 per student for the class trip. Discussion about going up to \$20 per student for allotment for the class trip. Discussed possibly saving that \$10 for other issues. Tabling adding the extra \$10 for the time being.

Shelley Guevara asked if we could discuss possibilities of fundraising to have an enclosed area for the pre-school. Mr. Vaughn discussed the numerous issues with the playground and this would be something to be looking to do for the whole playground as partners with the district and H&S. Tabling this issue until a later date.

Last day of school party - If it's outside it's unlimited parent participation and if it's inside it's limited to 3 parents. Teachers were instructed to coordinate with their head homeroom parent and to claim the area where the party will be held for each class.

Battle for Box Tops - Gretchen suggested doing a battle for box tops and how much each class earns will be how much each class gets. That possibility will be revisited next school year.

Sending Dance - our kids were very well behaved and it was a lot of fun.

Relay for Life - Was extremely successful and Springfield Twp was well represented.

Spirit Wear - Flyer was sent around. We will be able to order all year long and have shipped to your door.

Buddy Bench - Mrs. Seitz, and Mrs. Carter have been saving their box top money to get a "buddy bench" for when a child is feeling lonely and needs someone to play with. Suggestions Home & School provide \$500 to buy the "Buddy Bench" all were in favor. Vicki will talk to the teachers to see what style bench they would like.

Vote Ballot for Executive Board - Kerry Trilling received 11 votes for Head Homeroom Coordinator and Christina Drum received 7 votes for Head Homeroom Coordinator.

We are still in need of an accountant for Home & School. If anyone knows anyone who would be willing to do it pro bono please let us know. Tracy suggested paying the current accountant for the services. Vicki will find out how much the cost will be.

Color Run - Tentatively scheduled for October 16, 2016.

Thank you to everyone for an extremely successful school year. Thank you went out to Wendy Bogle for all her years and service to the Home & School.

Meeting adjourned at 8:19 pm.

Next meeting Tuesday September 13, 2016