



Archway PSO Chairs-Board Meeting

December 13, 2018

8:15 AM Library

Attendance: Valerie Bast, Dalia Dehelean, Amanda Perkins, Stacy McBeath, Clay Perkins, Sandra Brogan, Veronica Williams, LaShon Bryant, Gordon Mietzner, Abby Raddatz, Erika Staten, Debby Brutsman, Sheila Conner

Meeting began at 8:17 AM.

- Encourage parents to pick-up their Community Investment license plate covers.

1. Yearbook

- 38 purchased as of today
- Personalized option added this year (with foil printing)
- Grade-level winners will be included in the book (plans to include all art submissions)
- Taking PE obstacle course photos Friday/Monday
- Caroling photos to be included for Music
- Advertising push to begin first week of spring classes
 - Dorian envelopes
 - possible ½ sheet flyer
 - banner to be hung on gates
 - chalkboard at drop-off/pick-up
 - special yearbook link for promotion

2. Kickball Tournament

- Over 200 in attendance; successful event; great volunteers (thank you, Dad's Club)
- Food trucks next year?
- 80s theme was popular
- 4 fields were used this year – possibly bump to 6 fields next year
- Spent \$1,500, registration fees collected \$1,000, total cost to PSO \$500

3. Updates from Headmaster Fee

- Thank you to PSO – committees and all volunteers
- Consider North Phoenix as a community, K-12 experience
- Archway & Prep are mutually dependent
- Only second year of K-12 at North Phoenix campus
- Administration expects to see at least 2 events/year that are K-12 events
 - Planned together or planned by ANP PSO or NPX PSO
- There is a need for and advantage to planning targeted events by combining grade levels or sub-dividing.
- Advisory Council has been formed (all GH campuses) to create an added channel of communication.
 - PSO President, 2-3 parent reps (David Erickson, Steve Kolsik, possibly new family), faculty rep (Ms. Borchers), Ms. English, Ms. Trevino, Ms. Curtis, Ms. Jensen, Headmaster

- Mr. Fee will introduce the council in January; first meeting in February. To hold quarterly meetings; parents may request agenda items.
 - 2019-2020 Academic Calendar planning involved three objectives:
 - Begin school on a Wednesday or later (goal achieved)
 - Continue to have no school during Parent/Teacher Conferences (goal achieved)
 - Dismiss school before Memorial Day (this goal was not possible for the 2018-2019 school year; school will dismiss Wednesday, May 27)
4. Mom's Club
 - 15 moms attended the nails night out
 - Should we invite faculty to attend in the future?
 - Posted photos from the event on Facebook
 - Can we incentivize new parents to attend or offer a raffle for returning moms who bring a new parent to events?
 5. Greatful Hearts
 - \$290 to be gifted to each full-time faculty and staff
 - PSO will share list to Chairs of dollar amounts (including part-time)
 - Luncheon – December 19th
 6. Parent Mixer
 - Joint mixer in the works
 - Looking for a venue – possibly an ANP family home
 - Dates TBD – February or March 2019
 - Parent Ambassador Program to begin around March 2019
 7. Daddy-Daughter Dance
 - Event date: February 23rd
 - Theme? Possibly luau or Academy Awards
 - Mat has been acquired by Manny (facilities staff) for gym
 - Food location TBD
 - Committee considering an earlier start time this year and possible dance lesson for dads and daughters (to become a tradition)
 - Confirm with Coach Page – facilities reserved for night before and all day on event date
 - More volunteers needed
 - Registration fee: \$20/family max
 8. Spring Festival
 - PSO actively searching for an ANP Chair; please alert Board if you are interested.
 9. ANP Lost & Found
 - Photos of inventory are taken on Monday nights
 - 4 weeks later items are donated
 - Tuesday morning pickup options available during drop-off
 - Labelled items are monitored by the front office (how can we streamline this process?)
 - Promote Lost & Found site in Headmaster Newsletter
 - Needs help getting labelled items to students

10. Uniforms

- Need to purchase more spirit wear
- Need to purchase more faculty polos (sponsored by PSO)
- Can we place the logo higher, especially on smaller t-shirts?
- How can all committees work together to keep the storage area neat and accessible?

11. Dad's Club

- January event: Phoenix Rescue Mission sack lunch preparation; campus work day to remove gravel
- Dad hangout nights – dates TBD

Minutes prepared by Sheila Conner, Secretary

Please refer to <http://www.anppso.org/board> for Board and committee Chair contacts.