**Pinecrest Parent Council Meeting Notes**

2/2/2021

6:00 PM Virtual meeting through Zoom

1. Call to Order
2. Welcome and Introductions
3. Approval of Minutes
4. Officer Reports
5. President: Tanya Merritt
6. Marcos Pizza Day is tomorrow February 3rd. Any purchases throughout the day will go towards the fundraiser.
7. Vice Presidents: Todd Swales and Katie Van Dorn
8. Todd attended the district parent council meeting on January 8th where they discussed that there will be a pedestrian island constructed near MacDonald Middle School to facilitate safer drop offs for the school day. This new addition will be funded by the safe walks to school grant.
9. Treasurer: Lisa Parker and Megan Drourare
10. Teacher grants for scholastic news subscription that was approved in previous months has been paid.
11. Spring Book Fair – We decided to move forward with the book fair even though the December book fair did not generate much income.
12. Secretaries: Rachel Perez and Jasmine King
13. Rachel – Spirit wear will be available for purchase soon. There will be a hoodie, blue t-shirt and a baseball shirt as options to choose from. Forms are due back on Friday, March 12th and the forms are available online. Pick-up will be around April 12th.
14. Principal
15. No walking school buses will be starting due to social distancing.
16. Marcos Pizza night has been shared with teachers so that it can be promoted in the classroom. Upcoming book fair will also be advertised through the classroom.
17. Parents of students who have chosen to do in-person learning will receive phone calls if their student’s teacher will remain online.
18. Pinecrest’s equity initiative is continuing with the help of the White family who volunteered with a video for the students.
19. Teacher Representative: Mrs. Schneyer
20. Learning Lab has just started up and students are practicing social distancing.
21. Old Business
22. Pinecrest masks and bags are being sold on the Scavenger Hunt sign up website.
23. Masks were given to the Pinecrest teachers and staff as a thank you for all the work put into this school year.
24. Marcos Pizza Night
25. Marcos Pizza night (day) will be held Wednesday, December 2.
26. Don’t forget that Marcos Pizza Night is not just at night. Any purchase throughout the day can contribute to the fundraiser.
27. New Business
28. Welcome back packages for Pinecrest teachers and staff. Megan has agreed to put together the packages of goodies to show our appreciation to the Pinecrest staff. The budget of $400 was approved for approximately 45 bags.
29. Virtual Events
30. Online auction – Things are still for auction that were donated last year and the Pinecrest Parent Council will be actioning those prizes off this spring. The auction will be held this May and will coincide with another socially distanced event held by the parent council.
31. Adjournment