

# **Happy Valley Elementary School Parent Club Meeting**

**4/12/2023 6:30-7:30pm**

**Participants: Lindsay, Janette, Tricia, Sarah, Michelle, Martita,  
Amy, Carly, Katy, Angie**

Minutes Recorded by: Janette Walker

## **1. Introduction**

Meeting minutes for March 2023 approved.

## **2. Principal's Update – Michelle**

The new after-school activities have gotten off to a great start.

There was a good turnout for the Parent Survey and Michelle will provide the results at the next meeting.

## **3. Financial Update - Martita**

We have raised \$95,686 so far this year, exceeding the original goal of \$85k.

## **4. Field Workday/Happy Valley Heroes Legacy Picnic**

Field Day is Sunday, April 16th from 9:30 to 12. It will be followed by lunch and a Legacy dedication Ceremony. All families who have participated in Run Club this school year are asked to attend the field workday.

Janette is coordinating the lunch setup, procurement of food and coordinating volunteers for the day. We will serve sandwiches, chips & dip, veggie platters, salads and drinks. Michelle will provide cookies and cake. Attendees are encouraged to bring a blanket/lawn chairs and a refillable water bottle.

Volunteers so far are:

- Alison Pepper will pick up sandwich platters from Costco and deliver them to school at 11:45.
- Melissa (Tanner DeVrie's Mom) will be available from 11:45-12:45 to help set up and maintain the food table.
- Tricia and Nick will help Janette and Damien with the cleanup.
- Lindsay will help with setup as needed.

## **5. Yearbook**

Yearbooks have arrived. Diana is working on getting them ready for distribution.

## **6. Teacher Appreciation May 8-12th**

We will once again do one activity each day during the week to celebrate the teachers and staff (12 total). Janette and Carly will work together to plan Mon-Thursday activities. Janette and Amy will work together to plan the luncheon on May 12th at 1pm. Amy will reach out to Laura to see about buying lunch from Akira.

## **7. Open House is May 11th**

The Parent Club will once again be selling dinner (pizza, salad and baked goods) as well as Happy Valley School merchandise at Open House. This year instead of doing individual class projects to be auctioned off at each classroom, we will be having one table for all auction items. Our teachers are very busy between now and Open House so we would like to ensure that all auction items can be completed outside of class time, and with minimal student participation. Next year we plan to reevaluate when and where class art projects fit the best in the school calendar.

Tricia and Katy will talk to Laura about how much pizza and baked goods were provided last year.

Tricia will work on getting a t-shirt order completed for the merchandise table. Janette will help sell merchandise during Open House.

Carly will organize auction items for Open House and Michelle will monitor the auction during Open House.

## **8. Read-A-Thon Limo Rides**

The limo rides for winners of the 2023 Read-A-thon have been scheduled for 4/27 beginning at 10:30am. Tricia will work with Michelle to send out permission slips and confirm chaperones. Janette has volunteered to chaperone K-2 ride.

## **9. Other**

- On 5/25, the 6th Grade graduation ceremony will be held on the stage. The 5th Grade parents will be asked to help organize.
- On 5/22, the Parent Club will pay for pizza day for the school (**purchase approved by officers**).
- On 5/24 there will be a school Talent Show. More information to come.
- The date of the Spring Concert is still being confirmed.

**Next Happy Valley Parent Club Meeting - Wednesday, May 17th @ 6:30pm**