Lancer PTO Board Meeting

March 4, 2020

Attendance: Mary Virginia Mandell, Kate Mather, Stephanie Brown, Sumner Rives, Ashley Seligson, Hill Weathers, Amy Moore, Garland Darden

Welcome-Mary Virginia Mandell

 6th grade gift

-$500 amount

-suggestion/approval re: communications board for special needs students on PE field

-involves buying a metal sign/metal posts/installation

- $235 for sign

- additional cost for posts/installation

-PTO will provide difference if there is remainder

 Restock of stickers/magnets (for cars)

 -Quote for ordering 500 (K orientation and next school year)

-total $400 for 500 stickers

 -(cost--$.80/magnet $ .55/stickers )

 -Money would come from discretionary fund/ will need to vote

 -$1071 (total)

 Teacher appreciation at next faculty meeting

 Expressions District Celebration

 Willingness to Work Survey

 -Commended Hill and Stephanie for working on this survey

 -Participants will be directed to link or download the app

 -Encourage people to download MTK app

2021 PTO Officers

-Kate Mather made a motion to approve the 2020-2021 PTO Officers at the PTO Meeting/ Lancer Hour on February 28th. Suzanne Perkins seconded the motion, and the motion passed with full support.

Secretary-Garland Darden

 -Motioned to approve the minutes; motion was seconded. It passed with full support.

Finances-Kate Mather

 -Update on current budget (handout distributed)

 -discretionary fund ( purchased cups for recycling)

 -$100 worth of receipts for Grandfriends Day turned in thus far

-Postage and bill for invitations expense was asked about (Ashley S will follow up with Maggie B)

 -Susan Walker Art-Christmas ornaments (Spartan)-made donation to PTO ($110)

 -Feedback and requests for 2020-2021 budget

 -Kate asked board to email feedback re: budget for next year (before Spring Break)

 -Vote on proposed additional expenses

-Kate Mather made a motion to move $1,071 from discretionary fund to pay for MBE magnets, stickers, and sign. Sumner Rives seconded motion. The motion passed with full support.

Events-Ashely Seligson and Sumner Rives

 Lancers on the Lawn

 -Melissa Tyson and Tyler Novak chairs

 -Ashley Seligson will follow up

 -Kate Mather communicated about the budget for Lancers on Lawn

 Kindergarten Orientation (1:30-2:30 on April 6th; students dismiss at 12:30)

 -Ellen and Jessica chairs

 -Should have things ordered by Spring Break

 -First Day of School books

 -Globes out the week after Spring Break

 -Discussed possibly adding Membership Toolkit to MBE 101 booklet

 Field Day

 -No updates

Volunteers-Emily Heide

 -Alabama History program

 -“Alabama’s Got Talent” (Mr. Piltz)

-Emily -reach out to Key Hudson re: carpool

Mary Virginia encouraged us to review upcoming dates on handout and closed the meeting. After our meeting, Samford University students made a presentation re: Samford and MBE’s partnership.

The next board meeting is Wednesday, April 8th.