

BOOTH HILL PTO GENERAL MEETING November 1, 2023 – 7:00 p.m.

Meeting Minutes

In Person Meeting/ Zoom – BHS Library

Attendees:

Sam Cook, Jenn Caruso, Jess Myers, Tony Persaud, Jessica Zervos, Victoria Shea, Wendy Grabatz, Dina Marks, Eric Yaworowski, Kari Webb, Cait Neal, Diana Maynard, Nancy Alves, Heather Alves, Georgina Matsikas, Jose Pablano, Aneta Czarnowski, Christine Pereira, Elizabeth Staffieri, Jennifer Strang, Joanne Price, Mae Meade, Mary Rose Demond, Megan Bromley, Melissa Fraioli.

- 1. President's Report Sam Cook / Jenn Caruso
 - a. Thank you Mae and Eric for the very successful Boo Bash.
 - b. Thank you to the parents for the amazing trunks.
 - c. Thank you Jess and Sara for the Book Fair.
 - d. Thank you Tony for the Food Drive.
 - e. Thank you Jess for setting up Room Parent Agendas.
 - f. Thank you room parents for helping with the Kids Heart Challenge Celebrations.
 - g. November and December are busy months with lots of activities.
- 2. Treasurer's Report Jess Myers, Victoria Shea
 - a. Expenses:
 - i. Teacher conference treats: \$58
 - ii. Fall Celebration crafts: \$216
 - iii. Liability Insurance: \$386
 - b. Total amount in accounts: \$22,556.83 + \$1,153.80 = \$23,710.63
- 3. Principal Representative: Mrs. Marks
 - i. Thank you for an amazing month in October.
 - ii. Ten classes slimed Mrs. Swercewski and Mrs. Marks. Five classes slimed Mrs. Marks.
 - iii. Kids Heart Challenge raised \$17,650.08. Thank you for all the donations.
 - iv. Nearing the end of the marking period.



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- v. Attendance is important. If a child is sick, you have to wait 24 hours after symptom free.
- vi. Parent engagement night on November 20th, astrology night.
- vii. November 10th will be our Veterans Day Celebration.
- viii. Looking ahead to a multicultural night.
- ix. Shelton student transportation is having a Santa event, collecting presents.
- x. Balloon Parade coming this month. Mylar balloons only due to an allergy in the school.
- 4. Teacher Representatives Mrs. Grabarz
 - a. Thank you for the conference treats.
 - b. Thank you to the parents for attending the conferences.
 - c. Thank you for the book fair.
 - d. Thank you for all the fall celebration donations and minute to win it donations.
 - e. Parent voluntary great, it is rewarding for the children to see.
- 5. Pie Fundraiser Jess Zervos
 - a. Fundraiser started today November 1-15th..
 - b. Purchase gift certificates to bring to Oronoque to choose your pies.
- 6. Parents Night Out Nancy Alves
 - a. Mozzarella making class.
 - b. Save the date, February 13th.
- 7. Community Outreach- Tony Persaud
 - a. Collecting for Toys For Tots.
- 8. Vendor Fair: Eric Yaworowski
 - a. Looking for vendors for the event.
 - b. On December 16th along with the Santa event.
- 9. Breakfast With Santa- Heather Alves
 - a. On December 16th, 9-11am
 - b. Looking for donations for bagels, muffins, pancake mix etc.
 - c. Fathers Club will be making pancakes.



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- d. Look for donations for griddles.
- e. Santa is secured.
- 10. Merry Market- Diana Maynard, Georgina Matsikas
 - a. Held on December $5^{th} 7^{th}$.
 - b. Looking for volunteers to help with the market.
 - c. Display donations would help.
- 11. Islanders Fundraiser- Tony Persaud
 - a. January 20th Islanders vs Wolfe Pack
 - b. Great holiday gift.
 - c. If 100 tickets are sold, students get to sing "God Bless America"

Meeting Augured at 7:28p.m. for special guest Mayor Lauretti.