



# Canyon View FFO Community Meeting

Date | time November 13, 2024 @ 2:05pm | Meeting called to order by Jacqui Clayton-Chinnock

#### In Attendance

Sandy Herfkens

Jacqui Clayton-Chinnock

Melissa Pappas

Anna McNamara

Amber Murphy

Angela Marr

Carole Siegler

Joannie Wiltbank

**Erin Sulvers** 

Leah Offerdahl

Bri Tennenbaum

Tatiana Johnson

#### Approval of Minutes

Anna McNamara, second by Leah Offerdahl

### Approval of Financial Statement

Joannie Wiltbank, second by Tatiana Johnson

#### Board

2:05 pm

Mrs. Herfkens discussed the upcoming Kinder Show and Tell that will be held on December 2nd from 2-3pm. This will be child centered with smaller group tours for the adults.

Mrs. Herfkens will be receiving quotes for updated shade structures over the eating areas and the basketball courts. There are also areas of the playground shade structures that are in need of repair.

Steam Monday will be Monday November 25th incorporating a Macys Thanksgiving Parade theme with balloons. Community members discussed students having an in-house parade along with this activity.

At the October community meeting, parents brought up concerns with the lack of safe walking space off Sabino Canyon into the school from nearby neighborhoods. Jule Farbarik from the CFSD district office contacted Pima County who came out to fix the east side of Sabino Canyon from the school to the street light. Jacqui Clayton-Chinnock discussed the merchandise gear drive that will end on November 15th. This will be the last day to order merchandise for the remaining school year. Jacqui also discussed Art to Remember, the new art merchandise company that has replaced Silvergraphics. This year was a more streamlined and standardized project that brought in higher sales than the last 2 years. The FFO receives 33% of profits which is estimated at \$1,670.00 as of now. Orders can still be placed for delivery to home and the FFO will still receive credit for any future orders. Community members discussed more pros this year with the only recommendation to begin the project earlier next year.

Silent Auction: The goal was \$9,000.00 with actual profits just over \$7,000.00. The shortcoming was expected as the Silent Auction moved to a new event this year and donations were less than expected. It was recommended to keep auctions on the classroom baskets open with the rest of the items instead of closing baskets at the end of the event. This may help to attract more bids and earn more money for the FFO. The raffle prizes will remain that winners must be present to win due to lack of storage space to hold all items until they are claimed.

Canyon Boo: Amber Murphy discussed that all around Canyon Boo was fantastic. Anna McNamara organized and set a plan for the volunteers who were amazing. Next year, would like to get 1 committee chair to be in charge of all volunteers. Recommendations for next year include more organization on pod decor and omitting the bags the FFO provided. Autumn Hill from Community Schools mentioned older students were running though the Haunted House numerous times and ruining the surprises for the other kids. Next year, will have older volunteers or adults to assist with students from re-entering multiple times. Another concern with the Haunted House is the difficulty getting to it or not everyone aware of its set up. Suggestions included turning the walkway from 2nd grade to the SPED pod into a Haunted House. Spot lights will be used to illuminate the primary playground and walkway from the SPED pod to the 5th grade pod.

Community Schools: Autumn Hill discussed recruiting instructors to teach 3rd quarter classes that will be starting in January. Please see Autumn or visit the CFSD district website to apply. Registration for 3rd quarter opens December 16th with brochures emailing on December 11th.

Recruitment will begin for Summer Camp Instructors and Camp Counselors beginning November 18th. Visit the CFSD district website to apply.

Wednesday November 27th, the day before Thanksgiving will have full day CARE held at Canyon View.

There will be a Flag Football Tournament with the cheerleaders from the Flag Football and Cheerleading program from 2nd quarter on Saturday December 14th at 9am at CFHS.

Winter Break CARE will be held at Manzanita Elementary and will be open 12/23, 12/26, 12/27, 12/30 and 1/3/25. There will be outdoor adventures on the Thursday and Fridays each week during break. Enrollment opens December 2nd

CFSD Foundation: Tatiana Johnson discussed the successful Tapas For Teachers event held this month inside Contigo.. The Silent Auction brought in \$12,000. Teacher of the Year nominations are due at the November. Nominate your teachers. now as it is a long process for the teachers. The event will be held in April.

Yearbook Club: Anna McNamara discussed picture retakes tomorrow. There are lots of staff missing photos. Sandy Herfkens will send an email out to all missing staff. The yearbook cover needs to be submitted by December 1st. Staff, SAB and 5th grade students will be voting on the cover. 5th grade Prideline submissions are coming in. Yearbook Club is excited about taking photos for the yearbook and interviewing staff. There will be 2 students to take photos of the balloon parade to include in the yearbook.

Mrs. Herfkens discussed the successful Principal of the Day with Calvin. They enjoyed Chick Fil A for lunch and had a great time.

Teacher Appreciation Lunch: Thursday November 14th will be a Trail Mix Bar

Dine Out: The FFO received \$335.84 from the previous dine out at El Charro

Adjourn: 2:50 pm

## Committee Meetings

- Wednesday, January 15th @ 8am
- Wednesday, February 12th @ 2pm
- Wednesday, March 12th @ 8am
- Wednesday, April 16th @ 2pm
- Wednesday, May 7th @ 8am