# Aug 18, 2022 First Meeting of the School Year

#### I. Meeting Details

Co-Chairs: Chyane Collins and Heidi Zimmerman

Secretary: Mandy Nolt

Thursday, August 18, 2022

7:00 pm

Fayette Christian School Cafeteria

#### II. Attendees

Pastor Rick Melvin, Pastor Tony Garren, Sharon Miller, Lynn Garren, Yolande Robinson, Heidi Zimmerman, Chyane Collins, Mandy Nolt, Bekah Elder, Tammy Brown, Emily Johnson, Vicki Cockerill, CC Bumpus, Halona McCracken, Tabby Picklesimer, Barbara Webster, Diedra Jameson, Emma Noel, Kathy Caskey, Rosemary Howell, Shellie Coonrod, Cristen Morris

# III. Absences (but interested in helping)

Beth Day, Brooke Olinger, Terry Hanusik, Erica Halliday, Tonya Polluck

#### IV. Welcome and Prayer

- a. Pastor Garren opened in a word of prayer.
- b. Chyane Collins began with introductions.

#### V. Open Issues

#### VI. New Business

- a. Heidi introduced goals of this academic year.
  - i. Skating parties (4 per year) (Tonya Polluck was volunteered)
  - ii. Grandparents Day (March)
    - 1. Catered by Rachel Conn
    - 2. PTF would decorate
  - iii. Praise and Thanksgiving Service
  - iv. Jog-a-Thon (next year)
  - v. Teacher Appreciation
  - vi. Poinsettia Sale
  - vii. Teacher WishList
    - 1. Website Mandy to update
    - 2. Known wished-for items
      - a. Gifting a certain amount of money to reimburse teachers
        - i. Motion to accept proposed amount: Halona
        - ii. Second: Emily
        - iii. Discussion: Option to give back to the pot if not needed
        - iv. Motion passed
      - b. Ball cage or wheeled tub for outside toys
      - c. Parachute for recess (may have an old one already)
      - d. Amazon gift cards but run through PTF or office so it is tax exempt
    - 3. Some classes have class fees that help with classroom items
    - 4. End of the school year for the next year (allotted to a particular class)

### viii. Security system

- 1. Cameras are needed
  - a. Donations need to be raised
  - b. How can we give? "Give liberally." PG
- 2. Link on the website with a secure giving link
  - a. PayPal or something similar

- b. Halona and Pastor Michael Conn to work on those
- ix. Auction Pastor Garren discussed changes
  - 1. Use the gym instead of the Mahan Building at the Fairgrounds
  - 2. Donors can sponsor tables (~300 people total)
  - 3. Dinner catered by Rachel Conn
  - 4. Have the students perform music, fine arts displays
  - 5. Continue with baskets (big money maker) (Vicki to coordinate)
    - a. By class (sent out before Christmas Break)
  - 6. Quilts (elementary), Building/painting/furniture/barn quilts (HS)
  - 7. Vacation packages (need to be working on those now)
  - 8. Committee for asking for donations needs to be coordinated early (Terry)
  - 9. Sports memorabilia
  - 10. OSU and other sporting event tickets
  - 11. Nice jewelry
  - 12. Need quilters (by hand or machine) (Diedra)
  - 13. Advertising
    - a. Put info online beforehand as one way to advertise
  - 14. No longer do the garage sale items
  - 15. Nice furniture possibly
  - 16. Possibly have an auctioneer to help
  - 17. Online silent bidding is an idea
- i. Pastor Rick Nancy McClish mentioned First Responders Appreciation Luncheon.
  - a. Fall instead of Feb for outdoor activities (Oct or Nov)
  - b. Lunch with students
  - c. Testimonies
  - d. Thank you cards from students
  - e. Stuffed animals for police to hand out
  - f. Music by students

# VII. Other Items

- a. Pastor Rick introduced the State of Ohio's Backpack Bill.
  - i. Looking for advocates to support the Bill
- b. Chyane reported on survey results regarding day and time preferences to meet for PTF.
  - No definitive results on day
  - II. 7:00 pm time slot was the most popular for meeting
  - a. CC gave the Treasurer's report.
  - b. FaceBook page updated (Chyane and Terry)
  - c. Minutes on website (Mandy to post regularly)
  - d. "Sign up Genius" to help sign up for food items, etc. (and reminders)

#### VIII. Adjournment

Next meeting: Thursday September 22 at 7:00 pm

Motion to accept next meeting: Vicki

Second: Sharon Motioned passed

The meeting was adjourned at 7:56 pm