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ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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Farley Home and School Association Minutes of September 14th, 2022 Meeting

A meeting of Farley Home & School Association (the "Association") was held via a hybrid model, in school and through Google Meet on Wednesday, September 14th, 2022 at 6:30 p.m., pursuant to notice duly given.

Present were Andre Costa (President), Julie Collins & Lauren Grover (Vice-Presidents), Sarah Tracey (Treasurer) and Fabiana Hummel (Secretary) constituting the directors in office and therefore a quorum. In addition, present by invitation were numerous parents of Farley Elementary students. Mrs. Scanlon, Mrs. Doble, Mrs. Zinner & Mrs. Belcourt were present at this meeting representing the School. Mr. Costa presided at the meeting.

Mr. Costa started the meeting with a welcome to everyone present.

Action Items:

- Book Room Reimbursement: Mystery teacher has spent time and money organizing the teacher's book room. Should Association use prior \$1k to allocate to this teacher? VOTE: Yes.
- Recorders: Mrs. Strauss requested the Association purchase recorders for the 3rd graders. VOTE: Yes.

Discussion Items:

- Finance Update: Sara Tracy gave an overview of the budget.
 - Art - There is some money sitting on the budget for Square 1 Art project. Do we want to merge the funds into the H&S account or do we designate it to Artsonia? The Association will check in with the art teacher.
 - Family Game Night - There are \$500 sitting on the account for Family Game Night/Mrs. Mielke. The Association will check in with Mrs. Mielke in regards to her plans for this money.
- Fun Run: Tara Sagor gave an overview. This year we lowered our projected goal to \$25K. The school is doing amazing. We are on the second day and have a little over \$12K. About 45% of kids are registered (2nd day). Mrs. Sagor suggests that next year we show videos during morning meetings, not lunch.

- Ice Cream Social: Sarah Tracy is heading the event. This event is scheduled for 10/13/2022. This year we will not be charging the \$1.00 fee.
- Teacher Reimbursements: Teachers will be reimbursed up to \$100 after submitting their receipts.
- Yearbook: Lauren Grover and Julie Collins are taking over the Yearbook. Mrs. Sagor requested that a teacher/staff member should also join committee and Mrs. Scanlon recommended Mrs. Heather Paquette.
- Open House: Mrs. Scanlon requested a strong presence of the Association at the Open House. The Association will set up a table with flyers.
- Black Top Space: Mr. Costa explained that there is a lot of paint chipping. Sherwin Williams will ship new paint within the next week or so. Mr. Costa painted a square and will wait until Spring to see how it holds up.
- Directory: The Association discussed the possibility of doing the directory per class vs. per school. We will verify what was done in past years. We will also have the QR codes on the Home & School table at Open House.
- Spirit Wear: Mr. Costa spoke with the Home & School president of Quinn Middle School and asked about the company they use. More information is needed before switching companies. We will revisit this discussion at our next meeting. Mrs. Tracy will continue to head it until a decision is made.

Then, there being no further business to come before the meeting, upon a motion duly made it was unanimously

RESOLVED: To adjourn.

Adjourned at approximately 7:33 p.m.

A true record.

ATTEST:

Fabiana N. Hummel

Secretary