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Home & School Club

	Location: Valencia Library
	Date: April 12, 2023
Ō	Time: 5:45pm

Meeting Agenda

Attendees: Caryn Lane, Monica Terwilleger, Tessa Locke-Paddon, Lily Gerrans, Beth Paiva, Cara Appleton, Kelly Corbin, Kim Guiley, Megan Marco, Lizzy Anderson, Lisa Gorecki

I. Introduction (5 minutes)

Anyone new that would like to introduce themselve has an opportunity.

II. Mathnasium Guest Speaker - Update (10 minutes)

- Planning a math night in May (date to be determined). Free for Valencia. Yay!
- Game based math night with different stations. The night will probably be broken down by grades

III. Updates: Financial (Lizzy), Communication (Joanna), Yearbook/Spirit Wear (Kim) (20 minutes)

Very little activity: No checks cut, little change to account balance. co-America balance \$125, 725.23

IV. Spirit Wear/Yearbook: Kim

- Orders closed and will be sent out soon. 64 items sold a little less than last time. No money lost!
- Yearbook fundraiser \$600
- When to sell? Book fair (5/15-29) and music concert (5/23)
- Will order 100 copies in advance

V. Principles Update (Caryn) (15/20 minutes)

- 8 weeks to go until the end of the year
- Apex Leadership Co. Update Excited to start the event
 - Kicked of with an assembly on Tuesday 4/11/23
 - We pay a percentage to Apex from the fundraiser
 - Character traits Apex focus on is very positive
 - Class placement 'feedback' form is sent out and will close on April 30
 - Class schedule

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- Open House April 26th (Wed.): Yellow Jacket Studios students will perform. Would love to have a dinner fundraiser. Want to set up an 'artwalk' for students to visit during down time.
 - Hot Dogs, Pizza & Nachos & Drinks (Service from 5-6)
 - Volunteers to get supplies: Mary to pick up supplies from Costcos
 - Sell tickets and serve: Mary, Beth, Lisa G. Cara, Gigi?
- State science testing (3-6th graders) will begin next week. Followed by math/English and MAP testing
- End of year fieldtrip (6th graders) will be at Santa Cruz Boardwalk this year. Yay!
- 6th Grade Graduation will be on May 30th. 6th grade party will be the following Friday after Memorial Day (tentative date/theme)
- Kinder Roundup May 25th

VI. Dine for Valencia Fundraiser (5 minutes)

Aptos Street BBQ - March 14th-

May: 4 Streams- Cara will ask

VII. Teacher Appreciation Week (5 minutes)

- May 1-5
- Lunch on Wednesday May 3rd (Beth will do the menu)
- LIIy, Mary & Caryn to coordinate the other days (coffee and donuts)
- Maybe ask for donations from parents early like we did for conference week

VIII. Movie Night (5 minutes)

- May 19th Kelly will coordinate (Triple P: Popsicles, Popcorn & Pizza) Mary will pick up supplies
- 5:30 Start with food. Movie to start at 6:00 pm (movie tbd)

IX. Any Other Discussion Topics

Fix the pothole in front of the school

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X. Board Member Elections (informational only)

Board positions are up in May, and new members are chosen at that meeting (currently scheduled for May 10th). Angela will not be present at that meeting and does not intend to carry over her position as President.

Here is a blurb that can be <u>edited</u> and used for our newsletter and e-blast purposes:

Hello Valencia Community! Do you want to be part of the team making decisions about Valencia's needs? Consider joining the Home and School Club (a.k.a The PTA) [insert link to our video]. We are a group of caregivers, teachers, and staff that come together to fundraise, AND decide how that money gets spent for our school and our kids. We will have board elections on May 10th for all positions [link to website with our board members]. But don't wait till then, reach out now if you are interested and/or join us at our April 12th meeting.

Meeting Adjurned at 6:50 pm

