

PA General Meeting

January 11, 2019

Multipurpose Room, Whispering Pines Campus

8:30 a.m.

Officers Present: Ashley Sims, Lesley Craven, Elizabeth Stamas, Ashley Matthews

* The meeting was called to order at 8:35 a.m.

* Mr. Zimmerman opened in prayer.

* PA By-Laws Vote

The PA members present voted on the proposed changes to the PA by-laws which were described at December's meeting. There are 3 changes proposed.

One opposition to the proposed by-laws was raised. The preface seems redundant, and it doesn't set the right tone for the organization. There was concern with the wording and the impression that it may give to prospective parents and/or donors.

The decision was made to vote on the 3 items separately. Item #1 was the preface wording- the vote to change did NOT pass. Please send Ashley an email with feedback. She will take it to the board meeting on January 31. Item #2 was the email section- the vote to change PASSED unanimously. Item #3 was the voting process- the vote to change PASSED unanimously.

* Box Tops Update

There were 1,207 box tops collected in the 2nd quarter, which amounts to \$120.70.

SCCS should receive a check in January in the amount of \$572.30.

The check was issued in December, but a member of the administration needs to call and change the submission address to the Whispering Pines campus. The date for the next box top clipping gathering is undetermined as of today. The next collection date will be January 31. There is a sweepstakes on the box tops website: If we sign up to be a member, our school will be entered to win an additional 30,000 box tops and 3,000 pens.

* Financial Update

Our revenues are currently down from projections for the year. We are short on box tops. There will be another T shirt sale in the spring to generate more revenue.

* Shirts and Hoodies

Winter shirts and hoodies are in; they will be ready for distribution next week. The order must be paid before items can be distributed.

* Candy Grams

We will push candy gram sales to Easter instead of Valentine's Day in an effort to keep the fund raising focus on the Bow Tie Ball. The dates for candy gram sales will be given at the February meeting.

* PA Board Positions

We will vote on PA board positions at the February meeting so that new board members will have the opportunity for input on the budget for the next school year. The current board retains their responsibilities until June 1 when new officers take office. Please prayerfully consider serving. Contact Ashley Sims by email or text if you are interested or if you want to nominate someone else.

* Bow Tie Ball

Volunteers are needed for the day of, the Thursday and Friday before, and for clean-up. Breakfast will provided Thursday and Friday, February 7th and 8th. The slots to help are from 9-12 a.m. and 1-4 p.m. on Thursday and 9-12 on Friday. There will be sign up genius for that as well. Complementary child care will be available if you volunteer at the Bow Tie Ball. Posters are available as well to pass out in community. The centerpieces this year will be auction items as well. There are 20 in total. The PA reps are responsible for coordinating class centerpieces. Details are available for PA reps from Jennifer Bartee. Each basket's bidding will be started at the approximate retail value. The centerpieces are teacher led, PA rep supported. The teacher's name/class will be on it. Whichever basket's auction price is the highest percentage of retail value will win a prize. Please direct questions to Jennifer Bartee.

* Upcoming Events

\$1 non-uniform day- January 25

Spirit Night- January 28 San Felipe 5:00-7:00

Bow Tie ball- February 8.

* The next PA meeting will be Friday, February 1st, 2019, at 8:30 a.m. in the multipurpose room at the Whispering Pines campus

* The meeting was adjourned at 9:13.