**SDMC Meeting**
February 8, 2023
**MINUTES**

**Members Present:** Ms. Ellis, Mr. M Garcia, Ms. Roper, Mr. Adams, Ms. Furberg, Ms. Davila, Ms. Garrido

**Enrollment Projection for 2023-2024**
Considering the budget cut we received this year & our current enrollment of 477, it is expected for us to reduce our teaching staff by 3. The projection for the 2023-2024 school year is 446. It is important that staff completes the Barrick Intent for Employment and the HISD Intent to Return so that staffing decisions can be made.

**Teacher Service Day**
- 7:45-11:15 Campus-Based PD
- 11:15-12:00 LUNCH – On Your Own
- 12:00-3:15 District Sessions
  - A list of PD sessions will be provided
  - 3rd-5th Teachers must attend Rockin’ Review Sessions

**Spaghetti Supper**
The event will occur on May 6, 2023, 10:00-2:00. Ms. Garrido has obtained a quote from HISD’s Nutrition Services. It will cost $2,355 to provide the meat sauce (per our recipe) and the noodles. SMDC members voted to sell the plates for $7. Based on dinner plate sales in 2019 (1,110 plates were sold), Ms. Garrido is ordering enough of the meat sauce and noodles for 1,300 plates). If we can sell all 1,300 plates, we can make a profit of $6,745.

Purchases or donations are needed: to-go containers, utensils, salad dressing, 5 oz containers for dressing/cheese, and cheese grater. We will submit donation requests from Fiesta, HEB, Food Town, and Walmart for lettuce, tomatoes, bread, fresh parmesan cheese, to-go grocery bags. We must also look to purchase recyclable trash cans. We must also be sure to follow the HISD protocols for accepting donation.

Members recommended the following organizations who hold Fundraiser Nights: Canes, Kona Ice, and Chuck E. Cheese’s.

**Project Ideas:** Garden, docking stations for technology devices, headphones, canopy for playground areas, umbrellas for picnic tables, new picnic tables. Booths:
- PreK: Snow Cones and Lollipop Pull
- Kinder: Aguas Frescas, Corn. Game booth pending
- 1st Grade: Bouncy House
- 2nd Grade: Arrowing Throwing, Fritos/Cheetos Pies
- 3rd Grade: Soda Ring Toss and Mini Golf
- 4th Grade: Ping Pong Takis and Fish; Mango Popsicles
- 5th Grade: Confetti Eggs. Game booth pending
- Special Ed: Fishing for Prizes
- Ancillary: Talent Show and Henna Tattoos
- PTO: Sodas and Water (they will accept cash only)
Review of Calendar

- Saturday Workshops: March 25 and April 15
- Parent Events:
  o Family Bingo Night – February 22
  o Parent Kickball Game – cancelled
  o Parent Field Trip to HMNS - April 13

Concerns, Ideas

- Mulch is needed for playground area. Ms. Garrido will check if mulch can be purchased with our ProCard at Home Depot. As of this writing, mulch is an approved purchase. 50 bags were bought and was enough only for the primary playground area. Mr. Flores will use a Saturday to have it placed and spread out on the playground area. Ms. Garrido will have another purchase made so that the intermediate playground can also have new mulch.

- We should consider buying our own bouncy house to reward our students for different things. Ms. Garrido will research if this is an approved purchase. It’s a great idea!

- Ms. DeLeon stated that Ms. Benavides’ printer is in need of toner. Ms. Garrido will get with Mr. Weatherspoon to get a quote.

- Ms. Furberg expressed that Ms. Moreman is still without a printer. As of this writing, a printer has been provided to Ms. Moreman.

- Ms. Roper stated that as Team Lead, she does not have a color printer. Ms. Garrido will purchase one and reroute the one she has.

- Ms. Roper reported that Erick’s Bus (in the mornings) drops off students at the end of the Exit of our circle driveway. This blocks staff from driving into the parking lot. Ms. Garrido will call the Erick’s Bus owner.

- Ms. Davila, Business Partner, will work to get other business to contribute to our Spaghetti Supper and Carnival. She will also seek ways of helping us increase enrollment in our PreK classes.

- Free events to consider:
  o Children’s Museum, Free on Thursday nights, 5:00pm – 8:00pm
  o Free Zoo First Tuesday of each month, must reserve tickets online
  o Houston Museum of Natural Science, 2:00pm to 5:00pm

Next Meeting: May 17, 2023