## Parent Group Minutes

### Tuesday October 13th; 6:00pm via Google Meetings

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1. Call to Order/Roll Call

 Parent Group Committee

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| **Name** | **Roll** | **Name** | **Roll** | **Name** | **Roll** |
| Abby Reilly, Chair |  | Omar Parks, Co-chair | x | Jeanine Fisk, Treasurer | x |
| Lori Liddell, Secretary | x | Bob Boyd, FAC Rep | x | Greta Gladitsch, Fundraising chair | x |
| Lisa Nelson, Family Events Coord | x | Larisa Butters, Volunteer Coord | x | Pa Thao, FAC Rep |  |
| Ashton Danboy |  |  |  |  |  |

School staff present - Jane Christenson, Amy Day, Courtney Worley, Pam Hermodson

Non Committee Attendees - Anoosheh Hamzehee, Brad Kabes, Juergen, S. Irlapati, Amy Ridgeway

1. Approval of September Minutes - Motion by Lori to approve, Bob second. Motion carries
2. Partnership Coordinator Report (Jane - if applicable)
	1. Working on “Montessori wear” order. Working with Chippewa Valley Sporting goods to coordinate.
	2. May be allowing some virtual volunteers in school. Undetermined yet what that may entail.
	3. Garden volunteers may come in on the weekends.
3. Principal Report (Pam - if applicable)
	1. Parent/Teacher Connection Meeting
		1. Parent event coming up on Thursday, October 22 6:30-8. Some staff will attend. Encouraging parents to submit questions beforehand.
	2. Things are going smooth. Students and staff working hard.
	3. Pam is speaking to the rotary club Thursday to talk about Montessori.
4. Teacher/Staff Report (Amy/Courtney)
	1. No report. Just happy to have kids back in the building and it’s going well.
5. Treasurer Report
	1. Balance is at $10,016.50
	2. Expected income from No Buy No Sell fundraiser.
6. FAC Report
	1. See attached report. - https://go.boarddocs.com/wi/ecasd/Board.nsf/files/BU4R8F6C728D/$file/2020%20Opening%20of%20Schools%20Report.pdf
7. Committee Reports
	1. Family Events
		1. Dairy Queen / Culver’s Nights
			1. Fundraiser at Birch Street DQ 2nd Tuesday of the month until May.
			2. Culver’s is not doing family nights this year. They will do donations, ice cream tokens, etc for schools.
		2. Chippewa Valley Museum Virtual/Socially Distanced Event
			1. Museum is doing zoom presentations and events with up to 10 people per hour and social distancing.
	2. Fundraising
		1. No buy/No sell fundraising letter review
			1. Letter was sent to group for review. Discussed goals and wording. No changes needed.
			2. Needs a link for online donations.
		2. Footslog refunds
			1. Will need to issue refunds for those that signed up before it was cancelled and registration disabled.
		3. Clothing fundraiser - would be all online. Montessori logo’d.
			1. Jane, Pam and Greta will need to discuss “Montessori Wear” and the fundraiser option to not overlap
		4. Kwik Trip offers their gift card program where the organization gets a percentage back of the sales.
		5. Ms Pam suggested a “trash bag fundraiser”.
	3. Volunteer Coordinator
		1. Garden - May have a need to get in to clean the beds before winter
	4. Garden
		1. Seed sale - should we plan for this?
			1. Will table the discussion to next month.
		2. How should we recruit new help?
8. Chair Report
	1. Newsletter
		1. Approval of draft
			1. Draft reviewed
		2. Printing & distribution - Jane?
			1. Will be printed when finalized.
	2. Budgetary requests
9. New Business (All)
10. Next Meeting: Tuesday November 10th, 6:00pm, via Google Meet
	1. Lori motions to adjourn, Jeanine seconds. All were in favor.