

CDS Meeting Minutes Sept 12, 2023

Present: Natalie Schiets, Pastor Brown, Jen Brown, Chelsea Floro, Melanie Wahlgren, Aubrey Diebert, Judy Karchner

Guests: Paige Busdiecker, Dana Nutter

Council updates: None

Development: Newsletter publishing is in progress

Annual Fund Kick-off event: Talent Show: Chelsea and Melaine co-chairs. Scheduled for Oct 5th, request to move back to Nov 9th @6pm. Teachers are already in progress of rehearsing with their classes. Registrations have not gone home for individual acts. All in agreement to move back to Nov 9th to allow more time for planning.

Marketing: no update

SEA: First meeting scheduled today at 7pm

Old Business

7th/8th grade update: Jen is running the informational meeting during the Chicken BBQ @ 12pm on Sept 17th in the Lounge. She has prepared a slideshow for prospective parents. We will need at least 7 students to cover the cost of staff, but goal is to get a commitment of at least 5 to move forward with planning.

School Safety Grant: No update - still pending

EOP: still in progress

Scholarship Approvals: Natalie shared an anonymous spreadsheet listing applicant information for approval of scholarship from Meyer Financial Aid fund.

Judy made a motion to approve all scholarship applications for the amounts shown in the spreadsheet.

Melanie seconds.

Motion carries.

Chicken BBQ: Melanie has organized the volunteers. Natalie will not be at the event. Tickets are out, Natalie will send instant alert tomorrow morning letting families know to send unsold tickets back ASAP as Sarah has a waiting list of people wanting to purchase.

Calamity Day Plans: After 3 days a calamity day plan is required. Each individual teacher has prepared their own plan for their class.

New Business

Home School Options: Our current website lists Homeschool Option as \$50/class/semester. This has not been updated in many years. Discussion on an update to the listed services/ courses available and price on the website.

Chelsea made a motion to increase the rate of Homeschool courses to \$100/class/semester, and add STEM as a course option. (cost is for 1 class 1 day a week for a semester)

Judy seconds.

Motion carries

Solar Eclipse: April 8th there is a solar eclipse phenomenon happening, and our school is expected to be on the route of viewers. Currently Washington Local, Springfield, Maumee, Perrysburg, Rossford and Sylvania have canceled school for the day. Woodmore has scheduled a 2hr early release. Total eclipse is estimated to begin around 3:10 pm, and crowds are expected. All in agreement to follow Woodmore in the 2 hr early release. The previously scheduled monthly early release will be moved. (ie: no early release 4/9- only 4/8.) Natalie will update the school calendar.

Mtg Adjourned

Next mtg: Oct 10th, 2023 @ 6pm - Aubrey will do devotions