

Ames PTA meeting

November 2, 2018

Call to Order: 8:35am

I. Principal Report- Mr. Gierman.

- a. Halloween parade and assembly went well. Teachers will receive feedback survey to gain feedback for future.
- b. Parent/Teacher conferences are soon. Make sure you sign up.

II. Officer Reports

A. President-Domenica

1. Election Day bakesale will be at village hall. Please sign up if you can contribute.
2. Operation Gratitude- bins will be in front of school to collect extra Halloween candy for troops, first responders, elderly, etc.
3. PLT report- Raptor system—District is looking to implement background checks on any volunteer going into school
4. Holiday Shop- Dawn is organizing Holiday shop for small gifts. Flyers to go home soon.
5. Six Flags read to succeed will be distributed soon.

B. Secretary- Patty

1. Approve minutes from October meeting: Kelly/Domenica

C. Treasurer- Kelly (not in attendance)

D. VP Cultural Arts- Jen Butler

1. Artist in Residence-Kim Marrero will be heading up committee. Ideas are welcome
2. Pta reflections program- still working on details
3. Family Heritage night is set for Thursday, May 2, 2019. Teachers in 1st,4th (?) will incorporate this into curriculum.

E. VP Fundraising- Deb Kummer

1. 5 Bs outcome- \$800 profit. Can we maybe do this in spring also??
2. Parents night out at Flying High will be on 12/8
3. Upcoming AMES EATS dates: 11/6= Portillos on Harlem/Archer, 12/3 Lou Malnattis, 1/29 Chipolte,

F. VP School Volunteers-Dana

1. Christmas Ornaments: open discussion and will be purchased for classroom parties
2. Library Volunteer sign up is up and ready

G. VP Hospitality-Carrie Zalewski

1. Parent socials at 34 east have all wrapped up. Not a ton of \$made, but fun for those that attended.
2. Parent/Teacher conferences- food will be provided for staff on 11/15 and 11/19
3. Cookie exchange will take place again for staff.

III. New Business- coke tops. Can we collect plastic Coke tops for \$\$\$? Board will discuss.

Adjourn: 9:52.....Next PTA meeting: Friday, December 7, 8:30am