



## **PSO Meeting Minutes**

### **April 14, 2023**

**Board Attendees:** Mark McAfee, Kelle Hohl Amanda Shearer, Kelley Crandall, Aimee Avery, Major Kindsfater, Veronica Palmieri

**Missing:** Lynn Gerveler

8:15am In person meeting start

#### **President Report (Kelle Hohl)**

- February 3rd and March 3rd minutes approved.

#### **Headmaster (Mark McAfee)**

- We finished up state testing. It went well.
- We have our 6th grade family meet and greets coming up, April 19th and 20th. Then an all grade level family meet and greet, April 27th.
- Prom is coming up on April 22nd for our Seniors and Juniors.
- We have a 9th grade field trip to the University of Arizona on May 3rd.
- And our Senior Dinner will be on May 8th.
- Beautification Project - we have a new project planned for this year. We will have paintings sponsored by families, and we will put them up all around the school to beautify our campus.

#### **Treasurer (Amanda Shearer)**

- Sent financials over. We need to discuss if there is anything else we need to buy this year.

#### **VP of Passive Fundraising (Veronica for Lynn Gerveler)**

- We are still having issues with students impersonating others to get a free lunch. Could we use student IDs next year or come up with a solution to minimize this? We used to have teachers "near" the lunch area if there were issues. Is that possible to have again?

- We need a second warmer for next year. Many vendors only want to make one delivery. Could we purchase another warmer and remove a sink to make room for the warmer? Who can make this decision on Admin? We will purchase three warming bags in the meantime to help keep the food warm.
- We need to figure out what we need to do, if we need one or multiple people with their food handlers certification, to meet Maricopa County's new food handling rules.

### **Booster Club (Major Kindsfater)**

- We got the parking crew together to do the Good Guy show. We might do the one in the Fall too.
- End of year Coach's Appreciation Dinner - Talking to Sugo. We are planning for Monday, May 15th. We will put together some items for raffles, including the parking spot. Tickets sales will be through Configio. Could we have a ticket option to sponsor a coach?
- If we have money left over in the grant, we would like to add more gym space in the warehouse - including lockers, basketball courts, etc. We would also like backpacks for all athletes and varsity letters.
- We are hoping to have a point of sales store for next year.
- Also incorporating varsity letters for athletes
- Discussion about purchasing new uniforms? Is this done under a Request for Proposal (RFP) process?

### **VP of Community Engagement (Kelley Crandall)**

- We had our 9th grade breakfast on Tuesday. It went really well. It was well attended by faculty and administration.
- We have an 8th Grade Breakfast coming up on May 2nd. Their Lyceum is in the afternoon so we might have a scheduling issue.
- We would love to get an Ice Cream Day on the calendar.
- Our last Teacher Appreciation Lunch of the school year is coming up on April 28th.
- We are also planning Teacher Appreciation Week. We are planning for students to write words of kindness to their teachers and add to their doors. We have a red shirt day to show love to our teachers. We will ask the students to bring in fruit for their first period teacher. We are moving more towards words and acts of appreciation.
- We will have one more Stock the Pantry hosted by PSO.
- 8<sup>th</sup> grade promotion - Kim Bilstrom is parent coordinator. PSO will provide pizza and water. Parents to provide if a student needs any special foods due to allergies. Post-promotion event maybe at Bowlero.

Next meeting is our Volunteer Appreciation Breakfast on Friday, May 12th at 8:15 am.

Meeting adjourned at 9:30am