

## MSMS PTO

### Recap from 1-15-19

#### Review of prior business:

- Apparel tables for basketball, wrestling and extravaganza went well. We were down sales compared to last year though.
- Bus driver appreciation went well!
- Inventory has been counted and Caroline is going to get it uploaded to the website.

#### New business:

- Our website is [www.msmspto.com](http://www.msmspto.com)
- We will continue to put a clip in the newsletter each month.
- We voted to renew our online apparel store for \$204 and give it another year to see how it goes. We will reevaluate after that whether it is worth the cost to keep it open.

#### Committee time:

- Fundraising: Shannon Wedge
  - Looking at a Spring All Star Night tentatively for Friday, April 26 after we get approval from All Star Sports
    - Also All Star Sports said we need 1 adult for every 15 kids to help supervise
  - Little Caesars fundraiser
    - We would like to do this as a fundraiser but need a few questions answered before we move forward:
      - Can we do it only as an online fundraiser?
      - What happens if we don't get the \$100 minimum order?
      - How does shipping work do you direct ship?
      - Do we make \$6 an item or an order?
  - School Supplies fundraiser
    - We would like to do this as an option also, but it won't benefit us till next fall.
      - Basically, we have school supply lists sent in, and they put the list together and ship the supplies directly. We make 50% profit with very little work. It can be available for a three month time span.
        - Need to check to see if we can add other Maize district schools to the ordering or just MSMS
  - Selling Apparel
    - Teacher conferences April 17<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup>
    - 5<sup>th</sup> grade Move up day TBD

- We will get help lined up closer to time
  - We decided to move forward with purchasing of a large check that we can fill in with a dry erase marker and take pictures of people whom we give money to. We could really show the community what we are up to. Would make a really cute bulletin board for next year as well.
- Enrichments and Grants: Chau Kovach
  - We agreed to release funds for 11 large grants totaling \$990.44
  - We agreed to release funds for 5 enrichment grants totaling \$1705
  - We agreed to release funds for 6 small grants totaling \$450.
  - Mr. Haynes is going to look into getting Dustin Galyon for a character development speaker for the school with a donation from Chau
  - Chau is planning to get with everyone next week and let them know they have been approved, and they can purchase their items and submit a receipt for reimbursement, or Chau will purchase them directly and have them shipped to the school with the PTO card
  - Deadline for receipts is March 1
- Building Community: Kerry Fellows
  - Bulletin Board Update
    - We need to get a new bulletin board made
    - We had a cute idea of popcorn with a “What’s poppin with PTO theme, and have popcorn with dates of our next several events on it (Jennifer has a picture)
  - Student Give Backs
    - Still planning for the last student give back
  - Parent Teacher Conferences meal
    - Thursday, April 18
    - We will use sign up genius again
    - Italian Theme
      - Marchello’s Restaurant (they cater)

#### Treasurer Report: Jennifer Seals

- Have \$10,160.80 in our account
- Net profit of \$3,233,

We need to start working on a transition plan for next years’ PTO. We will have President, Vice President, Fundraising, Nominating, Enrichment, and Treasurer all open. We need to start recruiting help now, and get more parents involved! We do so much for MSMS and I would love to see this continue!

**Our next meeting will be at 6:30pm Tuesday, March 19, 2019 in  
the library!**

2018-2019 MSMS PTO Members:

President: Heather Sinko

VP/Apparel: Stacy Millerskow

Secretary: Carissa Crow

Website: Caroline Flett

Treasurer:

Enrichment/Grant Chair: Chau

Nominating Chair: Lisa Watson

Fundraising Chair: Shannon Wedge

Building Community Chair: Kerry Fellows