Cremona School Interagency Fundraising Meeting Agenda

Oct 10, 2023 6:30

Cremona School Library

Attendees: Coreen Lema (President CSBS), Karnell Goebel (vice president CSBS), Judy Friesen (Treasurer CSBS), Kristi McKinnon (Secretary CSBS), Dalene Scott (Fundraising Coordinator CSBS), Rebecca Quigley (Council Middle School Rep), Shannon Chapin (Council, High School Rep) Krystal Vennard (Grad Chair), Shauna Collins (Grad Committee), Melissa Thompson (Council Elementary Rep), Melissa Savage (Council Elementary Rep), Theresa McPike (Community Rep), Rob Scott (Council Teacher Rep), Sally Livermore (Council Chair), Jessica Gano (Council Secretary), Lacy Hallett (CSES Vice Chair), Faisal Kassam (CSES), Heather Foat (CSES Chair), Craig Cutting (CSES Secretary), Linda Lapere (Vice Principal), Darryl Korody (Principal)

1. Meal - 18:30
2. Call to Order 19:00 - Sally
3. Meeting Objectives - Darryl
   1. To thank the volunteers in the boards for the hours of work they put in
   2. Understand all the activities that are going on in the multiple organizations.
4. Leadership Given by Brook Anderson
   1. Sept activities - Terry Fox run by color groups and other events in the afternoon.
      1. All new students were welcomed into a color group.
      2. Orange shirt day
   2. October activities -
      1. Joy (family school wellness) New initiative –“Grateful Glimmers” lead by Joy (family school wellness worker) – a collection of grateful messages from the students, some of which will be broadcasted with morning announcements.
      2. Halloween dress-up day
      3. Door decorating - announced next week.
      4. Discussions started about joining leadership with students against drunk driving.
5. Trustee report - Mellissa Copley (Covers Ward 9)
   1. Focus on strategy for the school division, risk, and budget
   2. Remind parents if you have questions or concerns take these directly to the teacher then to administration for unresolved concerns. Melissa will assist with parent concerns when solutions are not found with the other two measures.
   3. Recalled details and examples of some “Flourishing Stories” from around the division.
6. School Council - Sally (chair)
   1. Sally is now running the holiday gift shop
   2. Fundraisers
      1. Pizza day
      2. Holiday gift shop (Dec 6 & 7)
         1. Money goes to various student events or needs
   3. Purpose of council - support the school and administration, avenue of communication between parents and administration

* Council meetings are open to all.

1. CSES - Heather Foat (Cair)
   1. Mandate is to raise funds for the school beyond what is budgeted

(eg basketball courts, playground equipment)

* 1. Much of the money goes to elementary and middle school
  2. About $5000 allocated for teacher requests
  3. Examples of current initiatives include: “Trip of the month” CSES needs to sell at least 300 tickets by Dec 31. There are books available to pick up at the office for anyone who wants to sell some, and CSES plans to have tickets for sale at the book fair Nov 6 & 7 and “growing smiles”

1. Band - Coreen Lema
   1. This year we have over 100 students that partake in band
   2. Perform two school concerts through the year and community concerts
   3. Many opportunities for travel through the band program
   4. Typically have 3 fundraisers/year - funds either go to a general account that can supplement costs for trips or go directly to support band members
      1. Apple fundraiser in fall - this year has sold 485 boxes of apples at an earnings of $8/box
      2. Exploring other options instead of coco brooks
      3. Spring flower baskets
2. Grad - Krystal Vennard (Chair)
   1. Grad date and venue (Cremona has been booked (theme - enchanted forest)
   2. June 7th is cap and gown
   3. June 8 is the banquet dinner
   4. Fundraising examples include:Turkey bingo, Valentines dance, bottle drives (ongoing bottle drive available at the Cremona depot, just mention at drop off that it’s for the Grad collection)
   5. Will be doing fall clean up for fundraising - direct interest in jobs to Kaitlyn

Check out AB school council site for more fundraising ideas

1. Admin Report - Darryl
2. Adjourned - 20:12 Shannon Chapin
3. Next meeting - Nov 14th 7PM Cremona School Library