

Pleasant View R-6 Community Club Meeting Minutes

10/02/2023, 6:00-7:30pm, Pleasant View R-6 Commons, Open Forum

Meeting Called to Order by Avery McCauslin, President

Board Members in attendance:

Avery McCauslin, President | Lindsay Stevens, Vice President | Mikaela Ledford, Secretary
Amy Martens, Treasurer | Jeannie Little, Volunteer Coordinator

1. Welcome, Prayer, and Introduction
2. Treasurer's Report
 - i. Balance of \$43,396.38 at the beginning of September
 - ii. Expenses: \$4,614.79
 1. Mum sales inventory - \$3808.67
 2. Staff Appreciation - \$49.38
 3. Accounting - \$55.50
 4. 1st/2nd grades field trip - \$270.00
 5. Postage - \$66.00
 6. Family Reading Night - \$115.23
 7. Cheer Skirts - \$250.01
 - iii. Income: \$7,278.00
 1. Mum Sale + \$6,392.00
 2. Volunteer Opt-Out + \$300.00
 3. Concessions + \$30.00
 4. Spirit Signs + \$45.00
 5. Family Reading Night + \$511.00
 - iv. Balance at Month-End = \$46,059.59
3. Old Business Items
 - a. Mum Sale
 - i. 80 Mums left at end of time, all 80 were sold when offering discounts between \$10-\$15 each.
 - ii. Order 300 total max next year
 1. No more than 50 of each solid color
 - iii. Utilize same weekend next year
 - iv. Solicit to cover ½ cost of mums next year
 - v. Made more money on tri's than solids
 1. Questioning requesting a contract for next year on the tri-color mums to prevent competition. If we can make a deal, we could order between 75-100 tri-colored mums.
 - vi. More trailers will likely be available even just from within the community club board members, as delivery of mums to event was complicated this year and relied heavily on the McCauslins.
 - vii. Work in advance to order from both Pleasant View Greenhouse (Gallatin) for solids and Quarter Rock Farms (Spickard) for tri-colors in order to assist them in planting and inventory expectations.

- b. Family Night
 - i. 165 people served, with 192 RSVP'd
 - ii. Next year, add to RSVP whether or not they plan to eat while in attendance.
 - iii. \$511 was left in the donation box
 - iv. We do not need to provide thank yous – Mrs. William's has some kids doing this already.
 - c. Playground Updates
 - i. Playground Color Voting sheet with 3 color options is ready for children to vote.
 - ii. Grant is due Oct. 11th for the 1st part
 - iii. We can afford the climber plus adding a set of 4 swings for Pre-K
 - iv. Total would come to \$63,738
 - 1. Questioned doing installation ourselves, but concern for needed equipment as well as voiding any warranty/liability involved.
 - v. Parents prefer the shredded tire over the blue-top, plan is to order the tire at least as a temporary solution and see how it holds up.
 - vi. Currently have raised our half (\$30,000).
 - vii. 2 years from the time we receive the grant to installation time, is required by the grant.
 - 1. Hope is to install next summer.
 - 2. This would be even better as Avery found a 1994 newsletter which showcased the Pre-K playground installment, making 2024 30 years later.
 - viii. Ground prep will be required to be handled by us – will try to get volunteers for this as our school community has many people who would be able to handle this, if they are willing.
 - d. Staff Appreciation
 - i. Avery to handle the remaining Sonic drink orders, with the exception of Jeannie taking over Wednesday.
 - ii. Thank yous from last year (from kids and teachers) were read by CC.
 - e. Basketball Uniforms and Cheerleading Skirts
 - i. Mrs. Bond ordered the skirts
 - ii. The supplier charged us for tax, but we are initiating a reimbursement with our tax exemption form.
 - iii. Mr. Busick is still getting quotes for uniforms, looking at new providers.
 - iv. MFA oil grant for the uniforms is in progress
4. New Business Items
- a. Concessions
 - i. Lindsay willing to lead again this year
 - ii. Jeannie has new sign-ups prepared
 - 1. Will come out in the newsletter and class liasons will email teachers.
 - iii. Restock – Notes to Lindsay
 - iv. Smithfield water donation
 - 1. Other places who utilize Coke contract have done this – it should not be in violation. Will double check and work on this.

- v. Midwest Vending for Candy
 - 1. We didn't utilize last year due to cost, we found many at Jamesport
 - a. Not sure if we have enough time to continue checking Jamesport this year
 - 2. Will keep an eye out for discounts at Jamesport and Dunkins in Trenton, when able
 - 3. Also consider utilizing Sam's Club, current price through them is 89 cents per candy bar, which is cheaper than Midwest Vending.
 - 4. We did get Dorito bags from Midwest Vending last year for our walking tacos, and price was reasonable.
 - vi. Kayla Smith suggested a Biscuits and Gravy night in order to utilize the leftover sausage from Family Night.
 - 1. Her husband may be able to donate some pre-made gravy.
 - vii. Pulled pork nachos last year were a hit
 - 1. We utilized left over pork, and would need a donation or cheap buy-option this year to keep this on the menu.
 - viii. Hot Dogs – continue, but don't re-use so much.
 - ix. Reminder: Pink Out game and game against Grundy RV are our big-sellers.
- b. Spirit Signs
 - i. Selling at basketball games entrance. School has decided to waive admission has this season to encourage concession purchases, etc.
 - c. Class Liasons
 - i. Jeannie to work on assigning these this week.
 - d. Newsletters
 - i. Mikaela to take over this for awhile to lighten Avery's load.
 - ii. Will send out every 2 months and see if that is enough.
 - iii. Oct. 13th roll-out for next newsletter.
 - e. Penny Wars
 - i. November 6-10th
 - ii. Continue with highest points reward
 - iii. Add a lowest-points reward mid-week to have opposing competition. (Don't announce this portion until mid-week)
 - f. Spirit Wear
 - i. Announced the week before Thanksgiving last year.
 - ii. Other options for vender
 - 1. Tammy Pagel – not sure if she is ready for such a large order just yet.
 - 2. Tyler Willey
 - a. \$9.95 for small tshirt
 - b. \$11.25 for 2X tshirt
 - c. (When ordering 100+, size bulks of 25+)
 - d. Also has options for Heathered colors, which are currently popular, he also has the softer Gilden shirts, which people like.
 - iii. Announce the last week in October this year.
 - iv. Offer Tshirts, Long Sleeve, and Crews with one design this year.

- v. Online store to be considered in the future.
 - 1. Amy to ask her husband about logistics of this, as his profession is related.
- g. Sound System
 - i. Hard time getting quotes, several people can tell us approximately what we need, but are not able/willing to install.
 - ii. Keep looking around.
- h. Donation Receipt
 - i. Lindsay has been able to develop, a few copies saved with treasurer.
- 5. Open Floor Discussion/ Community Comments
 - a. None at this time.
- 6. Adjournment
 - a. Lindsay motions to adjourn the meeting
Jeannie seconds the motion
All in favor, none opposed. Meeting Adjourned
- 7. *Next Meeting: November 6th, 2023. PV Cafeteria, Open Meeting*