

FOG Work Session

Oct. 8th, 2019 4pm-7:40pm

Attendees:

Melissa Carruth

Gina Londo

Nick Dorst

Beth Sailing

Amanda Dixon

Joy Mitchell

Aya Lumley

Opening (Gina):

Read: thank-you card received by Miss Vanessa for Watch Dog event.

Shared: invitation flyer for a fundraiser at Bonaventure.

FOG Boards Votes:

Yes: Public FOG meeting (6-7pm) every month. Work session prior to the public meeting every month (5-6pm).

Yes: bring back NHS, NJHS for childcare at FOG meeting (a FOG member to check in, out children)

Revisit: Food for children during FOG meeting. (Budget)

No: Live Facebook feed for FOG meetings.

No: Moving FOG meeting to Wednesdays. (POMs)

Yes: Assigning a FOG member as a contact person for each event.

Revisit: Family price vs individual price for event admission (price scale, wording etc. for Spring Fair and Fall Festival next year).

Yes: "Donate to FOG" box, Gina to track the donation box, security concern.

Revisit: Financial audit (wording, as needed to be added to annual audit).

Revisit: Bylaws (after Fall Festival). Revisit on Oct. 21 at 3:45pm

No: Shoparoo

No: Poker Night (booked out this year, maybe for next school year).

No: Book Fair on 11/8-11/15 (Mr. French).

Yes: Color Run (end of school year)

Yes: Red Wings ticket sales.

Yes: Fall Festival, yes to budget

Yes: Penny War (1 in Fall, 1 in Spring)

Revisit: Shoe Fundraiser (details needed; minimum may not be met).

Yes: Script (name change needed to Gift Cards)

Yes: Holiday Shop (set up on 12/6 approved, pre-printed shopping list on envelopes for better money control.)

No: Yankee Candle

Yes: Vendors for Holiday Shop (service is also accepted, Gina to scout vendors during Vendor Shop at HS on 11/16, also open for public)

Yes: Santa Visit (charge for photos)

Yes: Candy Grams

Yes: Spirit Week

No: Charging for Spirit Week

Yes: Oriental Trading Donation request (Aya)

Yes: Meijer Donation request (Gina)

Yes: Book Fair (3/1-3/8, need 2 people at cash register, Special Guest Lunch)

FOG Goals:

1. Play structure painting
2. Add a plays structure to kindergarten playground
3. Renew basketball hoops behind kindergarten playground (new nets, backboards)
4. Add trash cans
5. Add benches for parents (walk-up) at the front of the school
6. Update teacher lounge
7. Add a water bottle filling station by Art Room
 - *Nick to get pricing on new nets and back board
 - *Aya to provide play structure contact to Nick

Facebook Update

1. Revise candy donation cutoff date to Thursday
2. Create Facebook event for Fall Festival

Spring Fair Ideas: dunk pool, obstacle courses (May 16th, Sat. 11-4pm)

Santa Photo: requesting Sant appearance on Dec. 13th (Fri) before a movie night at 6pm

1. Check in and out sign out form (list a person who is picking up), procedures.
2. Parents to supervise children until 6pm

Fall Festival Raffles

1. No pink out store for Oct, 14th to 18th to accommodate kids raffle ticket sales (25 cents each).
2. Winners to be announced during the event, pick up can be made on the day of the event or on Monday in school.

Plant Fundraiser Presentation

1. Ohio based company, new to Michigan (Michigan rep., Bobby is a daughter of Farmer John's in Farmington Hills)
2. Minimum order: 400
3. If no minimum is me \$150 shipping cost
4. Approx. \$5 per plant profit
5. Booking for Spring, 2020 (no availability for Halloween, Thanksgiving, Christmas)
6. No contract, willing to work with lower minimum qty
7. No fee online order (secured site for privacy protection)
8. Incentives provided by the fundraiser company
9. FOG can offer raffle prizes (ex. Selling 3 items qualifies for a raffle entry)

Zap Zone Fundraiser: Jan. 17th (Fri)

No: bake sale stand at TX Roadhouse Dinner night.