January SAC/PTO Meeting

Engage:

QSSSA PTO Attendance Sheet

- Q: Question- Without calling out, think about this question. "What is something you did over break that brought you joy?"
- S: Signal- "Stand up when you have thought about this memory and you are ready to share"
- S: Stem- When you share with a partner, I want it to sound like this. "Something I did over break that brought me joy was...."
- S: Share- Share your sentence with someone at your table. Person with the shortest hair goes first.
- A: Asses- Share with the group what the other person's activity was that brought them joy

Explore: Mission of IVES SAC/PTO

Working collaboratively together, we institute close working relationships between parents and guardians, our community, teachers, and students by evolving opportunities within the school, home, and community.

IVES SAC/PTO Agreed Upon Norms

How do we want to treat each other as we serve on this committee:

Respectful, open minded, solution oriented, good listening, kindness, presume positive intent, safety and trust

What does it look like to build relationships?

Collaboration, transparency, unity, authentic conversations, safe space

SAC:

VOW Results

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Purpose of D.A.A.C.

The law mandates that each school district has a District Accountability Advisory Committee to set and oversee goals and to address concerns about schools and the district as a whole. The DAAC meets monthly in Peakview Hall with representatives from each school, the district and the Board of Education.

<u>District Initiatives for 2021-2022:</u> Community Care, Equip and Encourage, Keep the Peak in View, Climb with Community, Portfolio Performance, Primary Proficiency, and 49 Pathways.

- 3 Top Budget Priorities
 - Teaching Training
 - SPIRE
 - READ Naturally
 - New Math Curriculum
 - Staffing/Part time positions: Reading and Math Interventionists, GT and CLDE support, Counselor
 - Bonus for retention if staff members return

PTO:

- 1. Update: Fundraisers
 - a. American Furniture Warehouse Store Rally-\$492.54!
 - b. Box Tops-\$43.10
 - c. Popcorn Thursday- \$ 360.00 towards Missoula Children's Theatre
- 2. Update: Basket Raffle tickets on sale Jan. 23rd-27th
 - a. Parent communication sent out and will send out again
 - b. Need to purchase some supplies to wrap baskets and pack them. Estimated expense will be around \$100-Approved
 - c. We received a coupon for pizza from Louis Pizza. Class with the most raffle tickets sold will win a pizza party.
 - d. Video to showcase all items and posted to Facebook/emailed out by Jan. 20th
- 3. Update: Display Case was in Denver last week. Hoping it arrives safely this week!
- 4. New: Volunteer Sign up Genius went out in the Newsletter!
- 5. New: Conference Week: February 15th (late night) out to community: Pasta/Soup/salad/bread
- 6. New: CMAS will be in April. Sponsor treats for our students.-Approved
- 7. New: Do we want to support Evening of the Art at IVES? Refreshments and light snacks?-Approved
- 8. Where might we want to focus our funds this year? Approved to focus funds on a Mascot for IVES
- 9. Girl Scouts wanting to donate time and project to IVES. Here are some ideas:
 - a. School garden area
 - b. Herb wall
 - c. Mural/wall art/concrete art

New: Future Ideas

- d. Watch Dog Dads costs to join, \$465.00 for Elementary School Start Up Kit (required)
- e. Quick Quack Car Wash
- f. Personalized Sunglasses
- g. End of Year Celebration Party
- h. Book It Program (one school one book for 22-23 and Book It for 23-24)
- i. School Mascot Costume
- i. Cole's Chocolates
- k. Teacher Amazon wishlists emailed out to families on spreadsheet
- I. Amazon Gives Back sign up IVES
- m. Arts Integration Day-bring in different arts themes for a "field day" type of experience
- n. D49 offers planetarium, virtual reality (expedition bus), etc. (This is scheduled for K-5th on Feb. 13th-14th through a grant secured by Leslie Chase! Thank you, Leslie!)
- o. School movie night
- p. Bingo night
- q. Craft fairs
- r. Month of the Military Child (after school game night)-April
- s. Cups for the fence



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Empower: Roles of the PTO

Building Admin: Pam Holloman, Principal; Jessica Cole, Assistant Principal

Treasurer: Megan McGuire

- Meet with building admin to discuss funds and keeps account of ledger to report out at meetings
- Funds to date: \$1,727.49
 Fundraising Coordinator: Carolyne Morris
 - Oversees fundraising events
 - Working with vendor, school, and community

Communications Secretary/Community engagement: Seffanie Hobelman

- Lead in writing quarterly newsletter to community
- Organizes volunteers in the building for events (copies per grade level, popcorn Friday, picture day, yearbook pictures, vision and hearing, etc.)
- Supports with Parent Facebook posts

Recording Secretary: Lindsay Segner

- Takes minutes in the meetings
- Ensures signup sheet is completed and names added to the spreadsheet

Parent Representative: Christine Pretti

• Brings parent perspective

Teacher Representatives: Erin Bedell, Kara Sandborn

Brings teacher perspective as we make plans and decisions

 Brings ideas on what teachers need regarding volunteers and what type of events would encourage staff members

Launch:



Next Meeting date: February 8th