# Cornelius Elementary PTO Executive Board Meeting

**Meeting Minutes** 

**Date:** October 11, 2018 **Location:** Morgan's House

Meeting Called to Order By: Nicole Monacell @ 10:20

# Attendance:

Nicole Monacell - Co-President Rachelle Bissette - Co-President Lindsay Meekin - VP Fundraising Jennifer Claussner - VP Communications Morgan Williams - Secretary

SECRETARY: Approval of Minutes by Lindsay

TREASURER:

Net Rev.: \$13, 793.99

Total with Carry-over: \$29,713.41

Agendas - possibly have one option instead of two?

Rocks - have kids paint them to create a path or something outside - ties into beautification.

Also have kids in each class come up with a class quote.

Yearbook Theme - kindness / inspirational quote / be a good friend

Grade Cam?

# PRESIDENT UPDATE:

# New Teachers

Holly added them to the list for room parents.

# International Night

Food in the cafeteria separated by country, African drums when you first walk in, traditional Indian Dancers on the stage and classes for kids, each class will have a country and everyone that comes will get a passport to walk around the school.

# Open Positions

Celebrate the Arts - we'll take care of that - need to find volunteers.

#### Beautification - possibly have someone

Shannon Ball to possibly help Catherine Miah with yearbook this year to flow into next year.

#### Yearbook

sell online - find out if we can just do online.

#### Bathroom Decals

Sent email and haven't heard back - going to stop by in person soon.

# Spanish Outreach

First meet up possibly November.

December meeting, brunch
December 12th - 10:00am - PTO Volunteer Brunch
Ms Holbrook & Ms Brammer may be able to come!
Ugly Sweater Volunteer Brunch

#### Grants

McDonald - waiting to hear back...

Lilley - can use rest of Belk money for technology - and we can pay difference between tech and books \$1600+ approved.

Rosebrook - approved for one robot.

School clubs stipend - end of the year.

Time for Kids - waiting on the estimate.

# **VP FUNDRAISING:**

Sylvan - they offered for us to be part of a partnership program - \$500 and scholarship for one student \$3500. Student is selected by principal - around 3rd grade. Also a teacher of the month - gift card. Complimentary student/parent seminar. Gift Baskets for the Silent Auction. We do flyers 4 times a year and list them as a sponsor. Peach Jar emails. They will come to celebrate the arts, international night and steam night.

Bach to Rock - give \$500 so they can come to perform at celebrate the arts.

Community Night - \$60 from tenders. Bar at Silent Auctions \$171.

Mom's Night Out - \$180

Cougar Dash - Pep Rally went really well! Sign Up Genius this week thru Room Parents. Circles - Water Tents - Jugs of Water - Cups - Apples - Medals - Teachers Mark Laps - Shannon will take pictures. Bibs will be marked on their backs. Make sure we have two shifts of Volunteers. Burn Bootcamp will do the warmup. Clean up afterwards. PARENTS HAVE TO CHECK IN. All Money by November 5th.

\*Looking into having someone run the Cougar Dash next year if it financially makes sense\*

Online Holiday Bazar - programs that will give the school a kick back. Create a page on the website with links to buy stuff where the school benefits. Amazon Smiles etc. and in house stuff like tenders & spare time cards.

# **VP COMMUNICATION:**

Gardening Packs from Mrs. Myers to distribute to kindergarten classes - need pictures.

PTO News Cougar Dash Book Fair Year Book Cover Contest soon Gift Cards

Connected Ed Calls Cougar Dash is ready to go.

Calendar Updates

Website changes/additions Teacher Page redone Sponsorship Page done!

# **IMPORTANT DATES**

10/12 - Box Tops Due

10/25 - Cougar Dash

10/29 - Count 9am

11/2 - Count 9am

11/5 - Count FINAL Day 9am