

1/19/18 PMEMS Meeting

Present:

Maria Schmidt, Lynn Warnock, Lisa Pratt, Michelle Pelletier, Vicky Donnellan, Anne Engelhart

Celtics Tickets:

40 tickets still left

Tickets go straight to purchaser's email.

\$625, getting half of last year's amount. We get \$5 per ticket.

High five tunnel, Anthem buddies (will be able to be on court for the National Anthem)

Teacher Wish List:

Will be going out soon.

There needs to be a firm deadline for next year.

Vicky not getting good responses so we will take a new approach for next year.

Valentine's Day or May/June may be a good time of year as they can have next year's needs in mind. Seems as though fall and winter are busy times for teachers.

Open Positions:

We need a treasurer, enrichment coordinator, co-pres for next year.

Vicky has offered to do luncheons and wish list. Anne has offered to help with luncheons.

Joanne Maino update:

March Madness the week of the 12th.

- Tie-dye, common colors for t-shirts for March madness. Perhaps shirts go in bags after getting dyed and go home (one parent volunteer per class) to get washed/set in dryer.
- Kids could write their class info in sharpie on their shirts.
- Michelle has dye, Lisa and Michelle have squirt bottles.
- Kids can bring their own shirts. 100% cotton, new shirts. We can supply shirts for those that don't bring them in.
- Joanne going to check with the kids to see what kind of events they would like for March madness.

8th grade only dance as fundraiser for DC? March 16th? We could get a group of kids together to coordinate. It could be formal? PMEMS can pay for the DJ.

We will still do a car wash and a spaghetti supper as fund raisers for 8th grade.

8th grade graduation: Maybe an extra 1/2 hour to mingle after ceremony for pictures. Then kids can go off to the dance.

Enrichment Update:

Boda Borg was a huge hit. Let's plan again for 6th grade next year.

Museum of Science and Alastair Moock scheduled.

No additional needs from teachers right now and we will carry extra money over to next year.

Spirit Ware:

We are going to stick with Jungle, not switch to Atlantic. Will use both as we are using them.

Communications:

We need to have one a month.

Budget/Banking:

Michelle is going to do gift cards again for next year and will then train someone else.

We need to switch to People's United and open a second checking account for gift card program. We all agreed that Michelle move forward with this.

School Supplies:

Nicole Degere has offered to take over.

Next Meeting:

Friday, February 16 at 8:30am in the middle school conference room