

General PTO Meeting – 2/13/20 Meeting began: 9:20am

Motion to start: Dani Kusmerz Second: Amanda Manczak

Attendance: Wendy Malkin, Krissy Lohmeyer, Dani Kusmerz, Amanda Manczak, Simone Zorzy, Sheila Schneider, Payal Patel, Sara Ray, Katie Karam, Emma Young

We had a visitor from Mathnasium. Stewart Finnegan, Center Director of Mathnasium came to inform us about what they offer and he brought us food! Please reach out to them if you have a student in need of help or enrichment in Math. Located right here in Barrington!
mathnasium.com/Barrington 224.634.6284

Presidents

1. President's Council: Registration Fees will remain flat for next year. Footloose is playing at the High School. Reminders to vote March 17th. They stressed early voting.
2. *April General PTO Speaker*: Someone is coming to speak about Screen Time and how parents can better monitor what their students do online.
3. 5th Grade
 1. 1st-3rd Lock-in: went well, but were short on volunteers.
 2. Speakers: due to scheduling issues, this will not take place this year. We are one of the few schools who offer this.
 3. FMSC: March 19th
4. School Supplies: working on confirming them with teachers and they will be ordered in the Spring. Watch for this to be posted on Facebook and the Wednesday Weekly after Spring Break.
5. Teacher Stipends: Due from the teachers at the end of this month. We have gotten about $\frac{1}{3}$ of the teachers responding. It is going well and we expect an influx this coming week.

6. Reading Incentive: Wednesday Weekly and Facebook has information on this. Parents enter minutes online. Deadline to read 6 hours is April 13th
7. 2020-21 Slate: First we figure out the Exec Board, then we ask those who chaired this year if they want to continue for next year. Then, the Secretary forms a nominating committee and that committee works on completing the slate to go to the board for a vote.

Principal

The Referendum Committee will present February 22nd. If you wish to participate, save the date and more information will be coming. Early voting begins March 2nd. Please register to vote and go vote, no matter which side of the

Secretary Vote to Approve: Simone Zorzy Second: Dani Kusmerz

Proxy Votes YES: 25

Treasurer January Financials - VOTE

Vote to Approve: Krissy Lohmeyer Second: Amanda Manczak

Proxy Votes YES: 25

VPs – Fundraising

1. Variety Show: \$1670
2. Spiritwear: \$435
3. Box Tops: \$887 Mrs. Hanlan's class won - make your own name tag day
4. Bulldog Bashes/Teacher Treasures: \$2605
5. Family Bingo: Dine out at Remember Charlotte's same day. You can eat there or order for pick-up. They will give us 20% of sales, so plan for that night to be pizza night! No food will be served at Bingo

6. Bulldog Ball: Another dine out will be this night. Decadent Desserts will be served

VPs – Service

1. Tasty Tuesday: Dried cranberries...went well
2. Mini Courses: \$2475
3. Family Fitness Night: 110 people total in attendance
4. Hospitality – Support Luncheon: This is today from 11 - 1:20
5. Field Day: The committee is meeting next Tuesday and then they will meet with the gym teachers. May 27th... rain date May 28th

Wrap Up:

- Summer School begins June 8th
- Volunteer opportunities will be on the Wednesday Weekly for Bulldog Ball, Family Bingo Night and Field Day
- We could use more Bingo prizes: priced between \$1 and \$5
- 5 Essentials Survey... please fill this out if you can.. It does
- Spring Conferences: March 18th & 19th

Upcoming Dates:

2/28 – Mousetrap Machine Assembly

2/28 – Dine out (and Take Out) @ Remember Charlotte's

2/28 – Family Bingo Night

3/7 – Speech Tournament

3/12 –PTO General Meeting 6:30 pm @ Shakou

3/13 – Bulldog Ball

SAVE THE DATE – BULLDOG BASH!

Mom's Day at the Pool @ Krissy Lohmeyer's House

May 26th 11 am – 2 pm

Live music, Lunch and beverages included

\$40 (coming soon to Revtrak)

More Bulldog Bashes coming soon! Stay tuned for dates and details...

Mom's Night Out at McGonigals in early April

Adult Aerial Silks and Sips event at Brittany Mileski's dance studio