

BOYDEN PAC MEETING MINUTES

March 9, 2022

- Co-chairs: Molly Cotter and Ali Lydon
- Treasurer(s): Kristen Jefferies and Tina Shaughnessy
- Secretary(s): Shivaun Brenizer and Kellee Senic
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AGENDA

1. Meeting opens at 7:00 in the library
2. Treasures report- Kristen Jefferies and Tina Shaughnessy
treasurers report Kristen presenting report- Not too much activity \$69,000 balance. Biggest change school store. New inventory purchased for that. \$125 from Amazon smiles. Report Approved and Seconded
3. TowneCrafters Fundraiser 4/3- Kristen Jefferies will be the lead on this
Towne Crafters is a local craft store who the PAC is going to be partnering with on an upcoming fundraiser. The date for this is Sunday April 3rd. Towne Crafters will partner with us for 10% of sales will go back to the PAC. Kristen will post on social media. Find out if we need a paper slip to get the credit for the fundraiser.
4. Sales Tax Exemption- Kristen Jefferies
Sales Tax exemptions- every 10 years we have to apply for our sales tax exemptions. Boyden has to reapply for this tax exemption. We can keep this in mind when we make purchases to get sales tax off. Kristen will look into this program.
5. School Store- Tina Shaughnessy
Recent school store was very successful. Tina purchased enough inventory so that the store was restocked after each grade came through. Store profited \$1700. Ali brought up a plan for when kids forget money - vouchers? There is some extra money available for kids who might need it. Kindergartners will be able to shop at the next school store which is happening on May 20
6. 5th Grade Year End- Tina Shaughnessy
Tina created a flyer to form a committee of volunteers for the 5th grade party. This flier will be shared with the 5th grade families by the teachers. No date set yet. Usually happens during the week instead of weekend. 56 kids total in the grade. Towels will be done again- Katie Diggin is the contact on that. , do teachers want another towel again? Two new teachers so we will order towels again. 5th graders can go to step up day at BMS some more normal end of the school year pre covid.
7. Providence Bruins- Kari D (Kari could not be at the meeting tonight so information was forwarded along) The Date for the Providence Bruins will be March 27th. 190 tickets have been sold so far. Purchase tickets soon- these will soon open to the general public.
8. Spring Dance- Erica Burton
Lisa and Kristen will also be on the committee. This event will take place at school- just a general spring dance. May 20th potential day 6-8 pm. Possibility to have indoors. Contact tracing not happening anymore. Easier for planning purposes will be easier to contain inside. would not need a rain date. Lights in the gym. DJ found. Ali Pererra Walpole Rec dept does DJ on the side. \$200/2 hours. no food, donations for baked goods. minimal games. Do we want to charge and how much per ticket. Some tickets can be purchased in advance some purchased at the door. Allow Venmo possibly. Make a note its not a drop off. Details to come
9. Wine Tasting Fundraiser- Sarah Barry
Sarah has talked to a few people about locations. Last time Sarah did this event it was held at Conrads in Walpole. Beacons has a nice room and he will donate it to us. Thursday nights might be easier for booking. Last time small budget for food, wine donated. \$40/person. wine tasting

- experience \$75 per couple. Maybe May 5th Sarah will confirm. Discounted bottles of wine for purchase. Wine glasses possibly could be for rent. Volunteers will be needed for pourers etc.
10. Teacher Appreciation- Kellee Senic (Kellee could not be here tonight so information was forwarded along) Teachers appreciation- scratch tickets ideas for St. Patricks day. Everyone on staff at school would get a small gift. It will be on St. Patricks day itself. Ideas for more months for teacher appreciation general ideas-chocolate covered strawberries. Shishkaberries food truck etc. Conversation about ordering food for Teacher appreciation week and conferences. Molly Cotter will look into food ordering options
General conversation for ordering dinner for teacher conferences. Family style. Molly will look into it. Chateau could be an option.
 11. Docent-Shivaun Brenizer
Docents have been going back into the classroom! Recently presentations were given covering art from Monet, Renoir and Georgia O'Keefe. Students will soon hear about art from Matissa, Home, Van gogh and learn some cool facts about Architecture.
 12. Field trips- End of April walking field trip could be a possibility
 13. School supplies. School kits will be ordered again. Lisa Conroy is handling this. The company will give us a price and we add an up-charge.
 14. Clean up day- Keep Walpole Beautiful- Town wide clean up Saturday April 23rd. Used to have a Boyden beautification day. Organize a Boyden Group specifically. Kristen is the contact person for this event. Rebecca Joyce is the person who is charge of Keep Walpole Beautiful.
 15. Mr. Dearborn- Harney dance school coming back to March 17th to dance for the kids. Entire school will watch the show at the same time. MCAS coming up. Cafeteria is open back up again and students are super happy about it.

Closing at 8:30