

**Foothill PTO Meeting Minutes**  
**Wednesday October 14, 2020, Zoom**

**Attendees:**

Garret Savage: President  
Lindsey Cynski, Co-Chair Spirit Wear  
William Hamilton, Co-Chair Spirit Wear  
Maria Bloomfield, Community  
Cheryl Myers, Chair Fundraising  
Brian Wahlert, Treasurer  
Haylie Lott, Vice President  
Sylvia Andrejczuk, Secretary  
Holly Mantych, Parent  
Denise Marie, Parent  
Anna DiCorletto, Teacher Representative  
Nick Vanderpol, Principal

**1. Welcome & Land Acknowledgement**

**2. Minutes:** September 9, 2020 meeting minutes will be approved at the November 11, 2020 minutes.

**3. Officer Reports**

**a. Fundraising (Cheryl)**

- i. Spirit Wear: Lindsey Cynski (chair) and William Hamilton (co-chair) will present
  1. \$2,100 in goods sold, 56 individual sales, masks were the most popular
  2. Items arriving end of October, Lindsey and William will distribute shortly thereafter through teachers (we'll offer pick-up option for remote learners)
  3. FRL and teacher shirts/masks: working with Ilce and Annie
  4. Planning a Spirit Wear "garage sale" (still working on the name) with past years' leftover items. Stay tuned.
  5. Looking for new vendor options for next year. (Lindsey to fill us in.)
- ii. Fund the Fox
  1. Campaign runs Oct 15 through Oct 30. First email will be sent Oct 15th. Goal this year is \$45,000 (down from \$75,000 last year). We're already \$9,000 towards that goal, thanks to Give to Grow.
  2. Garret will contact Bobby Martines about the fundraising thermometer
- iii. Original Works
  1. Deadline to order is October 28
- iv. Take Out for Foothill (formerly Dine Out)
  1. At Chipotle (the one on 28th) on Wednesday, November 18. Order with a code. We earn 33 %. Must hit \$150 to earn anything.
- v. Mabels' Labels
  1. Included a blurb in the Foothill newsletter this week for back-to-school labeling. Foothill gets 20 percent. They send a check every time we hit \$50. (They told me one is already in the mail, Brian.)
- vi. Yearbook
  1. In need of a new chairperson. Once we have a chair, we'll have the discussion: What does the yearbook look like this year?
- vii. Color Me Mine
  1. If we go with this fundraiser, here are the details: Pre-order, \$25 for a fox figurine (or a bowl), plus paint and firing costs. We distribute through the teachers. Parents take item back to Color Me Mine to fire themselves. Foothill earns 25 percent of the \$25. Run this fundraiser in Dec and plug it for holiday presents. Yay/nay?
- viii. Community Partnerships
  1. Wong Orthodontics, we haven't heard back yet

**b. Community (Maria)**

- i. Meet the Parent Parties Update:
      - 1. KG - met with masks in the park with 6 ft "speed dating" type Intro game to meet kids and parents. Almost 50 people attended.
      - 2. New Families - same plan as KG - 26 people attended.
      - 3. 1st - 5th social with masks - parents only.
        - a. 1st - 10 people, 2nd - 8 people, 3rd - 7 people, 4th - 6 people, 5th - 3 people.
    - ii. Bingo Nights (Zoom) - Friday, Oct 2nd. 22 families attended. Good fun.
      - 1. Set next dates for Friday, Nov. 6th and Friday, Dec. 4th.
  - c. **Treasurer (Brian)**
    - i. Budget update
      - 1. Draft budget update: [here](#). Budget approved.
  - d. **President's Report (Garret)**
    - i. 8 crossing guards recruited
    - ii. Staff appreciation Day December 7 or 14th
  - e. **Secretary's Report**
- 4. **Principal's Report (Nick)**
  - a. Fund the Fox priorities: Kinder para, 4th grade para, lunch and recess supervision. Stretch goals: on-site assistance. Reaching out to FH Community for a pool of substitute teachers.
  - b. Nick will direct families to the new IO group as a place to get information from both the community and him.
  - c. Number 1 priority is kids' safety.

**NEXT MEETING: November 10, 2020 (zoom)**

**PTO MEETINGS HELD 2ND WEDNESDAY OF EACH MONTH, WHEN SCHOOL IS IN SESSION,  
FROM 11:00AM - 12:30PM IN MAIN OFFICE CONFERENCE ROOM**