SSC Minutes 7/13

Present: Doris, Renee, Ashley, Vanessa, Leah, Jenna

Called to order: 7:04pm

Last Month’s Minutes reviewed  
- Motion to Approve: Ashley  
- 2nd: Renee  
- Passed

July Minutes

Summer Community Building Activities

* K/1 Picnic Aug 23rd (Monday) 5-7pm at Red Cloud;
  + SSC provides hot dogs/buns/condiments and all bring side dish
  + Ashley, Vanessa, Leah, Jenna will cook/help at the picnic,
  + Leah can bring a grill, hot dogs, ketchup and mustard;
  + Vanessa will bring a crock pot if it’s needed
  + Doris has plates and will get them to Jenna
  + Jenna will get silverware, napkins.
  + Vanessa will email Sue to ask about hand sanitizer & gloves.
  + Estimate about $100
    - Vanessa moves to approve $100; Leah seconded, passed
* Sue/Mr. Burns will send an invite in the mail; Renee will post on FB

Swim Night

* P&R not doing reservations for their pools; other ideas?
* Splash pad or Trane Park?
* Keep on a Sunday, but move up to 3-5. Possibly August 1st.
* Bring Your Own picnic if you want
* Doris will check with Park & Rec.

Back to School Night - Tuesday Aug 24 Time not confirmed; possible 5:30-7?

* Hand out a ‘passport’ to have them find places like their classroom, library, office, playground, explore the school generally (Mrs. Amann suggests adding other classrooms besides their own so they can meet other teachers)
* prize at the end (fruit snacks); Doris will buy fruit snacks $30 (Renee motion to approve, Vanessa 2nd, approved)
* Our table will have the funding schedule, yearbook,
* need to consult Sue on how this should lay out.
* Helpers can wear sticker nametags; volunteers should get there about 45 minutes early.
  + Jenna, Ashley, Amanda, & Renee are set up and point people for the night; Vanessa will try to help as well 383 773 4734
* SSC table will include:
  + Event calendar (include SSC meetings?) with
    - Fundraising – Erika is working out a schedule (Jenna needs to get dates to Doris)
    - Community Building Activities (2 for 2021-22 – Barn Dance & Bike Rodeo)
  + Yearbook (pay in advance probably isn’t worth it – too complicated without any added advantage, but still have info about the club and sign-up available)
* Club table?

GROW

* Summer activity is Open Gardens Tuesday evenings & Thursday mornings with passports, which serve as the entry to their Sept fundraising event;
* Would like to do donation baskets from each school that will be auctioned off at the event. Whatever we raise from our basket will count toward our fee.
* Target parents to donate items to raffle off at the big event.
  + Could have people sign up on a list of suggested items or
  + Add Garden to the Back to School Night passport; We can create a ‘giving tree’ with donation ideas (family trip to apple orchard or 6 free pumpkins from Festival) pumpkin carving kit, apples, apple chips, cider mix, etc.
  + Cari is our Grow rep – Jenna will ask Cari if she could staff the table, and which garden she would prefer to set up in.

Goals discussion tabled until a future meeting

Safe Routes to School, the Walking Wednesdays sponsor

* continue? Doing it on our own would be less work, maybe offer fewer prizes. Doris will follow up with them.

Google Form for Fall 2021-22 for Contact Info, Volunteer Opportunities, Special talents they can share with students at the school.

* Renee and Doris will work on developing either one form for everything or two separate forms for a ‘survey’ and directory info.

No questions for the Teacher Report.

Principal report:

* Construction is almost done; most will be ready for back-to-school night.
* New Staff: Jessica Johansen is the new preschool teacher & will have a TA.
* Mr. Nofsinger got a grant to bring in artists to work with him in August & and the students in Sept to create an installation piece.
* Installation Project & school theme is Opening Doors
* Orchestra & Drama will have a classroom this year.
* Going back to all of SOTA having lunch and recess together at the same time.

Adjourned 8:34pm

Next Meeting includes all teachers. Aug 3rd 6:30pm at Doris’ house