

Nettle Middle School PTO Meeting

March, 7, 2022

1. Update from Ms. Escovitz.
 - Newsletter will go home re: Ocasio- Cookie fundraiser- Flamingo
 - 6th Grade dance March 25th
 - Funds to be used for 6th grade field trip
 - MCAS starts March 28th
 - Talent show auditions March 15th
 - Drama Club show TBD

2. Treasurer's Report.
 - * Halfway to making our yearly budget amount
 - * \$671 for roses
 - * Amazon Smile received a check for \$31.40

3. Food drive was a success! Thank you to all who helped make this happen. Thank you Erin for delivering all the food to the pantry. They gave us a great shout out on Facebook.
 - Erin delivered the food Thank you

4. Flamingo Flocking will be starting soon. A special thank you Kaytie for coordinating this fun event.
 - *Sign up Genius to help move the flamingos
 - * Duffy and Gobbi willing to flock teachers
 - * Check PTO mailbox for any flocks

5. Cookie dough fundraiser will be starting this Wednesday March 9th. We will be doing both paper flyers and online ordering.
 - Can order and pay online
 - All checks will be sent to the PTO mailbox

6. Spirit wear. We will be opening our last store May 2. Thank you Lindsay for setting this up for Nettle.
 - *Check for \$468.00 (first and second running of the store)

7. Fun Run will be April 30th. Registration is from 2:00 to 2:45 , run starts at 3:00. Do we need to create waivers? **NO** I am still working on a pizza food truck.

*Kona Ice has been booked

* Grace's Kitchen Pizza Truck (look into this)

* Phoenix Rising (look into this)

* GH gets money raised by runners keeps that money Same with Nettle

* All other money raised will be split between the two schools

* Advertise April 1 Posters- will be displayed along the GH - Nettle driveway

Start Fun Run Pledges of **Apr 11, 2022**

Nettle Track team lead stretching the day of the event

PE teachers to discuss the Fun Run and to explain stretches

Mr. Ocasio to do a demonstration the day of the Fun Run

Funds to help upgrade play area-- also expenses for field day

Gaga pits to be made from Whittier Tech (possibility)

Outline new basketball courts

8. Volleyball concessions.

* Home Games

Thursday, March 10

Monday, March 14

Thursday, March 17

Tuesday, March 22

Thursday, March 31

- Ask teachers to volunteer to help run concession stand

9. Spring Fling Dance May 20th. **FRIDAY**

- PTO sponsored

10. Do we want to do open gym?

- Leave this for others

11. Thank you Mrs. Joubert for sharing her idea about Ocasio's. They are offering the kids a \$99.00 special. They get 6 weeks of martial arts plus a uniform. He will then donate the \$99.00 to Nettle.

*Great idea - hopefully

12. Other

- \$500 not used in 2020
- Proposing to give grades this year's money and last years
- If a team proposes to receive the extra \$500 it will be voted upon
- Savers fundraiser (soft items raise more money than hard items)
- Looking to do May for Savers (Erin Divinney will look into it)

13. April meeting? **Apr 11, 2022** 7:00PM Cafeteria