

Parent Forum Meeting Minutes for February, 7, 2019

9 parents, 3 teachers, 2 HGMICS administrators and Parent Forum Officers: Sarah Schooner, Kristina Grego, Megan Trowbridge, Deanna Leo, Susan Hynds & Joy Nelson were in attendance.

BINGO re-cap: \$11,408!!! A Parent Forum record high!! A terrific time was had by all! This year we were lean on volunteers. Please consider helping out next year to ensure a successful outcome.

Ski Club: Sunday & Monday's at Montage. Come out and enjoy the day with special discounted rates!

Book Fair: 3/13 - 3/20 for now, may be extended to 3/22. The fair will be set up in the multi-purpose room.

Rose Sale: \$1.00 per rose. Reach out to buy one for your child.

Family Fun Night: Sky Zone ~30 kids. A good time was had by all. Looking into Dart Zone for the next one.

PF Office Positions: Officer positions Treasurer is an appointed position. PF Officers selects based on applicants that come to us. VP and Secretary positions are also coming available for 2019-2020 school year!!

Facility Master Plan: One of the goals for the future direction of the school is to improve and expand our current facility. Assisting the school in developing a Master Plan is the architectural firm Hemmler & Camad that the Board recently selected. The Master Plan will address short and long term facility needs and is expected to be completed early June 2019. Dave Hemmler and Laura Gillette-Mills are scheduled to make a presentation at the upcoming public board meeting on February 19th about the master planning process that will

take place in the next few months. Parents/Guardians will have the opportunity to attend focus groups with the architects. Once a Master Plan is approved, fund raising will follow to support the plan. It is important to note that no decisions have been made on what's being done to facilities.

Golf Tournament: Saturday, May 25th Memorial Day weekend. 5 member committee is needed to assist in planning the event. Please reach out to Marie if you have interest in being on the committee!

Ready to Learn Grant Tutoring: Started this Monday! 3 teachers coming in from the outside. 2 certified teachers and 1 college student will be available to tutor kids who need extra support in Math and reading.

Biotin Life Skills - Being rolled out to 8th grade students. Awareness on smoking, drinking & using drugs and their harmful effects. NEIU is supporting this process. Starting Monday, February 11th.

Safe Date Presentation: Patty from Woman's Resource Center spoke about the presentation to be given to the 7th grade. 10 classes will be given starting Monday, February 11th from 1-1:45. Classes will be on Monday and Friday's. Evidence based program - taught kids and then followed their progress. Statistics show that unhealthy relationships start in 6th grade. Helps with friendships and they start to think about what their values are. Teach communication skills. This program has been rolled out to many schools in the area and has had great success.

Jeri McNulty - Mid-year Dibles assessments have just been done and will be coming home later this month.

Treasurer Report: Posted Net change \$10,576.06. Anticipated working balance of \$23,670.52

