H&SA MEETING MINUTES ~ NOVEMBER 2022

Meeting was called to order at 3:32p.m.

I. PLEASE SIGN-IN

II. OPENING PRAYER

III. TREASURER'S REPORT

We have a balance of \$6,238.43 in our checking account and \$25.03 in our savings account. Supplies for the Veteran's Day parade from Oriental Trading totaled \$242.96 and the Mesilla Valley Pumpkin Patch School-wide Field Trip totaled \$848.

IV. SCHOOL EVENTS

Nov. 11th – Veteran's Day Holiday ~ NO SCHOOL

Nov. $21^{st} - 25^{th} \sim NO$ SCHOOL for Thanksgiving Break

Dec. 2nd – Singing at HAFB for their Annual Christmas Tree Lighting Ceremony @6:30p.m.

Dec. 3rd – Singing at "Christmas Downtown" beginning at 5:00p.m.

Dec. 7th – Christmas Program at the Flickinger at 6:30p.m.

Dec. 16th – 11:00a.m. Early dismissal for Christmas Break (no lunch that day)

Jan 3rd – First day back at school post-Christmas break

V. H&SA FUNDRAISERS

- Nothing Bundt Cakes fundraiser (January 30-February 10th) Cost will be \$5 per cake and we will profit \$1.50 per cake sold. The "Bundtlet Program" is very similar to Girl Scout cookie sales program where we will pre-sell bundtlets (by the flavor), turn in our order forms, and Nothing Bundt Cakes will deliver them to us on February 13th just in time for Valentine's Day.
- Dec 9th Santa's Workshop (during the day) POC Socorro Sickman and Holly Viera. We will set up the shop for buying and wrapping the day of December 9th in the cafeteria. Prices will be between \$1-\$5 and all profits will go back to H&SA. If you have fun, festive items that you would like to donate, please let the front office know. H&SA will purchase fun items from Oriental Trading as well.
- Valentine's Dance at Knights of Columbus Hall (we will reattack this idea at our January meeting)

VI. PARENT NEEDS

* Next H&SA Meeting will be held on Wednesday, December 8th @ 3:30p.m. (we will all work together to set up the Santa's Workshop for the next day)

VII. SERVICE HOURS

Each family is required to perform 25 service hours to the school (5 of which must come from the enchilada dinner in March/April)

Other ways to complete service hours include:

- * PLAYGROUND SUPERVISION ~ VIRTUS Online training required and paid for by the school. Parent volunteers are needed for playground supervision after all lunches (Monday-Friday from 11:00a.m.-11:55a.m.)
- * PROMOTING SCHOOL ENHANCEMENT ~ Replace wood picnic tabletops and refurbish/paint metal bases.
- * SCHOOL GARDEN ~ Donate basic supplies of soil, plants, and tools~ Installation of garden
- * BULLETIN BOARDS ~ Decorate the bulletin boards that line the hallways of the school
- * IN-KIND DONATION ~ If a parent's business or profession is one that could provide a service to the school, please consider offering the product or giving the service in fulfillment of Family Service Hours. After your service commitment has been fulfilled for the year, volunteering these products/services will then become tax-deductible and a receipt for taxes obtained.
- * DONATIONS to Classrooms ~ Ask your child's teacher if they need things done for their classroom (laminating, copying, intervention help, etc.). Donations of goods can also be counted as service hours if a copy of your receipt is provided.

VIII. COMMUNITY SERVICE

* The Holloman Airman Cookie Drive is less than a month away! Holloman's base goal this year is 1,200 dozen cookies donated to help bring joy to our single airman on base. This event is always appreciated by the single airman, but it is especially needed this time of year. Our dorm airmen are away from home during the holidays and on their own. This small gesture of a few home-baked goods can really lift their spirits during the holidays! Holloman has asked our school to participate, and I would love to give them a wonderful donation! We need to know how many dozen cookies each person would like to pledge to bake. The goal for our school is 100 dozen and I would love to go above and beyond that! Flyers and donation pledges will go home early next week 😉

VIII. KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS – KEEP CHRIST IN CHRISTMAS POSTER CONTEST

* Students will be participating in a poster contest after Thanksgiving, sponsored through the Knights of Columbus. Individual prizes will be awarded. The goal of the program is to increase the awareness of young people's faith, while encouraging them to speak to other children "in their own language" about the true meaning of Christmas. Students will be doing these in class or bringing them home (up to the teacher's discretion).

IX. TEACHER WISH LISTS

Teachers wish lists (anything you purchase counts towards service hours if a receipt is provided to the front office) THANK YOU TO EVERYONE WHO HAS DONATED SO FAR!!!!

School: https://smile.amazon.com/hz/charitylist/ls/18Z39SBXGKPAS/ref=smi ext lnk lcl cl

Extended Care: https://smile.amazon.com/hz/charitylist/ls/1J6H7EMQ0IU08/ref=smi_ext_lnk_lcl_cl_

Ms. Bea's Classroom: https://smile.amazon.com/hz/charitylist/ls/G400J68FQ0E3/ref=smi ext lnk lcl cl

Ms. Grace's

Classroom: https://smile.amazon.com/hz/charitylist/ls/4H7HP2AGU7RU/ref=smi_ext_lnk_lcl_cl

Mrs. Eitniear's

Classroom: https://smile.amazon.com/hz/charitylist/ls/R9FNMTQW7SV2/ref=smi_ext_lnk_lcl_cl_

Mrs. Normandin's

Classroom: https://smile.amazon.com/hz/charitylist/ls/12Q744ZQ6BACC/ref=smi ext lnk lcl cl

Mrs. Jen's

Classroom: https://smile.amazon.com/hz/charitylist/ls/3IRXQKXL1KTE3/ref=smi ext lnk lcl cl

Mrs. George's

Classroom: https://smile.amazon.com/hz/charitylist/ls/2ACE6BNJHG2T0/ref=smi_ext_lnk_lcl_cl

Mrs. Morales'

Classroom: https://smile.amazon.com/hz/charitylist/ls/VXZHCH79LA1P/ref=smi_ext_lnk_lcl_cl

Mrs. Mitchell's

Classroom: https://smile.amazon.com/hz/charitylist/ls/17IRCGP5XMVPI/ref=smi ext lnk lcl cl

Art Class: https://smile.amazon.com/hz/charitylist/ls/82PD3TUJI50P/ref=smi ext lnk lcl cl

Music Class: https://smile.amazon.com/hz/charitylist/ls/2G27U5CB2K7AU/ref=smi_ext_lnk_lcl_cl_

Spanish Class: https://smile.amazon.com/hz/charitylist/ls/2DKZASNLF5G14/ref=smi ext lnk lcl cl

PE & Health Class: https://smile.amazon.com/hz/charitylist/ls/ZNS0MN65|S0T/ref=smi ext lnk lcl cl

Library: https://smile.amazon.com/hz/charitylist/ls/1SXNQ4YPE4SLB/ref=smi_ext_lnk_lcl_cl

Meeting was adjourned at 4:10p.m.