

MUSF Meeting Notes March 3, 2021

Meeting to order – Tara Ferguson,
Approve meetings from last meeting Dodie approved, Ben second

Tara Fergusson –

Sponsorship update - \$1500 for a sign on the fence on SY and website placement

Dodie doing signage, included in package price, and controlled

Volunteers responded with board plans for next year

Anyone want to be President? If not, Tara would do it this next year!

Tara will get the board slate out and offer to the school as well!

Spanish Cultural Day – May 5th will feature Mexico and an art project

Enchanted Evening – form of a virtual dance party, DJ on zoom, Friday March 12th, dance play games and have fun, delivering party bags to each household that signs up, spread work to friends, \$20 each person or each family

Dalina- Party Books rebranded as “Socials”, creating social experiences that families can sign up for, several opportunities to sign up for, to meet new people from MUS community, cooking, kid activities, wine tastings, these socials will all be covid conscious and different price points to share. There is a webpage for the “socials” advertise Parent Square for the post to offer other ideas to people

Dance Party on Parent Square / Move A Thon on Parent Square

Anthony said there is a company that delivers cocktail kits so Dalina will get in touch with him for that company name

Graduation – Mabel Romero is connecting with AR for the graduation information; AR said they are working on trying to make it an in-person event with all the 6th graders to graduate, have other options if it needs to be more restrictive.

Volunteer positions are going public on Parent Square so if anyone has any idea, please feel free to reach out personally.

Cathy Bunnin Fundraising

Move A Thon begins this Friday, over 10,000 at this point, goal is \$50,000, feels questionable at this point but grateful for anything to achieve. T-Shirts should be received today, home on Friday, flier home on Friday as well. Zero cost because the sponsors cover the full cost of the t-shirts! All the proceeds then will be profit. How to log the minutes? Easiest to go to website choose class and name then hit save, this would be done daily, make the log in right at the top to make it easy to see, Ben will be working on this and up by Friday, maybe announce it on Friday Flag this week, Staff Appreciation Lunch – every May we do teacher appreciation week, typically host a lunch one day in May every year, last year sent grub hub gift cards, this year we will be doing a catered lunch, boxed catered lunches for each teacher. Lounge Fairy can't work this year

Country Mart sponsoring the Move A Thon –

Exploring the concept of a fundraising event to take place of the Gala, a parent has come forth and offered to help, working with AR and Cathy to work on it, very vague at this point, may happen and may not still,

Ana Rudnicki –Nature Lab

Can schedule a tour, the solar structure is laid out, programming will still happen underneath it, will begin installation day after school is out, ending day before school is back in, July will also being the infrastructure project to share, hopefully the infrastructure will be done before school begins, once the infrastructure is done, the rest can really get going. We do not have the funding for bathrooms but will put in sewer and water lines to prepare for bathrooms. The kids are loving the tortoise and chickens, civil engineer looked at plan and gave it approval as well.

Superintendent Report

Vaccines 46% of staff at MUS either vaccinated or scheduled, vaccines are coming to staff through a variety of sources, anything that we can to get them staffed,

Vanessa – support team for the 5th grade teachers, created a live-in museum of Colonial Williamsburg since they could not travel there this year, can come see what the students have done, recorded and QR coded each location

Vaccines did not matter if other schools are not in person until March 10th

In terms of planning for next year at MUS they have not quite started that yet, AR had a meeting with the Teachers Association and will begin to look at it this summer with the recommendations in place at that point,

Next meeting April 5th, 20201