

**Maple Ridge Parent/Teacher Organization**  
**Tuesday, March 27<sup>th</sup>, 2018**

*Officers attending:* Heather Drake, Jennifer Stewart, Leah Grobey, Lindsey Lawrence, Reagan Goss  
*General Attendance:* 9 adults

Heather opened the meeting at 6:35 p.m.

Welcome and Introductions by all members in attendance

**CARNIVAL**

- Silent Auction Chair-Leah Grobey
  - Things are looking good. Plan to have around 90 items for the auction
  - Mrs. Tuliowsky is working with K-garden and 2<sup>nd</sup> graders to make art projects to auction off as well.
- Basket Chair-Lindsey Lawrence and Jennifer Barton
  - Each teacher was given the option to choose their own basket this year. Most grade levels chose to work together.
  - Winning basket will receive the money
  - Still looking for items to be brought in.
- Game Chair-Heather Drake
  - In good shape on the Sweet Treats. Per Heather's estimate we need about 480 sweet treats.
  - 2-liters-In need to those. Heather's co-worker donated \$100 towards the 2-liters, waiting to hear back from Susan McKinney in hopes that her husband that works at Coco-cola will be about to donate.
  - In search of a Balloon Twister if anyone knows one.
  - Goal is to have 15-20 games. Teachers opened up their rooms so we have plenty of space. It depends on volunteers at this point.
  - We will have a photo prop room and a appreciation station that won't require volunteers.
  - We plan to have a jail this year as well where students can put their teacher in jail or fellow students and parents. The cost will be \$1 to put someone in jail and \$1 to get out or a time limit.
- Food Chair-Reagan Goss
  - Kona Ice will be there and will give back 15 to 20%
  - Greeks Pizza signed up to be a vendor and will give back 10%
  - Chomp'z from Greenwood will attend and give back 20%
- Prize Chair-Jennifer Reef (Heather spoke to this)
  - Prize Room-each game will be give a stamp, the children will have a piece of paper to get stamped where they can then bring to the prize room for a prize.
  - If the child has 10 stamps they can redeem it for a Zipline ride vs a prize.
- Volunteer Chair-Lindsey Lawrence
  - Parent Volunteers-Still in desperate need of volunteers. We are looking to fill about 120 spots to make this event a success.
  - Beta Helpers-Heather has been in contact with the High School Beta Coach and MRE Beta Coach looking for helpers. Awaiting a response.
  - Sport Team Volunteers-Jennifer Reef has been in contact with the cheerleaders and Leah Grobey has been in contact with the Athletic director
- Vendor Chair-Jen Stewart
  - About 21 vendors signed up currently
  - Still looking for a few vendors, essential oils, Lip sense, Itworks,....
- Set up & Tear down Chair-Lee Jones
  - Looking for 4-6 husbands to help set up and tear down

- Plan to start set up at 10 AM on Saturday. Should go quick, about an hour for setup and tear down planned.

#### **TEACHER REQUESTS (PRESIDENT-Heather Drake)**

- Keeley Cox requested 30 markerboards for her classroom
- Jenny Bricker requested 30 markerboard for her classroom
- Both requests were approved.

#### **ELECTION (Nominations Committee-Tracey Oler & Daniel Gilmet)**

- Nominations open-April 9<sup>th</sup>-Tracy asked for it to be put in Newsletter and she will post on PTO Facebook page
- Nominations close-April 16<sup>th</sup>-Danielle has box and ballots and will place them in the office when voting starts. You can email them to nominate someone ([tracyoler@gmail.com](mailto:tracyoler@gmail.com) and [chrisanddanni@yahoo.com](mailto:chrisanddanni@yahoo.com).)
- Voting starts April 17<sup>th</sup>
- Voting ends April 24<sup>th</sup> and next years officers will be accounced that evening at the PTO meeting.

#### **PRINCIPAL'S REPORT (John Lord)**

- It's testing season (ISTEP, IREAD, NWEA)

The meeting was adjourned at 7:35 p.m. The next meeting of the PTO will be on Tuesday, April 24th, 2017 at 6:30 pm in the library.