

BAKER ELEMENTARY
Home and School Club
General Meeting Minutes
MU Room 8:15am
Wednesday, October 9, 2019

I. Call to Order 8:15am

II. Approve September General Meeting Minutes

Amended minutes to say “budget ran deficit in 2017-18 and 2018-19”

Motion to approve: Mark Wunderling, Second: Angie Wong

All present in favor of approving the minutes

III. Reports

A. Principal

i. Great Shake-Out Earthquake Drill next week

B. Teachers

i. Teachers participating in data-collaboration days

i. SBAC scores Grades 3,4,5

Up 4% for ELA overall

Up 6% for Math overall

ii. Goal is to produce students that have a great foundation in reading and find out what is working/not working in each class

iii. Question: Are we monitoring ST Math/GiGi for effectiveness?

Reports for Imagine Learning and Zearn utilized by staff but not GiGi; Chris B. can poll teachers

C. President

i. Presidents’ Council Meeting

Traffic Flow/Safety is a concern around schools

Can we add another crossing guard &/or stop sign close to the school?

D. Vice President

i. Restaurant night at Chipotle 4pm-8pm, 30% back to school

ii. Home and School Club Website is now functioning

iii. October Newsletter in last week’s Wednesday Envelope, online going forward monthly

E. Treasurer

- i. Zelle Online Payments
 - Reimburse staff, parents, H&SC with debit accounts
 - General Interest in paying for school activities such as field trips
 - All in favor interested in moving forward
 - Credit cards are not accepted due to processing fees

F. SCRIP

- i. Over \$9000 in SCRIP sales, over \$300 in profit for Baker
- ii. SCRIP Table at Catwalk, every \$100 in SCRIP purchased at Catwalk equals one lap punch

IV. Updates

A. Catwalk

- i. Michelle Mapes
 - Early Registration includes Cat Hat, Button, Lanyard, raffle ticket
 - Daily Grind, Pizza My Heart, Mexican Food Truck for lunch
 - Lap Treat Contest - doing well on collection to meet need; contest ending Friday
 - extra treats used for Halloween parade and then donated to Moreland Food Pantry, new parent overseeing donation of treats
 - Raffle Pre-Sales - over \$3000 sold, applying for another round of Disneyland
 - tickets; Kinder raffle/registration pre-sale day is today at 11:00am
 - Silent Auction- seats for musical, grade level promotion, class performances
 - Next year committee is required
 - \$20,000 donated so far toward Catwalk
- ii. Volunteers needed for Fun Zone & last shifts of Lap Card Return & Concessions

B. Yearbook

- i. October 31-presale for free Yearbook personalization ends; price increases in April

C. Garden Committee

- i. Teachers and parents met; teachers would like to use the space on their own without parent oversight; 16 people signed up to help

- ii. REI has agreed to contribute a sign and people to help build
- iii. Summer Winds Nursery will donate seeds
- iv. Water District grant is still in process; other grant requests won't be decided until 2020
- v. Eagle Scouts willing to do project, possibly shade structure
- vi. Plan has been sent to Moreland district office
- vii. Large redwood stumps to be sanded and used as tables

D. MEF

- i. MEF Pumpkin Patch - EDS Woods, proceeds benefit MEF, Music and Sports in Moreland

V. Volunteer Opportunities

A. MEF Representative

VI. New Business

- i. Nirmala

“My Secret Bully” book gave her idea to create anonymous “grievance boxes” in each class or a central location and grievances are then read aloud by teacher to discuss emotional concerns. She will move forward with email to Mr. Barbara with a plan of action.
- ii. Bike Rack on Kindergarten side in new fenced area
- iii. Trees for Playground Fenceline- still waiting on delivery timeframe
- iv. Mural - awaiting updated muralist artwork

VII. Adjourn 9:10am

Attendees:

Feroz Zaidi

Afsaneh Afkham

Radha Poojary

Amanda Robert

Angie Wong

Alycyn Hensley

Bonnie Kham

Mekhla Goyal

Pooja Neema

Taryn Barker

Rebecca Smith

Tina Shahian

Natalie Richter

Tammy Moriarty

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Nirmala Venkataramain

Christine Prather

Eric Guilbert

Michelle Mapes

Stacey Lee

Megan Hooper

Mark Wunderling

Chris Barbara