

MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

- \$10,000 short of overall membership goal; if the goal is met, Ms.Scharfstein will sleep on the roof, live stream and read stories, etc.
- Platinum Incentive (ends 10/1) - class with the most Platinum members gets a break during the day with Ms. Scharfstein to hang out & play games.
- Remind SBCE families of corporate matching opportunities to further increase membership dollars to meet our goal.

YEARBOOK

- Half of the goal has been met; 180 sold thus far - on track from last year.
- 5th grade cover art contest submissions are due by the end of September & will be voted on as a committee.

ROOM REPS

- All classrooms should have at least 1 rep at this point & are working on raffle basket donation requests.

GREEN COMMITTEE

- The Walk to School idea has been scrapped as it is not environmentally friendly. Other ideas are: Quarterly School Clean Up, Garden Bed Clean Up, At Home Challenges like cleaning trash at parks or the beach/vacation & submit photos to earn PBIS points, or other contests/drives to help the environment.
- Any other ideas or suggestions are welcomed!

TEACHER APPRECIATION

- Tentative date of 10/20 to be confirmed by Kiana Sebastian
- Friday Breakfast scheduled for 10/29; \$635 in donations received, which is on track from last year; will send another reminder tomorrow.

NEWCOMER'S COMMITTEE

- 20 people attended the meeting; reviewed PTA presentation & some school tours were given.

WEBSITE & SOCIAL MEDIA

- Have been updating more often; encourage families to Like, Share & Repost for more interaction. SBCE is also now on Instagram.
- Request that more photos are shared from day-to-day life at school and events.

TREASURER

- Treasurer stepping down due to heavy workload; PTA Board to discuss how the role is to be filled mid-year.

PHILANTHROPY

- Collaborating with large companies for annual support to provide more consistent giving. Currently working with Starbucks, Home Depot, Fifth Third Bank, Kroger, Whole Foods, Sams Club.
- Fall Fest will be supported by Kroger, Whole Foods, Starbucks, Sams Club
- Students presented to Starbucks GM about why they should sponsor and work with the school; a 15-minute meeting turned into a 1-hour session!

SPIRIT NIGHT

- Currently working on partnership with Shane's Craft Burger; tentative date is 9/27.
- Spirit Nights are an additional way for the PTA & school to earn extra money easily; can get up to a 10% donation of proceeds back to school.

MINI GRANTS

- 33 teacher responses, which will be reviewed by Daphne & Jenelle tomorrow. We hope to be able to accommodate most requests since the budget was increased this year!

SCIENCE FORCE

- Daphne is finalizing the schedule; it should be completed by Friday.
- Those parents participating need to make sure Volunteer Training has been completed; typically expires every 2 years.

FALL FESTIVAL

- Farmer's Market booths complete, still working on coordinating games & concessions.
- VOLUNTEERS ARE STILL NEEDED! Booths need adult supervision: Sign up for 1-hour shifts & gain 1 free ticket for entry & your child will earn PURR points (amount TBD).

RAFFLE BASKETS

- Ideas based off of homeroom theme; some are used during Fall Fest
- Parents donate items or can purchase them from an itemized list from the room rep. Room reps should not be buying all of the items themselves!
- Be sure baskets are covered/wrapped/sealed in plastic so that items don't fall out.