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# PHACT/ PTA December 2020 Meeting

Tuesday, December 8th, 2020 @6:30pm Via Zoom Video Conferencing

**Attendees-** Lisa LaBelle, Heather Victoria, Amy Ouimette, Darcy Baran, Larry Miller, Maggie Bolduc & Cindy Palmer

**Agenda Items-** (Where action item is anticipated note that you can only vote if you are a current PTA Member)

WELCOME!

Treasury Reports-

Submitted by Karen McElroy PHACT/ PTA Treasurer, Presented by Lisa LaBelle, PHACT/ PTA President

**-Approval tabled until next meeting**

November Minutes-

Submitted by Amy Ouimette, PHACT/ PTA Secretary

**-Approved by Lisa LaBelle, PHACT/ PTA**

New Business-

1. Helping Hands-
  - a. Students collected Turkeys and non-perishable items for local families in need, 9 families participated. Cash donations from this event will be used to help families with Christmas needs.

Old Business-

2. Curriculum Review Committee-
  - a. Reviewed minutes of the November Meeting. Topics include Schoolwide Diversity Podcast Series, Department curriculum reviews, and Guest speakers for staff.

3. Discipline Review Committee-
  - a. Committee is working to update the statement in the parent/ student handbook and once completed will share with students, families, faculty and community members.
  
4. Reflections-
  - a. Currently 16 students enrolled, Submissions are due by January 5th, 2021. Mrs. G may have more students from her class that would like to participate; unsure of final numbers due to school closing for the remainder of the 2020 year. Lisa LaBelle will reach out via email to each student signed up during the school closure. Will need volunteer judges.
  
5. Teacher Needs-
  - a. None at this time
  
6. School of Excellence-
  - a. Objective: Prevent all forms of bullying and encourage healthy peer relationships
  - b. Maggie Bolduc presented her CapStone project from last year which included a lot of helpful information on school climate and the importance of healthy peer/ teacher relationships. Maggie will forward her research so we can build off of what she has started.
  - c. Suggestions to consider: Leadership groups, Inspirational quotes on the bathroom stalls, Anti-bullying podcasts, Look for the "School of Excellence banner for kids/ staff/ community to sign, hand out bracelets.
  - d. "See Something, Say Something"-paid program for schools
  - e. InspirED: Maggie will send a list of current students from last year that may be interested in participating. They also have a FB page with helpful information.
  
7. Staff Appreciation-
  - a. School Counselor Recognition- February 1-5, 2021

## Ongoing Projects/ Fundraising-

6. Papa Ginos Fundraiser- Wednesday, 12/16/2020 from 4-8pm.

7. Mask Fundraiser- DNB Masks made by Kathy Freed, Judy Noel and other volunteers. Masks should be available on the Member Hub site this weekend. \$6 a mask, 3 different sizes. Set up at Zlotnics

8. Tee- shirt sales- Karen will look into, TBD -**ON HOLD FOR NOW**

9. Pie Fundraiser- Easter delivery with Butterbraids and cookies.

10. Football Squares- Lisa will look into, TBD- With "Creative" wording we can try for Super Bowl

## Open Discussion-

## Meeting Adjourned @7:38pm

The next meeting will be held on Tuesday, January 12th, @6:30pm Via Zoom