

## VIRTUAL PAC MEETING JANUARY 2021

Meeting held over zoom

Tina Shaughnessy started the meeting at 7:06

Tara Dwyer is unable to be here tonight

Approve November minutes

Minutes approved and seconded

Treasure report-Tina Shaughnessy shared her excel spreadsheet  
Mr. Dearborn was able to screen share spreadsheet so we could all see it.  
Tina reported that in the last month no expenses really happened mostly just fundraising.  
\$1521 was spent for the supplies for the Christmas/Holiday raffle for Boyden students.  
Money came into the PAC from Dining for dollars, some apparel sold, some direct donations came in  
Walpole Wheel of Fortune has made \$13,000! Such an amazing fundraiser!

General conversation about spending some money- possibly do another staff food truck- Snack trolley for teachers lounge, Valentines gifts, Roche Brothers is doing boxed lunches instead of platters now.

Boyden Pick up line: Shivaun Brenizer brought up some concerns about the pick up line. Line extends far up Washington street. Cars are coming around the corner near the church. Some cars in the past school year have been sideswiped with other drivers trying to get around the Boyden line. Some accidents had happened this week. General conversation about pick up lines and possible solutions. More people are in the pick up line than before because of the pandemic. Conversation about South Walpole possible accidents and potential construction. Conversation about using the church parking lot for pick ups as well. Some members of the PAC will reach out to Walpole Police to talk about possible solutions.

5th grade signs/ t-shirts- Shivaun Brenizer is the point of contact for the Class of 2021 tshirts. The paperwork has been sent from the company who usually does the tshirts. The tshirt template will go into each classroom so every 5th grade student and teacher have the opportunity to sign it. The template then gets sent to the tshirt company and shirts are ordered for every student in the class. The cost of the shirts is paid for by the PAC.

5th Grade Katie Diggin will lead the job for doing lawn signs for the class of 2021.

5th grade clap out- might be a drive thru again. General conversation about other possible ideas to celebrate the 5th graders.

Open positions 2021-2022

Treasurer has a potential candidate for taking over Tina's position

Secretary Kellee Senic! offered to take on Shivauns position. Thank you to all of our volunteers.  
Liana Cosgrove guest speaker. Liana is a Boyden Mom who along with other volunteers started an initiative called Walpole Multicultural Book initiative. The book initiative grew from Walpoles first Juneteenth celebration which happened this past summer. Money was donated to the Juneteenth celebration and with the extra money left over from the Juneteenth celebration she was able to purchase books for Walpole Public Libraries and school libraries. The multicultural book initiative will help out more books into the school libraries to recognize more diverse cultures. The members of the initiative are working with the media centers in each school, school administration and local bookstores. Tonight they are going to each PAC meeting to raise awareness of their program. If anyone would like more information please email is [msbondya@mac.com](mailto:msbondya@mac.com).

PAC Donated \$1500 to this program. Approved and seconded.

Raffle form needs to be renewed for Boyden PAC

Other items: Domain name bill was received. We need to renew our domain name. Ali Lydon will have her husband renew.

Some bills came in from Mrs. Damon for earphones. That will get paid from school store budgets.

Replenish sunshine fund. Suggested donations for families around Walpole. Suggested donation \$250 for each Family. Approved and seconded.

Dining for dollars- very successful. \$900 Chrissa Kasellis is the point of contact for this program.

Crisp was the biggest donation we got. Finnegans Wake will happen next wednesday.

Chrissa would like more thoughts or suggestions. Bristol square. Clydes checks is late because of Covid.

Chrissa also suggested we plant a tree/dedicate the media center to Mrs. Fucille.

Mr. Dearborn- Started conversation about field day. We may have to possibly run two different field days.

PAC will provide the field day t-shirts for the students again. Mr. Dearborn will start the t-shirt research.

Battle of the Books will happen again this year. This will happen for all of the 3rd, 4th and 5th grade. They will all read one book and Mrs. Moses will ask questions. Families do not have to register for the Battle.

Dearborn asked the PAC for \$500 for the Battle of the Books. Seconded and approved. PAC may sponsor another specific fundraiser around battle of the books. Boyden may also host a virtual book fair leading in to the summer.

School year is going very well.

Motion to close 8:25