McVey Elementary School PTA Meeting 1:00pm (Zoom) December 13, 2022

- I. Welcome
- II. Pledge of Allegiance
- III. Minutes approved by Allison Vardakis & Jennifer Pevsner
- IV. Treasurers Report Julie Leake
 - a. Last balance \$34,599.82
 - b. Current balance \$47,777.00 with a few outstanding checks
- V. Principals Report Ms. Dunne
 - a. Cookiefest was a success and awesome
 - b. Holiday Boutique had limited inventory which was good!
 - c. Winter Concert was exceptional
 - d. Kindness Candygrams would like to see more sent anonymous, off to a good start
 - e. Parking lot is done. The expansion team met with lead builder, have to do more work on their plan. Goal is Sept 2024 to be completed. Strobe lights going outside to indicate lockdown to outsiders. New system connects directly to NCPD.
 - f. Parent/Teacher Conferences went well
 - g. Vendor Fair was a success
 - h. Congratulations to our Founders Day Winners
 - i. Have a Happy Holiday Season
- VI. Teacher Liaison Report Ms. Jalfin
 - a. Nothing new to report
 - b. Happy Holidays & Happy New Year
- VII. Presidents Report Amy Ramnarine & Jennifer Reinhardt
 - a. Thank you volunteers at the boutique & Cookiefest
 - b. If you have any ideas for fundraisers, let us know
 - c. Happy Holidays, have a great break
 - d. Welcome Home Mr. Vardakis
 - e. We are excited about Candygrams
- VIII. Vice Presidents Report Allison Vardakis & Karen Heckman
 - a. Wishing everyone Happy Holidays
 - b. The winter concert was amazing!
 - IX. Secretaries Report Jennifer Pevsner & Michelle Robertson
 - a. Happy Holidays
 - b. Welcome Home Andrew!
 - X. Committees
 - a. Membership Karen Heckman: 2 away from goal; Current membership is at 484 members
 - b. Access & Curriculum Amy Ramnarine & Jennifer Reinhardt: There is an upcoming meeting.

- c. Safety & Transportation Jennifer Pevsner & Jennifer Reinhardt: There is a meeting coming up.
- d. Box Tops Julie Leake: Scan your receipts.
- e. Amazon Smile Julie Leake: Sign up while shopping for the holidays.
- f. 5th Grade Committee Alessia Silbowitz: Vendor fair had 40 vendors. Smencil Sale this Thurs/Fri. We will be having a movie night in January. Upcoming event at 5 Below.
- g. Clothing Drive Jennifer Pevsner & Julie Leake: Starts tomorrow thru the holiday break.
- h. Apparel Sale Karen Heckman: Flyer coming soon.
- i. CookieFest Karen Heckman & Maureen Manis: Was a success, kids had a good time.
- j. Reflections Maureen Manis: everything has been submitted.
- k. Holiday Boutique Taleen Krug & Lauren Vitagliano: It was amazing! Good options. Waiting for final numbers.
- I. Sock Sale Siobhan Licastro: 60 pairs sold so far; sale ends 12/15/22. Let staff know they can order too!
- m. DIY Pizza Kits Jennifer Reinhardt: Tomorrow is the last day to order. Pick up kits 12/22/22.
- n. Founders Day Amy Ramnarine & Jennifer Reinhardt: The honorees are Jennifer Huber, Judy Pietras, and Herman Almendarez. They will be presented with a certificate and honored at a dinner in May.