BOYDEN PAC MEETING MINUTES

February 8, 2023Co-chairs: Molly Cotter and Ali Lydon

Treasurer: Kristen Jefferies Secretary: Kellee Senic PAC E-mail: boydenpac@gmail.com

1.) Treasurer's Report Approved

- a. Boyden Raised over \$15,000 for Emmanuel Day
- 2.) Parent's Night Out
 - a. March 31, 2023 @ Walpole Country Club 7-11PM
 - b. Themes narrowed to two: Neon 90's and Country Western- will be determined February 12th
 - c. Looking for donations for anyone who wants to donate something for the silent auctioncan be used as a tax write off
 - d. Sign Up Genius will be sent around for volunteers for set up/clean up
- 3.) Cultural Arts:
 - a. Hip Hop Artists here last Friday. It was a huge success and very interactive being the gym. Grades were broken out K-2 and 3-5
 - b. Taiko Thunder (Japaneese Drum Troupe) scheduled to come April 14th- it coincides with a kick off celebration of Asian cultural events in the Spring
 - c. Flying High Dogs- scheduled to come on June 13th
- 4.) Teacher Appreciation Updates:
 - a. Teacher's Lounge is getting updated with snacks every two weeks by Julie H and Elitsa M
 - b. Have a fun February activity planned for next week for the teachers (not typing out to spoil before it is done)
- 5.) Fundraising:
 - a. Boyden Parent's Night out will be in funds between admission and the silent auction
 - b. Dining for Dollars coming back for the Spring
 - c. Using the Wheel for fundraising where we need it
- 6.) PAC Open Positions
 - a. Elitsa M will shadow Kellee S for Secretary. Kellee will stay on through 2023-2024 year
 - b. Kelly A to shadow Kristen J for Treasurer. Kristen will stay on through 2023-2024 year
 - c. Still need one or two people to step up for President for next year (2023-2024 school year) as our Co-Presidents have to step down.
 - d. There is documentation to everything that goes into each of these positions.
- 7.) Docent Updates- February
 - a. 2nd grade: Homer
 - b. 3rd grade: Van Gough
 - c. 4th grade: Post Impressionism
 - d. 5th grade: Surrealism
 - e. DeCordova Field Trip- 3rd grade- tentatively scheduled: April 28th
 - f. MFA Field Trip- 4th and 5th grade- trying to schedule for Spring
- 8.) Anything Else
 - a. Due to scheduling conflicts there will not be a Battle of the Books this year at Boyden.

9.) Principal's Message

a. Mr Dearborn thanks the entire Boyden Community for all the amazing support shown to Emmanuel and his family on January 20th. They were overwhelmed with the support and all the love

Upcoming Events:

Providence Bruins Gate- Sunday March 19^{th} - information going home this week Parent's Night Out- Friday March 31^{st} @ Walpole Country Club Boyden Spring Fling Dance- Friday May 12^{th} 6-8PM