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March 13, 2023 PIECE Meeting Minutes

In attendance: Scott Peters, Kelly Murray, Ashley Williams, Laura Roelthe, Erin Dobson, Jill Deacon, Erin Cox, Jessica McConaughy, Elizabeth McMorris, Lauren McClure, Amy Gall, Suzy Keim

Welcome and Introductions.

Principal's Report – Scott Peters

- Bingo night a success!
- State testing is taking place this week

Teacher's Representative Report - Kelly Murray and Ashley Miller

- Thanks for Bingo night!

Treasurer's Report: Laura Roethle

- Bingo Night of Fun
 - Income
 - Raffle Tickets 3,605.00
 - Water Bottles 101.00
 - Orange Leaf 805.00
 - Total: 4,511.00
 - Expenses
 - water 100.00
 - envelopes 40.00
 - bingo packets 300.00
 - raffle tickets 90.00
 - decorations 250.00
 - Prizes 350.00
 - \$100 cash raffle basket
 - Cash bingo prizes \$240.00
 - Raffle basket donations 400.00
 - Raffle supplies 160.00
 - Teddy Bear Raffle 100.00
 - Raffle baskets exp 100.00
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■ Consolation prizes	157.94
■ Orange Leaf	500.00
■ Total	2,987.94
■ Profit	1,523.06

President's Report: Erin Cox

- February Events
 - Staff Chic-fi-la Breakfast Served
 - Fort Jesse Fundraiser
 - Valentines Day Parties
- March Event Timeline:
 - Pot of Gold Bingo was a success!
 - Dine to Donate Day at Noodles & Co. in Bloomington (3/20) 10% of all sales made between 4-9pm
- Upcoming Volunteer Opportunities:
 - OBBY Run (4/21)
 - Teacher Appreciation Week (5/8-5/12)
 - Team Fun Volunteer Virtuoso (for next year's Family Fun Event)

Committee Updates:

- Room Parent Coordinator (Erin Cox):
 - Room parties are done for the year!
 - Bri Schreiner has agreed to take on Room Parent Coordination for next year.
- Staff Appreciation (Ashly Jarrett):
 - Staff Appreciation week is May 8-12th.
 - We are workshoping the idea of treating the teacher's lounge as an airport lounge and a meal will be catered from a different "country" each day.
- Team Fun {Formerly known as Carnival Team} (Elizabeth McMorris/ Co-Lead Needed**)
 - We want to keep this as a low to no cost event for our Prairieland Families so that every student may partake. This year the event was Pot-O-Gold Bingo. Judging from the feedback I've received it will also be our event for next year!
 - Titan of Tickets (Laura Roethle): Roughly 7,000 raffle tickets were sold! Most sales took place during the 2/\$1. THANK YOU to Laura for tracking ticket sales and getting them delivered.
 - Vivacious Vendor Lead (Erin Watts): Sourced Orange Leaf and A to Z catering. They were a hit! THANK YOU for helping to feed our families!
 - Principal of Prizes (Lauren McClure): Sourced all the St. Patrick's Day themed tchotchkes. THANK YOU for decking all the Prairieland kiddos out to look like little leprechauns!
 - Dynamic Donation Duo (Jessica Mann and Suzy Keim): Sourced ALL of our Raffle Basket Prizes and made sure they looked pretty too! These ladies worked like a team of 10

people and knocked it out of the park. ***If you would like to join the Dynamic Donation Team, please see Jess or Suzy :)*** THANK YOU!

- Volunteer Virtuoso(s) (??): We are looking for someone/people to join Team Fun and source volunteers for our event. Volunteers can be from a local organization, Prairieland families or you can ask your fun and reliable friends to come man a station! If we bring Knock Out back next year, we will need more people to help. THANK YOU to our volunteers this year: Bree & Stan Nord, Jeff Lindsay, Alycia Carroll, Jenna Landree (from ISU's Chi Omega,) and our student teachers Sara Zarkowsky and Ashley Scholl!
- Dine to Donate (Suzy Keim): Our goal is to have one dine to donate opportunity for every month. March= Noodles and Co, April= Chipotle on College Ave, and May= Panda Express
- Yearbook (Bree Nord): Yearbook has been submitted!
- School Kits (Neeraj Rawat): We are contracted with The Write Stuff and sales will begin after Spring Break.
- OBBY Run (Julie Schumacher): Friday, April 21st (the day before Earth Day) This is our major fundraiser for the year. Communication and marketing will be coming out very soon! *There will be opportunities for sponsorship*
- CAC (Bryce Hansen & Erin Dobson): The last meeting focused on the referendum.

Vice President of Fundraising Report: Jessica McConnaughay

- OBBY run donations will be available via our GiveButter link.

Vice President of Communications Report: Allison Vaughn

- Watch for more OBBY run marketing.
- Are there any teachers who would like to be highlighted on our Facebook page?

Secretary Report:

- February Meeting minutes approved and will be shared on website

Questions/Comments/New Business

- Next meeting will be April 10, 2023 but subject to change due to Teacher Institute Day.
- Unit 5 Board member candidates were present and gave a 3 min introduction per candidate.
- Meeting Adjourned