

## **Mount Rock PTO Board Meeting Minutes 11.9.2022 (4 pm at Mount Rock Elementary)**

Virtual Option: <https://meet.google.com/ckm-effw-gnx>

**Attendees:** Rachel Weyant, Amber Whitney, Kristi Lightner, Julie Friscia, Caroline Byers, Mary Schlusser, Laura Wettstein, Misty Bixler (virtual), Principal Ward

**Call to Order:** Rachel

### **Treasurer's Report:**

- Race for Education – profit of \$12,407.49 so far
- Taxes due in one week

### **Old Business:**

- RFE
  - Went well, no issues; it was good to have at the track because there was a gated area
  - May need to purchase a container of beads for next year
  - Lesson learned – need thicker pipe cleaners so the beads stay on
  - 69 students had 15 or more labels
  - Mrs. Dyson's class won the donut party for the # of labels
  - Mary suggested tracking electronically next year
  - Summer is putting a manual together for RFE
  - Will explore an online donation option for next year
    - Mary is researching options
    - Possibly a PTO Venmo account
    - Send mailers out that have an online giving option
- Fall Fest
  - Need to purchase new skeletons for next year
- Orange Frog Cart
  - Provide snacks and drinks one time per month
  - Chapstick
  - 20 teachers total
  - Put the cart in the faculty room
- Spirit Wear
  - Orders due 11/18
  - Santa will be distributing PTO gifted shirts to each student on 12/22 (he's booked already)

### **New Business:**

- Hospitality
  - November 21<sup>st</sup> and 22<sup>nd</sup> for conferences
  - Parents can bring homemade foods this year
- Breakfast with Santa – Caroline is chairperson

- 12/3 – Santa will be there 8:45-10, breakfast is 8:30-10:30
- Needs a volunteer from PTO to be onsite the day of the event
- Caroline is setting it up the night before, but is unable to attend
- Principal Ward is going to get 4 student volunteers to replenish food, engage with kids at the craft tables
- Caroline is going to ask for donations from local businesses
- Holiday Gifts through Scholastic – Amber is chairperson
  - Amber is contacting the consultant to find out how to best order the books and receive them in time
- Spring Fundraiser
  - Still need a chairperson and ideas
- Field trip Buses
  - Principal Ward expressed concern about the field trip buses and suggested we investigate chartering buses
  - Amber volunteered to get quotes from bus companies
- Send out Amazon Smile reminder

Next meeting is scheduled for 12.14.2022 at 6 pm at Mount Rock Elementary