



Whitehills School Association

Meeting Minutes

January 11, 2022 • 6:00pm

Join Zoom Meeting

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Meeting ID: 934 9364 3386

Meeting Password: 2020

1. Call to order
 - a. Introductions around the virtual room
 - i. Participants: Paul Donahue, Jessica Eyde, Sara Haller, Katie Hennessey, Sara Cunningham, Ahmad Mansour, Chris Martin, Crystal Lynn Eustice
 - b. Additions to the agenda: No additions
2. Approval of December 2021 WSA meeting minutes
 - a. A motion was made, seconded, and supported unanimously to approve the minutes.
3. Principal and staff reports, news, questions
 - a. Shane Johnson - Principal
 - i. New sound proofing in cafeteria
 - ii. New floor cleaner, which has helped cleaning up with winter mess
 - iii. Social Justice team at school introduced project and entire staff is involved:
 - iv. "Be [adjective: e.g., compassionate] like [Child's name]."
 1. Every kid will end up on a Board.
 2. Create a stronger community
 - v. N95 Masks - School District is attempting to get masks for both teachers and students.
 - vi. Replacement for Valentine's Day celebration: School will be celebrating Black History Month and will have spirit week activities.
 - vii. Book Fair: A concern was raised about inclusivity concerns about the in-person book fair given economic disparities among students.
 1. We are working with identifying students who are members of Part of Pack. There was not enough lead time to get this organized for the prior book fair.
 2. Parents can donate the extra money in their e-wallets for teachers and/or library if they give instructions.
4. Officer reports

- a. Paul Donahue - President: No report
 - b. Jessica Eyde - Vice President: No report
 - c. Sara Haller - Treasurer
 - i. Book fair deposit: \$1,750.53
 - ii. Transfer to Jan's closet: \$688.05
 - iii. Book Fair Deposit: \$977.00
 - iv. Current Balance: \$17,907.46
5. District Parent Council (DPC) Update - Sara Cunningham
- a. Met this week and discussed
 - i. High school issues (lack of attendance and finals)
 - ii. Agenda for upcoming meetings and guest speakers.
6. Engagement and Fundraising Survey Results - Katie Hennessey
- a. Katie Hennessey shared the results of WSA Priorities Survey.
 - b. Discussion was had about priorities and timing for priorities.
 - c. Discussion was had about spirit and community feeling being low at school due to COVID and suggestion was made to have a hot chocolate truck at school. Principal Johnson indicated that this was potentially doable.
 - i. Mia Gougeon-Adarkwa volunteered to contact vendor to set up a hot chocolate vendor.
 - ii. Approximately 330 students/staff.
7. Recent & Upcoming Events / Volunteer Needs
- a. Fall Book Fair Results - Sara C / Sara H
 - i. In-person sales: \$5536.55
 - ii. Online: \$537.65
 - iii. Total Scholastic Dollars: \$2902.66
 - iv. Library bought at fair: \$706 of books
 - v. \$2200 to spend on library or book carts.
 - b. Student Directory - Katie H
 - i. Ready to go
 - c. Stock the Staff Lounge - Paul D
 - i. Jessica Eyde will handle
 - d. Box Tops Need Coordinator
 - i. Katie will provide Paul with names of people interested.
 - e. Marco's Pizza Night - Next Time: Jan 20, 2022
 - i. 20 orders for Whitehills.
 - ii. Next Pizza Night: January 20, 2022
8. Other business, questions, announcements, etc.
9. Adjournment