

Manoa PTO Meeting Agenda

Tuesday, October 20th 7PM

Welcome & Introductions

- Meeting called to order 7:04 by Renee Lawler with 13 participants attached
- We want to make the best of the situation we are in
- Introduction of the board members to any new parents on the meeting

Approval September Minutes

- Motion to approve Kiley
- 2nd Janice

Principal Report: Dr. Ramoundos

- Dr Ramoundos is very proud of the manoa scholars they are doing an amazing job, as well as teachers, staff, and parents
- How well the childrens are paying attention to all the changes
- Thank you to the PTO for the lunch was fantastic
- He thanked us for the support we give to the teachers
- Character traits this month, which he had on his weekly message. This will be for both Virtual and Hybrid students.
- On Wednesday October 28th for Cohort A and October 29th for Cohort B will be able to wear their costumes. Please be sure not to have the children wear makeup or anything that the children would need help from an adult. The teachers will not be able to help them. Also no masks since they will need to wear masks for their day to day.
- Picture day will be happening this year, Monday November 9th for Cohort A and Thursday November 12th for Cohort B. More information will come out soon. They will be outside pictures. The virtual kids will be able to come and take their school pictures as well. December 10th will be make-up

Faculty Report: Mrs. Mazzella, 3rd Grade

- Teachers are so very thankful for the lunch the PTO has provided through Kettle.
- The teachers have been so happy with the PTO reimbursement of \$75 for things they may need in the classroom. It is less stress on their own money to be used in the supplies.
- Kids and parents are amazing with everything the teachers have thrown at them
- Thank you, Thank you, Thank you for everything

New Business

Budget: Tom Harvey

- Review of Budget we are still doing well since we closed in March of last year
- Mums sale we raised about \$850-\$900
- Membership is going up, looks like word is getting out

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- Children's Resource Fund – it is still \$75 a teacher which is still used however they want to help their class we have about \$525 that was put through for 7 teachers and waiting on about 4-5 more that has put it through.
- There are about 60 staff members and 47 which are grade level teachers.
- We may want to think of some other small fundraising ideas

Dues: Kiley Capello

- Total Memberships to date: 171
- Last year, same time period = 325
- Last call for directory

Meet-up with Maximus: Nicole Stahl & Ally Rosseel

This Friday is the drive through, this will get you a meet and greet with Maximus Spent on this event is as follows: \$139 for Stars, \$23 for buckets and tickets. Balloons was approved by the PTO members

Mum Sale: Kathy Temple

- Went very well
- Many helpers
- Venmo had some issues maybe think about using in the future

Teacher Lunch: Heather Chickery

- Teacher lunch went well with Kettle, they were perfectly wrapped and bagged with a checklist. If we are still in school a few days a week we may do this again in the Winter

Learning Express Sale: Renee Lawler

- Sale will be November 1st: – 10th: 20% back to school (Legos and clearance not incl)

Pumpkin Decorating Contest: Leah Hoffman

- The child with the most votes will win a gift card to Five Below
- Teacher with the most votes wins a gift card to Targett

Review

AtoZ: Kiley Capello & Shana Robarge

- Paper Directory

Announcements:

- Next PTO Meeting – November 17th 7PM
- IDC – Still awaiting the schedule of meetings