**Worthington Hooker PTA Meeting Minutes**

**April 21, 2021**

**Call to Order 6:00pm**

**PTA Board Members Present**: Wolfgang Fink, Peter Butler, Claire Roosien, Claire Rowe, William Hawkins, Jessica Light, Yashmun Filipczak-Morisseau

**Staff Present**: M-M Gethings, J Clarino, M. Ackerman

**Parents/Guardians Present on Zoom as of 6:10pm**: Alana, Angelina, Joy Edwards, Willie, Feng Jiang, Vicki, Kim, Jef, Beata, Maria, Just Be Yoga, Nozomi Sumida, Laura/Dan, Dominique O’Connell

**Principal’s Report**:

* All NHPS will be going 4 days a week K to 12. Current plan is for Ws to remain remote.
* Gathering of families at Big School- looking toward future ones
* Picture Day- huge thanks to Alana.
* Clean Up day went well!
* 83% of school is in person learners, with grade 8 and K being the most in person.
* Purposeful Play remains a focus; outside learning as much as possible, Poetry workshops
* Dr Tracey came to visit
* April 10th was a Clean Up- made a big dent and more to come on May 1.
* Town Meeting went well- some normalcy back to the academic day! K-2 and 3-5 had theirs
* Lottery has been completed- will be in full enrollment 25-27 students in each class. K only has 18 currently.
* Grant $$ will be used for 4 additional support teachers in lower grades
* Summer Fun Program is open to all students and will be in person

**Treasurer’s Report**: William Hawkins reports: Remains quiet due to Covid. Spent 1k last month, still have slightly over 60K in the bank.

**New Business:**

* Plant Sale Fundraiser/Beautify Project (Claire Roosien)- Laura Dan volunteered to help organize. Jef also volunteered- the logistics are needed. Orders have to be into Paradise Nursery by 4/30. Could do an estimate and do first come, first serve. Claire Rowe volunteered to do the GoogleForm. Pick up would be May 5 or May 6. Contact Info: Jef Wilson, Jefeastrock@gmail.com, May 5 paradise delivery; ldaniels114@gmail.com Laura Daniels;
* Teacher Appreciation Week (Alana and Vicki): Gift Cards, Chalking, Lunch (MMG suggested P&M or food truck- possibly Farm Belly Food Truck suggested by Jef Wilson- would need more than 1 food truck to cover both buildings); MMG suggested either beginning or end of week; also encouraging all kids and families to send in notes
* Fundraising Idea from Ms. Ackerman- Day of Giving, could be in honor of, possibly for end of June.
* Nominating Committee (Claire Rowe)- to recruit people to run for the positions the PTA has to have. Alana volunteered.
* ASP Committee: William, Marie Ackerman, Peter, Wolfgang, Claire Rowe, Yahshman, Jessica Light, Suggested meeting next Wednesday.
* After School Social Gatherings- need a parent for each grade. Wolfgang 2nd Grade, K has self organized, Peter will email Gethings the list of who we have so far so teachers can suggest parents/guardians.

Meeting adjourned 7:07pm

Next Meeting: Wednesday, May 19 at 6pm

Minutes submitted by: Peter Butler