# EHRMAN CREST PTO

## TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 2024 GENERAL MEETING AGENDA

\*\*Please be sure to sign in on the attendance sheet\*\*

Attendance – Ashley Pattison, Jean Elwell, Liz Steele, Aubrey Rader, Nicole Ratliff, Kelly Colella, Leah Vassilaros, Jennifer Doherty, Missy Olah, Diane Fleming, Rachel Rahenkamp, Erica Yingling, Wendy McConahy, Jenny Hernandez, Dixie Yakin, Alison Sniezek, Michele Signori, Gabby Nedzel, Kimberly Spalding, Liz Hawkins, Sarah Stratmat, Ashleigh Cuteri

Call to Order

Principal's Report – none in attendance

Teacher's Report - none in attendance

**Board and Chair Member Introductions** 

Jean Elwell - president/science day

Nicole Ratliff - vice president/family game night

Aubrey Rader – treasurer

Elizabeth Steele – secretary/social media/bookfair

#### **Committee Introductions and Interest Survey**

Diane Fleming and Denise Schenck – staff appreciation (big breakfast at beginning of the year and luncheon in May; random events throughout the year to show appreciation

Leah Vassilaros – middle school dance in May

Liz Steele – Book Fair (fall and spring with open house nights for family events)

Alison Sniezek, Barb Magill, Dixie Yakin – Community Liaison (outreach for donations and support in the community for events, etc.)

Gabby Nedzel – Easy Money Programs (Elevate Jump Nights, Skate Nights, Box Top program, SEED program, Dining for Dollars program)

Courtney Burke and Erica Yingling – coordinator for Sarris Candies fundraising and pick up

Stephanie Stroud and Lindsey Brunswick – Yearbook (creation/publication)

## Volunteer Opportunities and What does the PTO do?

- Current Volunteer Opportunities and Upcoming Opportunities
  - Picture Day Volunteers (ECE/ECMS)
    - Help coordinate students and staff to get pictures taken in a timely manner
  - Lunch Room and CIRC Helpers

- Lunch helpers attend to students needing assistance in opening things, or needing help during lunches
- Fun Run Volunteers
  - Help with water center, cheering section, swag bag distribution

## **EC PTO Updates**

- Outdoor Classroom
  - Seating for 60 students with chalkboard- located near the middle school playground behind the school. Available for both ECE and ECMS classrooms
- Lost and Found Donations
  - All jackets, shirts, clothing will be donated each month after the EC PTO meetings to Victory Church
  - o Water Bottles, Lunch Boxes, Glasses, etc are NOT donated

#### New Business

- Run for Ryan at RGMS
  - o Register now to help support the Run for Ryan or help out as a volunteer
- Easy Money Programs
  - Chipotle Dining for Dollars 9/29 any purchase made and mention EC PTO to receive donation back to the PTO for use in the Ehrman Crest Schools
  - Box Tops
    - Scan receipts, or link your shopping accounts to receive funds on certain products
    - Download the app or check out the website for more information
- Staff and Student T-Shirts/Fun Run T-Shirts
  - Two different t shirts; fun run shirt will be white with sponsorship on back to be used on Fun Run date
  - Words Matter T Shirts will be coming home for students to wear during assemblies, field trips, field days, etc.
- Playground Playdates
  - o Feedback?
  - Keep Kindergarten playground playdate after the classroom visits
  - Not enough attendance for other grades (hard with start of school and fall sports0)
- Candy Donations for AJ STOP 22
  - Candy Donations will be accepted 11/1 through 11/6
  - Typically done during book fair but timing did not work this year
  - Boxes located in both offices for donations
- Fun Run
  - Registration now open, Kickoff on September 30<sup>th</sup> Registration is Free, no donations needed to participate, this is an all inclusive event (all students) Fun Run October 10<sup>th</sup>

## **Open Discussion and Questions**

## **Adjournment**

## **Upcoming PTO Events and Dates to Remember**

Next General PTO Meeting – TUESDAY, OCTOBER 22<sup>nd</sup> 9:15AM

# \*\*PLEASE NOTE THE MEETING TIME CHANGE ABOVE\*\*

- Chipotle Fundraiser SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 29th 4PM-8PM
- Fun Run Kick off MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 30th
- All School Fun Run THURSDAY, OCTOBER 10th