

PTG Meeting Minutes
Thursday, November 19, 2020 at 7PM Zoom Meeting

Attendees

Individuals representing from the PTG Board included:

Lauren Galok: President
Megan Kirby McCay: Vice President
Nicole Inkrote: Second Vice President
Lauren Chasinov: Recording Secretary
Chrissy Byrnes: Corresponding Secretary
Jessica Baker: Treasurer

Individuals representing from the Allenwood Administration and Faculty included:

Dr. Erin B. O'Connell - Principal
Ms. Christine Piermattei- Kindergarten Teacher
Ms. Nancy Griffin- Kindergarten Teacher

Parents represented include: Kristin Coman, Andrea Kubas, Anna Vella, Sharon Zanette, Stephanie Dowd, Dio- Duarte Johnson

Salute To The Flag

Lauren led the group to the salute of the flag

Presidents Report - Sunshine Committee has been very busy this past month. They delivered goodies to the custodial staff for National Custodian's Day, a bowl of apples to school on World Teacher's Day, and delivered a baby gift to Mrs Holzapfel congratulating her on the birth of her new baby girl. Thank you to Pieper Waitzel and Tara Shah for all their creative ideas.

The Family Directory was posted on the PTG website in mid-October. This is a great resource for our families to connect with each other. The Directory is password protected so email your CPOs if you need access. Thank you to Nicole Inkrote for formatting the directory for us this year.

This year we added a Favorite Things page on the PTG website. These are pages that we ask teachers and staff to voluntarily fill out. These pages are very valuable to parents who would like to say Thank you to a teacher or staff member throughout the year with a small gift. They can be found under the General tab on the PTG website.

Treasurer's Report-

TREASURER REPORT 11.19.20			
Summary of Activity 10.1.20-11.19.20			
Deposits			
Source	Amount	Description	Amount
Amazon Smile	17.89		
Interest Income	4.49		
Halloween - Boo Bags	\$2,171.40	Boo Bag supplies	1,543.71
Surf's Up Candle Fundraiser	\$3,226.34	Surf's Up Candles - 50% cost of candles	1,670.00
Thanksgiving Pie Sale-Delicious Orchards	1,637.74		
Spirit Wear	\$80.00		
Dragon's Den	\$5.00	Dragon's Den - winter hats, stickers, and mask lanyards	388.34
Gift Card Calendar Raffle	\$749.88		
Membership Dues	950.27	Teacher Enrichment - reimbursements	699.00
Yearbook Sales	200.00	Sunshine Committee - Custodian Appreciation Day	78.93
Total	9,043.01	Sunshine Committee - Teacher baby gift	61.24
		Total	4,441.22
General Account Balance 11/19/20	\$52,726.30		
Playground Account Balance 11/19/20	\$228.01		

Principal's Report- Special thank you to our school nurse who continues to work hard keeping Allenwood safe. New guidelines for keeping children home that resemble Covid like symptoms. Please see superintendents email for more information.

Committee's Reports/Updates

Discount Card- Presented by Nicole Inkrote. 66 discount cards have been sold. Cards will be offered online in Dragons Den.

Surfs Up Candle: Presented by Megan McCay. Replaced Yankee Candle. Company was easy to work with. Profit was around \$1600.

Scholastic Book Fair- Presented by Kristin Coman. We earned about \$500 in rewards money to be used for school books. Looking for ideas to boost sales and excitement for the next virtual book fair.

Halloween Events- Presented by Lauren Galok. This event was a huge hit with all the kids. 189 bags were sold for a total of \$2,268 in sales and ultimately profited \$627.00. A big thank you to all the families and kids that volunteered to distribute the bags. Some posted pictures on Facebook and everyone was all smiles.

Delicious Orchards Pie Sales- Presented by Lauren Galok. For this event 48 families ordered for a total of 112 pies and a profit of \$337.12. Compared to last year, 40 families participated for a total of 105 pies. Pies will be ready for pick up on Tuesday, November 24th from 4-7pm. For any staff members that placed an order, Meghan is making it extra convenient and will be parked in the Visitor parking lot at school on November 24th from 2-3pm so you can easily take your pies from her on your way home.

Family Fun Events:

HOLIDAY COOKIE SWAP Presented by Lauren Galok. Our 1st Virtual Holiday Cookie Swap will run from December 1st – 22nd. This is a free event for all current Allenwood students and it's easy to participate in. All you have to do is bake your favorite cookie, take a picture of both the cookie and recipe, and email both to cookies@awptg.org. All the submissions will be entered into a raffle to win a kid's baking set. Also, all entries will be posted on the PTG website and Facebook page so if you see a recipe you want to try, it's right there for you to print and make. The winner of the baking set will be announced on December 23rd.

CREATIVE COOKING CHALLENGE Presented by Lauren Galok. Our Virtual Cooking Challenge will run from January 8th-28th. This is another free event for all current Allenwood students and again, it's easy to participate in. All you have to do is print out the Bingo board, and choose the squares you want to complete to make a Bingo line. Once complete, email a picture of your Bingo on the board and the pictures of the 5 corresponding squares. So for example, if you choose to create a signature sandwich, make sure you take a picture of the sandwich when you're done. Do that for every square and email those 5 pictures with the marked off Bingo board. All the submitted Bingo boards will be entered into a raffle.

Yearbook Committee: Presented by Kristin Coman. Pictures have been taken at snack and at Halloween. New this year Recognition ads for 5th grade. For \$35 you can design your own page with any pictures from home.

Other Business/Community Events: Presented by Andrea Kubas. Allenwood's first coat drive brought in about 70-80 jackets to help a local organization. Adrea also spoke about the benefits of the Federal Food program.

Announcements-

- ❖ 11/24 Pie Order Pick up, 4pm
- ❖ 11/24 Dragon's Den Online store closes
- ❖ 11/25 Spirit Day
- ❖ 11/26-11/27 School Closed - Thanksgiving
- ❖ 12/1 Virtual Holiday Cookie Swap begins
- ❖ 12/10 Dragons's Den order pick up, 2-4 pm
- ❖ 12/11 Picture Retake Day
- ❖ 12/22 Holiday Cookie Swap entries due
- ❖ 12/24 Winter Break Begins