

# **Hanson PTO Agenda**

**Thursday, March 14, 2024**

**7:00 PM**

**Indian Head Library**



## **+ Approval of February 2024 Meeting Minutes**

- motion to approve
- seconded

## **+ Board's Welcome & Business**

- Outdoor classroom plans update
- Raise Craze fundraiser updates
- Electronic Sign update
- Kindergarten info night is April 30, PTO speaker requested
- Note that our April meeting is April 4, which is the first Thursday of the month. We moved it up a week for parent-teacher conferences which is April 11.
- Scholastic Dollar balance \$7048.45
  - Scholastic Dollars usage request: Grade 3 purchase of 18 Scholastic Children's Dictionaries and 18 Scholastic Children's Thesauruses to improve students' writing. To be split between Mrs. Hanlon and Mrs. DeProse. Scholastic Dollars cost/spent will be \$791.60.
- Cafeteria fan update has been requested

## **+ Principals' Update**

## **+ Treasurer's Report: Balance Update and Outstanding Obligations**

## **+ Post Event Review**

- Sweetheart Dance – February 9<sup>th</sup>
- Cyber Sense Presentation – March 14<sup>th</sup>

## **+ Upcoming Events / Fundraisers - voting requests to follow**

- Raise Craze fundraiser (Tina Arsenault) – March 25-April 5
- Raise Craze family craft night (Tina Arsenault) – March 27<sup>th</sup> 6:30-8:00 pm
- Brain Show (Tina Arsenault) – April 29<sup>th</sup>
- Teacher Appreciation week (Kate Fisher and Kristin Ernest) – week of May 6<sup>th</sup> – present survey results from teachers
- May book fair (Andrea Cipolla) – week of May 20<sup>th</sup>

## **+ Voting Requests (\$17,155.74) - Voting will take place at end of meeting**

- Grade 3 - field trip to Blake Planetarium and Pilgrim Hall Museum, Plymouth, & bus costs – \$1739.70
- Grades K-4 - button maker and button parts (Amazon) to make buttons for all students for incentives, themed days, birthdays, etc. - \$600

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- Grades K-4 – Cricut Educator bundle, training, and 1 year subscription – for all teachers to create engaging and personalized displays - \$4490.88
- Kindergarten – three (3) 9x12' classroom rugs - \$1,996.99
- Kindergarten – Scholastic News for 125 students for 2024/2025 school year - \$748.75
- Grade 2 – three (3) buses for field trip to North River Wildlife Sanctuary as part of grant program from Audubon Society - \$744.42
- Grade 1 (Kelsey Ryan) – wobble chair flexible seating (2 wobble chairs) - \$160
- Brain Show cost – 3 shows. Cost \$3100.
- Wellness teacher Bob Kniffen for grades K-4, for portable GaGa Ball Pit and Utility Cart (Amazon) for bringing gym supplies or GaGa ball pit outside – \$1750
- Grade 4 – book request – new books from Amazon for the classroom libraries - \$1800
- Website domain name renewal - \$25

## **+ School Committee Rep Update**

## **+ Future Events/Fundraisers (to be discussed at future meetings)**

- Book Fair (Andrea Cipolla) –week of May 20<sup>th</sup>
- Teacher Appreciation week – week of May 6<sup>th</sup>
- Kindergarten welcome event - August

## **+ Chairperson/Committee/Volunteer Opportunities**

- School Store Coordinator Erica Burke and volunteers
- Sweetheart Dance Chairperson and volunteers
- Raise Craze volunteers
- Book Fair volunteers
- Teacher Appreciation week volunteers
- Box Tops leader Kristin Ernest
- Various other volunteer opportunities at events and fundraisers throughout the year

## **+ Events/Other Business**

## **+ Open Discussion/Questions**

## **+ Next meeting: 4/4 @ 7pm Indian Head Library**

## **+ Monthly meetings for 2023/2024 school year – 9/14, 10/12, 11/9, 12/14, 1/11, 2/8, 3/14, 4/4 & 5/9**