



McAdam Ave. Home and School Meeting Minutes

January 22nd, 2020

Attendance: Mrs. Burnett, Mrs. Tingley, Amanda, Amy, Kimberly, Lacey, Helga.

1. Budget as of right now is \$3,876.26

2. Update/Date for upcoming activities:

- Family Literacy Night: February 19th. Information to be sent home soon.
- Grade 5 Swimming: March 13th, 20th, 27th. Grade 5 will be going for a fun day on April 24th and do a tour of NMS after they swim for an hour. They will also have lunch at the middle school. H&S will be requesting \$5 per child for the trips. It costs \$65 per trip for the bus.
- Skating: TBA
- We discussed acquiring a movie license again. We will revisit this idea at a later date.
- We discussed doing a Spellathon. Cynthia will look into this with the help of the teachers.
- At our next meeting, we will also discuss a fun Family evening in April.

2. End of year plans: Cynthia has tentatively booked Science East and the indoor pool for a whole-school field trip. Upon returning to the school, the children would have a Pizza party. Cost for Science East is \$4.50 per student and the pool would be free. Home and School would help with bussing. We will likely ask parents for a small fee to offset some of the cost. There was some discussion about taking the whole school to Green Hill Lake again this year. Teachers expressed concerns. Definite plans to be discussed at our next meeting.

3. Principal's notes:

- H&S will again provide \$30/G5 student for their end of year celebration. That money will be used for their special dinner, a small gift and the yearbook.
- Pictures from LifeTouch: we have been offered to renew our contract for 3 years. In exchange, we will receive a \$250 gift card to Walmart for our Breakfast program. LifeTouch will also be doing the yearbooks for us.

- G5 Smartboard has died. H&S has been asked to provide some funds to buy a new Smart TV for the classroom. We voted on a \$500 contribution. Cynthia will contact district to get the rest of the funds.

4. Miscellaneous items:

- Breakfast program: we have enough volunteers right now. After Helga's request on the Facebook page, 4 more people have signed up to help.

5. Next meeting Date: (tentative) February 26th, 2020