



PSO Meeting Minutes: October 5, 2021
Called to Order 6:36 PM

- **Present:** Katie Niebuhr (President), Andrea Burgess (VP), Brad Schwer (Treasurer), Stephanie Rossi (Secretary), Amy Enright, Kris Kordecki, Jennifer Morgan, Jackie Gerou, Nikki Niccolai, Michelle Stemler, Amy Loeffler, Roger Gahart
- **Secretary's Report:** Meeting notes reviewed and approved. Approval by Gerou and Kordecki
- **Treasurer's Report:** Reviewed and approved. Approval by Niccolai and Kordecki
- **Red Pages:** Electronic version of the RedPages has been emailed out. There was a suggestion made to send the initial sign up form out in the orientation packet or send out reminders about adding your information to the RedPages as there were a few families that missed it this year.
- **Growing With Bristol:** The event went well. Since the softball game was cancelled it might not have been as busy as initially anticipated. Will participate next year but possibly scale down the concessions depending on the events scheduled. There was \$475 raised (before expenses taken.)
- **Thanksgiving Share Baskets:** Jackie Gerou and Kari Willms will take over. Will be done the same way as last year with gift cards being given to the families.
- **Social Entertainment:** Nothing to Review.
- **Teacher Support:** Flowers were sent on behalf of the PSO to Margie Blair for the passing of her father. Received a heartfelt email in appreciation of the flowers received.
- **Teacher's Wish List:** \$2,700.00 was approved last month for the Teacher Wish List. On agenda this month to confirm as last year's allotment was greater than this year's. It was confirmed this month that the amount is correct and will stand as is, there is less staff to distribute funds to this year.

- **Panther Prowl:** Panther Prowl is this weekend!! The baskets that have been received are done and put together. The volunteer list has been sent out again today to get the slots filled. There are open slots for set up and tear down but it was discussed that this usually works itself out the day of the event. Nikki Niccolai is taking on the Track Supervisor role this year and the 50/50 raffle will be headed by Heather Thompson. Brad and Kristina are to get the cash bags and tablets to the office on Thursday before the event. Noted that Stephanie Rossi will ask Burn Boot Camp for a donation, Amy Loeffler will ask Fancy Snacks Charcuterie and Nikki Niccolai will drop a letter off at 75th St Inn.
- **Popcorn Funding:** Selling popcorn was a fundraising done last year as everything had to be made inhouse or pre- packaged individually. This will not be offered at this year's Prowl.
- **POPS/ Paw Store:** Will be set up in the gym on Wednesday 10/13/21. Will run from about 8:00-10:30 AM. Nikki and Katie will be there for the sale.
- **School Board Newsletter:** An email was sent by Beth asking for assistance with the Newsletter. It was noted that not everyone received this email request.
- **Gym Door Request/ Wishlist:** Kris Kordecki requesting to add this item to the wish list as propping the doors open is not an ideal situation. Requesting to research what hardware would need to be replaced or if a new door can be installed. Double doors would be ideal for the replacement. Roger Gahart to look into the cost of hardware options. An idea of auctioning off the decorating of the doors at the Spaghetti Dinner. This would be a summer project. Another summer project brought up by Roger is pulling the bushes that are near drop off and pouring concrete there. This would make for wider (safer) sidewalks and easier upkeep in the winter. Adding planters for decor where the bushes currently are.

Meeting adjourned at 7:29 PM.
 Motioned by Kris Kordecki