CAT Meeting

September 14, 2022 at SIA

1. Introductions
	* Sara Duval-President – Present
	* Kristy Furley-Vice President – Present
	* Erin Young-Secretary – Present

1. REACH values in our meeting
	* Respect, Enthusiasm, Achievement, Citizenship and Hard Work

1. Administrator update-Morgen Flowers and Mathias Sanders
* Bloomz and Skyward are glitching- making communication difficult. It is being worked on.
* Parking Lot Safety- Addressing issues of kids crossing parking lot and continued left turning traffic during pickup and drop off. An idea to make another video addressing information for parking lot was made.
* Open House will be September 20th
* Picture Day will be September 22nd
* DR trip meeting for 8th graders will be September 21st
* Nature Bridge for 6th and 7th graders in June. Next year the trip becomes and 6th grade trip, as it was previously and 5th grade trip.
* Field Studies are coming back.
* School wide MAPS testing happening soon.
* ASB is getting figured out. Mr. Sanders is going to training.
1. Meeting dates

* + 1st Monday of most months staring at 6:30
	+ Sept. 14, Oct. 3, Nov. 7, Dec. 5, Jan, 2, Feb.6, Mar. 6, April 10, May 1 and June 5
	+ We are working on a blended model of virtual an in-person meeting times

1. Financial Report
	* Current Balance in Checking $15,335.31
	* Allocated Funds for this coming year:
		+ Staff Appreciation $1500
		+ International Night (Pizza) $200
		+ Bingo $1200
		+ Turkey Trot (Flyers) $200
		+ School Store $2500
		+ 8th Grade Promotion $400
		+ Christmas Families $300
		+ MISC $250
		+ Business License $70
		+ Morgan requested $1000 for the Pheonix cart for Middle and High school students. These students do not access school store. APPROVED

1. Turkey Trot
* Kristy heading up a committee for event. Passed around a sign up sheet.
* Looking at Week of November 14-17
* Pie in a teachers face for incentive
* Possible free dress day as reward for classes or whole school – open for conversation with Morgen
* 20-30 minutes for age groups K-1, 2-3, 4-5. Not during PE.
* Hoping to get out flyers in early October.
* Still looking into a digital platform for donations and fundraisers.

1. Future dates-
* Skate night -Pattisons
	+ - October 25 6-8pm
			* Halloween costume contest with prizes by age group
* Skate night – Roller Valley
	+ - February 13th 6-8pm
			* Possible Valentines theme.
* Bingo-Tentatively March 10
	+ - Space is a huge factor for this
			* Looking into the use of multiple Rooms. Cafeteria, Gym, classrooms.
* McTeacher night- Carolyn working on seeing if we can get a date.
* Movie Night - TABLED
	+ - Looking at renting the Garland Theater. $895 for rental, capacity only 500. Maybe 2 different nights for different age groups?
		- Do we need a license to show movies in the school?
		- The HUB drive inn movie night?

1. Future fundraising
	* Flower baskets – Two diffent companies to consider. Both are local. Will furth discuss at a later date.
		+ LIMA
		+ Plant Farm
	* Digital Payment options for future fundraisers.
		+ Cheddar up – separates orders.
		+ Square – used last year.
		+ Venmo – has a fee.
		+ Cash app- has a cash out fee.
		+ Get moving
		+ Classy – for nonprofit.
	* Dine Out Nights
		+ MOD Pizza again. We can do multiple locations on the same night, we just have to contact each location individually.
		+ Panda Express
		+ Wendys – Does 2-3 hours at a time and its anyone who comes and orders in that time frame.
		+ Buffalo Wild Wings – Possible parent connection.
		+ Panera
	* Boxtops – getting harder to have parents do. May not do anymore.
	* Amazon Smile – Maybe we need to put info in newsletter or on FB so that we can let parents know how to sign up for this. Anything purchased through AmazonSmile a portion of the sale is donated to SIA. Can be done through the mobile app.
2. Advocacy – WA Charters has lots of ways to get involved or get information regarding charter schools. Contact Darcelina if interested. darcelina@wacharters.org

1. MISC
	1. Trunk-or-treat for next year. $5 per carload maybe. Awards for things like best decorated trunk, etc.
	2. Business on the SIA Parent FB page:
		1. Once a month make a post to allow parents to promote their businesses. Allowing us to support our community.