PTO Meeting Minutes December 13, 2018

Attendance: Erin B., Judi, Julia, Desiree C., Keith W., Alessandro, Kerry, Kristy, Nayantarra, Cathy, Erin J.

Agenda:

1. Wrapping gifts for Holiday Toy Drive was completed earlier today. Julia updated the PTO. A winter coat donation could be needed as the donor may have fallen through. EB will contact administration to clarify whether a coat drive is needed in January. Cathy communicated with administration.

2. Finance Report by Desiree - donations collected at election day and Union Brewery and El Gringo food truck combined donated \$665. Holiday drive gave \$150 outside of actual games, toys and clothing.

3. Fundraiser report by Keith (for Tasha): Chipotle coming up Tues., 1/8/19, Sokol gymnastics will have climbing afternoon in February

4. 21st Century School Building Design meeting - rescheduled from 12/5/18 due to heat problems in MHES; EB will call to reschedule as there was no update from Administrators; tour of transition space also got canceled.

5. Young Audiences - Curtis Blues performed on 12/3/18 for students through Young Audiences. A \$1200 grant was secured for Spring performance.

6. Snowflake Dance, 2/1, 6-8pm - Nayantarra has students from Mervo that need service learning hours; Stacks provided lights last year; volunteers needed for decorating the night before, setting up the day of the event, and during the event. One craft will be offered in the library. Five (5) guessing jars will be used for contests. Entrance Tickets are \$5 per family. Everything else if paid for in tickets which are \$.50 each. Officer will be present per usual. EB will send sign-up genius.

7. Spring Fling Committee Meetings will start in January - EJ reported on silent auction and will have sign-up genius for collection of donations and needs a coordinator to join her in order to pass on the reigns for next year; With transition space a smaller event may be needed such as Bull Roast; 5K walk did not occur; opportunities for working with Govans Elementary School who will also be sharing space at Chincopinn. Avoid Roland Park Spring Fair due to alumni from MHES which is in May. Too difficult to do it 4/27/19 after Spring Break, so 5/4/19 works and 5/11/19 is Mother's Day. Field Day is 5/24/19.

8. February PTO meeting needs to be rescheduled due to Valentine's Day until Thur., 2/21/19

9. Holiday drive gift wrapping - see above

10. Old business/ Questions - Is Math Night being rescheduled? Possibly in March/April with Art Show

11. Next PTO meeting: Thurs., 1/10/19, 6-7:30pm in MHES Library