



MANOA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL PARENT TEACHER ORGANIZATION

October 26, 2021 Meeting Agenda

- Welcome and Introductions -
 - Thank you Dr Ramoundos, Mr. Quinn, Mrs. DeFruscio
 - Chat is closed. Questions can be asked in person or by raising your zoom hand.
- Approve September Meeting Minutes
 - 1st – Renee Lawler
 - 2nd Ally
- Principals Report - [Dr Ramoundos](#)
 - Thank you for the fall block party and Mustang Mile lots of planning and prep went into it. I think that is funny when kids see me outside of school because they look at me weirdly. These were an event no one would forget.
 - Halloween for AM Kindergarten will attend the parade on Friday and PM Kindergarten will have a parade on Thursday October 28th
 - Remember nothing gorey or weapons
 - Character Traits this month is Responsibility on Thursday October 28th. I really enjoy watching the kids get all excited at lunch when the names are called
- Faculty Report - [Mrs. DeFruscio, 1st Grade](#)
 - Thank you for all the Halloween festivities that we will be having in class
 - Mrs. Stefanski would like everyone to know: The Manoa Student Council election will be on Thursday, November 4. The 5th-grade officer candidates are busy preparing their campaign videos, which the entire student body will watch! All students in all grades will be voting this year for our student council president, vice president, secretary, and treasurer. Mrs. Stefanski and Ms. Lynch will be in contact with the PTO to see how the Student Council and the PTO can work together to make it an even more amazing school year
 - Mrs. Kilcullen would like to know if there is anyway to get extra medals for some of the kids that lost them during the fall block party
- Treasurers Report - [Nicole Bumbaugh](#)
 - A lot of Money came in a lot of reimbursement, we received another amount from Vanguard and sponsors are still coming in as well. We are close to our goal with 240 members already signed up and \$6,000 is the budget.
- Committee Reports
 - Membership/Directory - [Shana Robarge](#)
 - Thank you to Sarah Charlton who has uploaded the class list from the Homeroom parent leads. All parents need to go in and make sure everything is up to date. The directory is being worked on and everyone who has paid their dues will be able to get a paper directory
 - Bilaws - [Ally Rosseel](#)
 - Since we have made changes to the by-laws. Ally will make suggested revisions and have them approved. Copy of the BY-Laws are on the PYO website. Currently there are 4 chair meetings that might be something we cut back on. Ally can form a committee if anyone would like to help
 - Fundraising - [Kathy Temple](#)

- Spirit Wear - [Maura Barr](#)
 - Online is activated for tomorrow, October 27th. Sales have been good hopeful we will get more inventory. There are many supply chain issues. Let the teachers know the sale is going on since they seem to always miss out
- IDC Update - [Renee Lawler, Stephanie Smith](#)
 - Meeting was outside and stopped after 30 mins because of the weather
 - November 9th the President and VP will be able to have a conversation with the board. It will rotate on times.
 - Bids on Climate control to improve building ventilation should take 2 summers since they can not have anyone in the buildings during the work.
 - Kindergarten is down 25% during COVID and more parents are working.
- Old Business
 - Mustang Mile Recap - [Amy Clements, Mattie Diveglia](#)
 - It was an amazing event and we had around 280 people registered, and the monetary donations were much appreciated
 - Fall Block Party Recap - [Leah Hoffman](#)
 - We sold 530 squares it was a huge event and I cant even begin to thank everyone. We raised \$10,280 gross so I really hope next year is just as BIG
 - Thank all volunteers! Looking for volunteers for the next events.
 - Can still pay dues to contribute to these events
- New Business
 - Halloween Class Party & Parade 10/29 - [Nicole Bumbaugh](#)
 - As you all know there are no parents and the Homeroom leads have been working with the teachers. Looking for something to do with the kids, either a craft, book, treat bags that the kids can come home with.
 - Trunk or Treat 10/29 - [Andrea Martin](#)
 - We made the decision to change the date from Friday October 29th to Halloween on Sunday October 31st from 2-3:30. Slots have opened up because of the change in date. So if you would like to sign up or if you know anyone who wants to let them know. We have donations for the cars, and if you would like to donate that day you can do that as well.
 - Winter Event 12/3 - [Angela Urso, Leah Hoffman](#)
 - Event is from 4-6 and we have amazing singers ready to sing for everyone. We will have food for purchase.
- Next meeting November 30th 7PM