

General Meeting
Wednesday, November 4th 2020
5:30pm / via Zoom

5:30 Welcome - Chris Goodfarb / Angel Conaway

Approval of Minutes - Sara Santibanez

1. Ms. Schwalenberg
2. Sadie Jo Smokey-Crews

Principal's Report - Katy Clark

- Thanking PTM for: helping teachers, fall fundraiser live event, tables for students to use
- Commend communication from the district
- Office staff at Meadows has been great and supporting school
- Tuesday- district meeting, available to be watched by parents
- Picture day Nov. 5th & 6th, will open up more, will have additional make up days, kids will be allowed to unmask in picture
- Construction:
 - a. The cafeteria will be indoor/outdoor space, new furniture Likely in January will be open for use.
 - b. New long drop off driveway, drop off has been fast, reminder: parents do not drop off at church or elsewhere to keep students safe, have students ready with backpack etc. to get out quickly when dropping off
 - c. working on getting crosswalk light on Glendale,
 - d. In need of crossing guard
- Picture day:
 - a. students on quarantine need to stay home,
 - b. students at school will be rotated in,
 - c. students at home will have opportunity for pictures: at home learners and quarantined, will have a retake day
- Students on quarantine, even with a negative Covid test, should not return to school for 14 days as per district direction

Assistant Principal/IB Coordinator Report - Chris Merrill / Victoria Coughlin

Ms. Coughlin

- PBIS - positive behavior intervention & support ,
 - a. noticing good behavior, RAMMS expectations
 - b. polling students
 - c. Online students part of PBIS
 - d. Students earn points for good behavior

Teacher Representative Reports

Meadows Teachers

MAP testing - district looking at it, compared to last year, preliminary data shows student growth, but not at same rate as last years testing

- Exporatories

Designing basket, use a pulley system

MS. Paulson - report read by Chris Goodfarb

Art - individual designs, personal prints with positive messages

Digital design - character strengths and areas of growth

Music -

Spanish -

PE - pickleball 5th & 6th, and 7th & 8th variety of games

- 5th Ms. Schwalenberg -

Language & Literature. -fiction book report, due Dec. 16,

Science - ecosystem

Individuals & Societies - Am revolution,

Math - multiply / divide, and decimals, district test this week and next

- 6th Ms. Whitney -

Students really good at keeping masks

Science - states of matter,

Language Arts - reading Hatchet, & A Night to Remember,

History - Hebrew Kingdoms, USA & Big country project

Math - Ratio & rates, ratios and proportions

- 7th - McClure-

Math - linear equations, Bungee jumping Barbie, scatter plot, ratios and proportions,

Individuals & Societies - Industrial Revolution and effects today

Language Arts

- arguments: social media & technology,
- debate, 1st amendment rights and censorship,
Creative Writing class - character development

- 8th - no report

Site Based Council Report - Carrie Lifshitz

- Meet monthly
- Cafeteria has different zones,
- students keeping appropriate spacing,
- PBIS, character development traits
- Next meeting November 19th

Fall Fundraiser Report - Aaryn Colosimo/Angel Conaway

- Thanks for the donations, PTM raised \$18,000
- goal was \$28 (same as last year)
- Prizes have been given out
- Winners picked on Facebook live event
- Thanks to sponsors
- Thanks to Charlotte for all her work on social media promoting it

Budget Review/Money Requests - Britton Sanchez/Kerrie Wallace

- Costs this year are different than past year, but still need to fundraise for supporting: school, students, and teachers in new ways
- State 48 / Meadows T-shirts available soon
- Madison Meadows Masks for sale
- Teacher appreciation - for meals purchased for conferences
- Requests for PE items
- Odyssey of the Mind - PTM will be paying for it again this year

Communication Secretary - Charlotte Shaff

- Fundraising - local businesses can advertise on PTM, social media/ site, \$250/month sponsorship

- Email blast & social media - like and share = more people will see it

Committee Reports (2 mins. each)

- Teacher Appreciation – Angel Conaway
Food for conferences- los compadres, chick fil A, stumpy’s pizza -paid for by Blu Orthodontics
- Box Tops – Sadie Jo Smokey-Crews
 - a. Scan receipts on app, send in your own Box Tops
- Restaurant Nights – Zenia Hickson
 - a. Stumpy’s - PTM made \$160
 - b. Chicago Hamburger - Wednesday Nov. 18th
 - c. Autumn Court - December. 15th
- Holiday Party/Helping – Angel Conaway
- Dad’s Club – Chris Goodfarb (For Toby & Patrick)
 - a. Cancelling the next week’s meeting,
 - b. Will do Christmas tree pickup as fundraiser
- Spirit Wear – Chris Goodfarb
 - a. Meadows Masks for sale, \$6
 - b. State 48/Meadows T-shirt, \$25

President’s Report - Chris Goodfarb / Angel Conaway

- Presentation was done on “Coping with Anxiety in Middle School”, link on Med - O -Gram and PTM facebook page
- Mathnasium North Central Phoenix - provides tutoring, wil wave \$100 registration fee, will donate \$100 to PTM for each person who signs up for their services,
- Madison Meadows PTA
- Students should bring water bottle to school, drinking fountains not working but bottle fillers are working
- If a student on quarantine, please stay home, don’t go to sports or extracurricular

Adjournment: 6:36pm