Bill Roberts PTA
Wednesday, October 8th 6:30pm
In-person and virtual (meet.google.com/ckz-gvex-iqb)

President:	Katie Wiktor billrobertspta@gmail.com (not in attendance)
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Secretary:	Sara Porter billrobertssecretary@gmail.com

Upcoming events:

- **10/9** Class Picture Day
- **10/9** Middle School PAC Meeting 9:15 am
- **10/9:** Safety Committee Meeting 9:30 am
- **10/10:** "First" Fridays with Mr. Sanders 9:30 am
- **10/13 NO SCHOOL**
- **10/14-10/16** 5th Grade Balarat
- **10/14** CSC Meeting 4 pm
- **10/15** Dine and Donate at Noodles and Company
- **10/16** School Tour for Prospective Families 9:30 am
- **10/17** Kindergarten Field Trip (Nick's Garden Center)
- **10/24** Coffee Truck Friday
- **10/25** AUCTION!!

Principal Sanders and PTA Teacher Rep Update: Ms. Markson (5th grade teacher): thanks to all of the PTA for ALL you do from all the teachers, they brought this up at their staff meeting. Mr. Sanders: seconds this! Auction! School Choice Tours! **parent asked about getting more accessible parking in the school parking lot ->in the works at DPS level

PTA Board Reports (1-2 min max)

- Treasurer Report
    - Above expectations: Book It! Sponsorships! EPI school supplies! Pickleball party!
    - **Motion to officially move Coffee Venmo money to Staff Appreciation Budget** → all for, Aye, motion passed
    - $825 (made on Venmo) just this month, need to remind venmo payers to specify what they are paying for in comment
- VP Report: Facebook information - current 6th grade page had admin taken over by scammer, many routes taken through Meta to try and correct this to no avail. So we have advised all in the group to leave and go to new updated group
- Secretary Report: New Family Welcome Update - want to make signs for yards, come up with standards for new families to get info, etc. Will meet again in early Nov.

Updates:

- **Book it Bobcats Wrap-up!** Monica R and Libby H: Wildly successful - most readers ever with most hours ever at 33,700 total! And $21k raised! Big thank you to the committee members and volunteers - the day went well, cheerleaders loved, breakfast was super readers AND super raisers which was a lot of kids (200+/-), also still discussion on if will take entire class to celebrate or just the ones with documented reading
- **EPI school supply kids:** Michelle M: huge success! Made more money & using again next year
- ***Spirit Wear:*** *Purchase spirit wear for disadvantaged families.* **Not discussed,** Alison B. had to leave early
- **Family Dance:** Michelle M: Set Date and Discuss Theme
    - Looking for volunteers for the Dance committee! To help plan, organize, or helo night of!
    - Weds Dec 10th as tentative date, debated doing during bookfair or not and feedback from some that helpful to have bookfair to get a break from gym
- **Staff Appreciation:** Laura S: voted in this meeting to add coffee Venmo to this budget line
    - 1st coffee Friday went well, truck cost $400 and we made $800
    - Custodial day this week & National principal day coming up
- **Tours:** Jen H.:
    - MS is Thur Dec 4th, two session - current families followed by new families
    - Kinder and younger grades - starting next week, Thurs 10/16
        - Always want new tour guides
        - Meeting this Friday with updates and info with Sanders
        - Staff support wants to have teachers on the tour, pretty up the bulletin boards -> how can parents/volunteers help? Art Support or Room parents
- **Garden:** Sara P. (Alia C) Help with Harvest, sign up out for volunteers,
- **Composting:** Kristen L: going well, 3rd in DPS
    - Working on Grant with The Green Team (ms Hussain, 6th Lit) to get fundiung for metal trays, silverware, and to fiz dishwasher - Due next Friday then 12/10, funds released in January
    - Goal is to have volunteers just through the end of the year
    - hurting from food truck fridays bc of free and reduced lunch and her count is off -> maybe some way encourage more younger kids to eat in caf on Food truck days
- **DEI:** Adie T.: Diversity Equity Inclusion -> event on Tues 11/18 6:00pm annual Friends Giving, potluck from families, can highlight culture/family/favorite foods
- **AUCTION!!** Fritzi B & Lisa L
    - Ticket sales will close in a week and half 10/16
    - Have desserts? -> only if someone knows a professional OR maybe Carmellas or Costco? Would have to package ourselves

- Sales on track and have good auction items, class baskets and Teacher Experiences