North Windy Ridge PTO Meeting  
November 13, 2018

In Attendance:
Stephanie Guilfoyle, Kendall Fay, Natalie Knauer, Michael Benigno, Brandi Herron, Ann Martin, GeGe Sinclair, Jennifer Ward, Jennifer Banks, Devon Prott, Brent Wise, Kate Aquilino, Meredith Switzer

Meeting began at 8:00am

I. Welcome & Introductions--Meredith Switzer

II. Curriculum Spotlight--Devon Prott, 5th Grade Teacher
   a. Science focused on Physical Changes Experiments
   b. Math focused on Fractions, Multiplying Mixed Numbers, Measurement, Decimals, & Graphing.
      ➢ Standards changed over the summer
      ➢ They are clearer, more explicit, and less difficult
      ➢ EOG tests will change because of new standards

III. Committee Reports
   a. Hospitality—Jennifer Ward
      ➢ “Falling For Our Teachers” was loved by the staff
      ➢ This month—“What are we Thankful for”???
      ➢ May need more money to support these events
      ➢ Will check with Vicente and Jamerson about Climate Committee helping with hospitality
      ➢ Will do a projection about future costs for this committee
      ➢ EOY Breakfast typically costs about $300-400
      ➢ Salvage Station was a huge success
         • About 125 people and staff
         • Publix did the cake
         • $157 earned for the school
• Cost was about $100, so netted about $57 but it was more for the community coming together, which was really nice

b. Finance—Kate Aquilino
   ➢ Ninja Run
   • Still about $1500 to be paid out for Fun Run
   • $8000 expenses...t shirts, banners, prizes, obstacles, etc.
   • Net about $17,000 which topped our approximate net of $13,000 last year!
   • Collected about $2000 more last year but since we kept more profit, then we netted more
   ➢ Money for Activity Bus to be paid out...$1.75/mile
   ➢ Raised over $1000 for Eblen in the Fall

c. Fundraising—Kendall Fay
   ➢ Ninja Run was a HUGE success
     • Special thank you to Kendall from Meredith and the PTO for her all of her hard work in planning
     • It was nice that all kids could participate because it was also about community/working together and not just all physical
     • Mr. B bringing coffee to staff and volunteers was super sweet
     • Having the NBHS school mascot there was fun
     • DJ, Matt Jamerson was great
     • Ninja Run got lots of recognition around the community

d. Volunteers & Newsletter—Jennifer Banks
   ➢ Barnes and Noble Night
     • Will create a teacher sign up for wrapping gifts
     • Chorus, Drama Club, and maybe some band members will be there to perform
• If someone can’t attend or has family/friends out of the area, they can participate by using a special code for an online order. They will have 5 days to shop.

Newsletter
• Spirit Wear order forms going home today and need to be turned in by 11/27 and the orders will be delivered before Winter Break.
  ▪ Samples displayed in the school
  ▪ Announcements and Samples posted on Facebook
• Barnes and Noble Night—12/12
• Coffee with the Principal—11/28
• Recap of the Ninja Run & PBIS Rewards
• Landscape Committee—GeGe Sinclair

IV. Principal’s Report—Brent Wise
a. Thanks again for all that you do
b. Cindy Jones is a new grandmother of twin boys

V. Upcoming Events—Meredith Switzer
  ➢ Coffee with the Principal - Wed., Nov. 28th from 7:45-8:30am
  ➢ Barnes & Noble Holiday Book Fair - Wed., Dec 12th

VI. Other Business—All
  a. Next Meeting will be Tuesday, December 11th in the Media Center

Meeting adjourned. at 9:10am