

FOOTHILLS ACADEMY
ELEMENTARY PREPARATORY
PARENT-TEACHER ORGANIZATION

Agenda – November 12, 2015 6:30 PM meeting

Welcome

Introductions – Dr White, PTO board (missing Stevanie), 4 teachers, 2 parents

Principal's Topics

Birthday book club money – Requests: movable basketball hoop for smaller children; cornhole game or upper grades; colored balls for grades; jump ropes (including double dutch) **work on wishlist for Amazon**

Playground improvement? Is it possible to improve the area between the fence and block wall?

Students and social media – texting and websites spilling over into school and having negative effects; Dr White has contacted someone about presentation on technological wellness for students: education on issues relating to navigating social media; Dr White asking for \$300 to have this event, split with CP – moved to pay, all in favor – passed.

Planned Events

Friday Shirts – Tshirt forms go out tomorrow; two shirt designs voted on by Dr White; \$15ss, \$18ls, adults are a bit more. Should have before break.

Fall Festival – Lots of volunteer slots still available

Out to Eat at Babbo – Successful! Don't have totals yet.

Turkey Trot – Monday, 11/23. Most money, pizza party; most participants (%), ice cream party. Parents are encouraged to come and cheer; schedule will be sent out to parents. Funds will go to improve the side yard

Book Fair – Dec 4 - 11/ Parent's Night Out – Thursday, Dec 10
[Drop-in childcare provided?]

Winter Gala – Friday, February 26, 2013, 6p – drinks, 7-10p dinner and auction

Discussion: Student Council Recommendations for Turkey Trot Fundraiser – improvement of the side yard

Adjournment

Future Meeting Dates: December 3, 2015 6:30 PM – Short meeting and help set up book fair!

| | Dates | Chair/Lead | Add'l Members | Status/Notes |
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| Ongoing Activities | | | | |
| Amazon.com | | | | smile.amazon.com |
| Birthday Club | Monthly | Kathy Ames | | Play equipment for playground |
| Used Uniform Sales | | Kristin D-P/ Marissa Honey-Jones | | |
| eScrip | | Heidi Du Ploy | | |
| Order Lunches | | Stacy Fisher/ Brianna Walker | | |
| Friday Morning Coffees | Monthly – Dec 11 | Jamie Funk | Jill Bengalia, Catherine Dickert | |
| Fall Semester Activities | | | | |
| Fall Festival | Friday, Nov 13 | Jamie Pogue | Jamie Funk | McDonald Ranch 4-5:30; 5:30-8 \$15/ea or \$60/fam |
| Turkey Trot | Nov 20 | Kristin D-P Nina Vomero | Brianna Walker Sonja Primicerio | Taking Student Council suggestions on how to use funds. |
| Book Fair Moms Night Out | Dec 10 | Nina/Emily | [Marissa] | Vendors? Date? Location? |
| Scholastic Book Fair | Dec 4-11 | Stacy Fischer | | |
| Teacher Appreciation Breakfast/Lunch | Dec 17, 2015 | Nina Vomero | | |
| Barnes & Noble Holiday Shop and Dinner | [push to spring] | (Tara R – CP) | | [Jointly with CP] |
| Spring Semester Activities | | | | |
| Winter Gala with College Prep | Friday, February 26, 2016 | Kristin/Stacy/Jamie | Jointly with CP | Drinks @ 6, Dinner & Auction 7-10; looking for committee members; email coming |
| Donuts with Dads | Mar 2016 | | | |
| Out to Eat night to support PTO | Mar/Apr 2016 | | | |
| Spring Fling | Apr/May 2016 | | | |
| Teacher Appreciation Breakfast/Lunch | May 2016 | | | |
| Volunteer Appreciation | May 2016 | | | |