

## PTO MEETING MINUTES

Wednesday, January 8, 2019

Meeting commenced at 1:00 pm. Motion to approve December 10, 2019 meeting minutes by Sandy and Carol.

### Principals Report:

Mr. LaPorte – Welcomed everyone, Happy New Year! Mrs. Hathcock has requested funds, approximately \$500 for guest speaker. LaPorte to request funds next month from the PTO to purchase pallet of paper needed in March-April, approximately \$1000. The school will have an assembly on Friday, Jan. 10<sup>th</sup> for behavior review, what is expected of students, working to set up system to reward students who are “caught doing good”. The frames to display student Art work have been ordered. Mrs. Borrer and Mr. LaPorte are working together to display different art work each month. Discussed parking lot issues, student drop off regulations, and working with Shelby police to have presence at the school. Mr. Gress, music teacher, was awarded a \$350 grant for “Making Music Come Alive”, Mrs. Maison awarded \$1500 grant for pod cast for morning announcements. The PTO sponsors the 6<sup>th</sup> grade Career Focus Luncheon table for \$200, this is in the budget, Christine P. to attend lunch.

### PTO Report:

Rozanne Giambanco – Vice President - Christine Pelione could not attend the meeting due to scheduling conflict. Rozanne reviewed the Presidents Report and discussed the following – Asked Mr. LaPorte to encourage staff to attend McDonald’s Night on Wednesday, Feb. 12<sup>th</sup>, suggested setting up a sign up genius for teachers. Monfort earns 20% of all sales from McDonald’s Night. Funds will help cover the cost of repairing the outdoor sign, waiting for report from district to see if electricity is available to the sign. Approximately \$1700 to repair w/ electric or \$700 without electric repairs. The teachers supply closet is in need of supplies, funds from WBK will be used to purchase supplies, Dolores will submit the purchase order to the PTO. The WBK committee would like to meet with the PTO Board and Mr. LaPorte to discuss the future of this event. WBK committee can no longer lead this event and have asked the Board to take on this event, a meeting will be set up to discuss further. Little Caesars fundraisers is not scheduled but in review, some parents have requested this fundraiser, we do not want to saturate parents with another fundraiser. Penny Challenge will be scheduled in February and Chocolate Bar Fundraiser is scheduled for March. Parents have asked PTO to schedule more family fun nights at Monfort, such as Movie Night and Bingo Night.

Kim reviewed finance report. The PTO budget for 2019-20 was changed to \$38,934. Approximately \$10,000 more needed to reach the budget for this year. Penny Challenge and Chocolate Bar Fundraisers will help. 2019 WBK earned \$12,983.91, non volunteer account for “student enrichment”. PTO fundraising efforts to raise money needed, we do not expect parents to participate in every fundraiser, but important to support our efforts to raise money for Monfort. We earned \$635 from Box Tops, deadline to turn in box top clippings in February. Completed fundraisers -Deck the Halls, Santa Shop profit \$5,175, and Rink Night \$99.

Fundraisers in planning – Penny Challenge, Chocolate Bar Fundraiser, Bingo Night, Movie Night, Ice Cream Social.

Meeting adjourned at 2:10 pm

The next PTO meeting is on Tuesday, January 4 at 7:00 pm.