

Happy Valley School Parent Club Meeting

2/16/2022 6:30-7:30pm

**Participants: Laura, Michelle, Janette, Alyssa, Sarah, Tricia,
Jessica**

1. Introduction and approval of January meeting minutes

Approved

2. Read a Thon - budget approval? prizes, etc.

Prizes: Tricia will send out the prize brackets. She looked at what it cost the last 3 years. They want to increase the budget a little to put in a buffer for maybe more limo rides in case we need to have more rides with fewer kids in each due to COVID. Laura says the local guy no longer has limos. We would have to do one from San Jose. They have SUVs here. Tricia will call a new company and see what they have available.

Sarah suggests doing a rapid test prior to a limo ride so that we may still be able to have a larger group in one limo. It is agreed there will be a consolation prize for any kids who win the prize and then test positive on the day of the ride.

Other 3 brackets they're doing Boardwalk certificates. \$5 Marinis prize and a raffle for anyone who participated for a \$25. Daily raffles to get kids excited. \$5 gift certificate and then a book from Michelle. Tricia and Jess will get that together.

Tricia requests budget approval of \$2500 -- Approved

Tricia is putting together bags for each kid and posters to decorate the school. Lisa will do a thermometer for the wall so people can see the donation progress. They could use pictures of kids reading and maybe pics of ideas for the library since this is being pitched as library renovation. Pictures of kids reading can be submitted to Tricia or Parent Club email.

Weiner readers? Michelle says they're allowed if they're vaccinated. Jessica says she can reach out to put it together. Sarah says the kids love dogs coming to the classroom if possible. It is suggested that Adults from the school (Sarah, Michelle etc...) could come and bring their friendly dogs for the kids to pet while the adult reads them a story. Tricia could bring baby goats??? They will talk about it at their staff meeting on Friday.

The last day of the Read-a-Thon they used to have a sound system and dance party. Michelle will provide a karaoke machine.

3. Open House

Are we doing food, live music and silent auction? Laura doesn't have a ton of stuff for that. Confirms we will do the class art auction and the 50/50 raffle.

Laura will be talking with room parents to make sure they're working on projects.

Maybe pizza and salad. We will see how it works out for live music.

Michelle has a woman who is an artist and wants to offer something. We don't really know what she has to offer. Laura will reach out after she and Michelle talk on Friday.

4. Updates from Michelle

Student Council would like to increase school spirit by adding prizes on Friday assembly days. HVPC says anything in the PC shed can be up for grabs. Laura and Michelle can go through it together on Friday. They're meeting at 11:30. Tricia and Jess want to look at the shed as well for Read-a-Thon decorations. They will meet them there.

Masks are still in place. The only way she would change anything is if the whole county changes something. She wants to keep things safe as long as we can.

5. Comments/Questions

For books for the raffle. Do they need a budget? Michelle will donate the books.
Sarah suggests ordering from Scholastic since they're shipping is back to normal.

Meeting adjourned