



April 17/24

Friends Meeting

Mission statement:

As a part of the Friends of East Lake School Society, we will represent our students, their families, and our diverse community, in a positive and professional manner while maintaining an open and adaptive mindset as we fundraise for multiple school projects.

Our charter:

- Participation / commitment
- Communicate in a transparent manner
- Solution based dialogue
- Refrain from controversial

Meeting started at: 7:08 pm

Meeting adjourned at: 8:19pm

Motion to adopt the minutes from last meeting: Shannon and Brittany

Attendees Present (Highlighted):

Debbie, *Chair*

Brittany, *Vice chair*

Stephen, *Treasure*

Shannon *Volunteer coordinator*

Janelle

Selena

Shannon *Duqie*

Agenda:

Last Meeting Follow-up:

Update about the outdoor learning center

- Brad to visit site on April 18/24
 - Location to be determined with Brad
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Update on sports day - June 25, 2024

- Costco can only provide 250 hot dogs
- Hot dogs, chips and a freezie will be provided to students and volunteers
- Debbie will contact the city to see if we can use there barbecue

Update on bus funding request

- Busing request was clarified, the class will need \$700 for 2 buses round trip

Volunteer appreciation

- Carried over as Susan is in New York

New Business:

Financial report

- \$31,000 in casino account
- \$22,000 in general account

Kioski money

- Asked Amanda where the Kioski money is spent.
- Amanda said she would find out and let us know

Any funding request?

- \$1,000 for 3 grade 2 classes for clay pots, art canvases and field kits (2M, 1/2 C, 2Ramji, 2Reynolds and 2J)
- \$1,000 for grades 2-6 students for books (Erin Siddall)
- \$251 for grades 1 and some 2 for ant farms (Mme Rioux)
- \$350 for grade 5 class in school field trip (Lauren McIntyre)
- \$380 for grade 4 class for busing (Danielle Cantanti)
- \$700 request from Christian program for grades K-6 for busing (Christian program teachers)
- \$150 for grade 5 class for literacy supplies (Taylor Thompson)
- \$650 for grade 5-6 classes for binoculars (Jan Donovan)
- \$231 for grade 5 class for living systems unit science (Britt Nesgaard-Ingis)
- \$250 for grade 5 class for busing (Lauren McIntyre)
- \$1,300 for 3 grade 4 classes for workshop (Charnelle Fulcher)
- \$200 for grade 1 class for outdoor learning supplies (Karen Varze)

- \$1,900 request from a Kindergarten class for a projector (Karen Hanks-Craine)
- \$150 for a basket donation for tea and talent night (Michelle Girard)
- \$350 USD for grade 5 classes for books (Michelle Herron)
- \$756 for grade 5 patrollers for buses (Shannon Edeburn)
- \$1,134 for 140 grade 6 students for buses (Karen Hanks-Craine)

The total amount of all request is \$10,902

All requests above were approved unanimously.

Action Items:

- A screen for the gym
- Early budget for next fall with parameters for allocation (budget goals)

Next Meeting date: May 22, 2024 Annual general meeting

Carry over items:

- Volunteer appreciation
- Sports day