Partners In Education

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Parents: Stacey Suckerman, Roslyn Michelson, Rachel Clouse, Tim Flood, Christine Chatalian, and Katherine Munz

Welcome:

 Introductions

Grade level Representatives:

 How is it going having representatives?

 Awesome to have parents involved

 Supportive, Seniors meet every 2 weeks

 Students making connections

 Are all grades represented?

Check in with 9th grade to see if a parent is interested in taking on role

 Rachel C. will check in after winter break

 Events?

 Had outside mini-golf

 Had event at Cradles to Crayons

 Looking to possibility of sledding/skiing in winter

 Looking to possibility of renting a theater ($100)

 Challenges with MS grades 5-7th because not all the students have been vaccinated

 Possibly having two grades join to do an event

Co-Chair for Partners In Education:

 Stacey Suckerman volunteered as Parent Representative to be Co-Chair

Executive Committee Members:

 Members should have the following:

 5 members

 2 MS

 2 HS

 1 either (at large)

Presently we have:

 Rachel Clouse HS – 12th

 Stacey Suckerman HS – 11th

 Tim Flood HS – 10th

 However, there still is not a representation forMS

Upcoming PIE events:

 Bingo?

 Usually have in Jan or February

 Maybe we wait until March/April

 Once the Red Jacket weekend gets finalized we

 can set the Bingo date

Upcoming LPS events:

 HS monster mini golf Student Council

 Blue/Green Minute to Win It event

 Food Drive – Student Council

 Virtual Book Fair

 Winter Fair

Fundraising update:

 Teacher appreciation day is a great use of funds

 Money in bank is $ 16,532.95

Question:

Because transportation is organized by the school districts or others have arranged with parents for pick-up it is hard to reschedule transportation or get approval from districts.

Could we (parents) on a ½ school day have an event and then come back to school for transportation dismissal so that it doesn’t have to be set-up with the districts just use the ½ day for students to get together and socialize, while teachers are having Professional Development. This is something that can be looked at for the next year calendar since the calendar is already set for 2021-2022.

Another idea once a month last period of the day or enrichment block have a speaker come in

to speak with the students and then the students do a project like STEM.

Christine Chatalian will research and reach out to Amy/Gretchen.