

February 10, 2019
Virtual Board Meeting

Administrative- Nicole

Updates

- 1- Spelling bee was a success. Lilly S, a 4th grader will represent Ravensworth at the Fairfax County bee.
- 2- Smencil sale has started- Ursula Schuttinga and Sabrina Vant answered our call for help. We ordered 1000 smencils, 250 more than last year.

Upcoming dates to note- some feedback needed.

- 3- Our general membership meeting is next **Wednesday, February 20** from 2:30-3. Please attend if you can. If you have anything you would like me to include in my presentation please let me know.
- 4- Kindergarten orientation is **Monday, April 29**- registration from 5:15-6, presentation from 6-7. Do we want to sell spirit wear? I can check in with Ursula to see if she has small sizes left in stock.
- 5- Also, the correct date for the end of the year meeting is **Wednesday June 5** in the evening. Please disregard any previous dates I gave you, this is the correct date!

Please respond

- 1- Please reply and let me know if you will continue in your board position for the 2019-2020 school year.

Discussion points for March

- 2- We have not planned anything for our family fun night this spring. Last year we held a family art night. Should we try that again (it was successful) or should we try something new? Does anyone have any ideas as to how we could tie it to a charity (like making cards for troops overseas, etc).
- 3- Teacher Appreciation week
- 4- Becky- school supply update

Programs Update – Hillary

- 1) Big thank you to Becky for getting all the pr stuff up for Run Fit Kidz.
- 2) Run Fit Kidz flyers will go in Wednesday folders.
- 3) All clubs are squared away for spring.
- 4) The spring assembly will be held March 27th at 9 and 10:30. Thank you to Ms. Salata for helping me get that timing right. It is a two person production of the Wizard of Oz. The production company is called Hampstead Stage and they are out of New Hampshire. I think it will be super cool for the kids!

5) Working out the details for the Typing Club. The license is \$99.75 and that supports 25 kids. We also have the option of buying the keyboard covers, which I think is a good idea. 30 keypads are \$169.00. Chelsea Garcia, a RES Special Ed teacher, has shown interest in being the club admin.

The next steps for this are:

- pay for the admin (do we pay for this??)
- day and time (I think after school would work better for her)
- gauge interest and have a pre sign up (need to know what to charge) \$11.50ish per student for just the supplies if 25 sign up
- proper paperwork filled out
- club launch

6) I looked into Dr. Recess for 19/20 school year. It is awesome, but a little over our budget. It's \$995 plus overnight accommodations \$150-200. He's held several assemblies in the area and is well liked. If we chose him we will need a cheaper option for the other semester OR budget more for assemblies next year.

Treasurer Update- Amy

January 2019 Summary

Income

- 6th Grade T-shirts – Money collected by room parent
- Book Fair – The amount donated from the error made on cashier machines

Expense

- Bank Fees – Fees for checks returned from 6th grade t-shirt project
- Reading – books

Please see the email attachment for financial statement.

Run 4 Ravensworth Update -** Feedback needed regarding suggested website usage**

Important dates/info:

- **3/20-Kick-Off Assembly (K-3) and Packets go home**
- **5/3-R4R Event (510 Rain Date)**
- **TBD May-Pledges due**
- **TBD June-Video Game Truck and Ice cream social (working on with Betty)**

A few notes on this year that we've discussed so far:

1. **Working on top prizes as we speak. We may tweak the structure a bit.**
2. **Ice Cream social prizes will be bigger and better:) All TBD as we make asks for donations.**

3. **Last year we smashed our record with \$28k raised; This year we are aiming for \$20k with a reach goal of \$30k.**
4. **Principal and Asst. Principal goal incentives TBD (ie Silly string them; they color their hair wacky colors, etc.)**