March PTO Meeting Notes 3-22-2021 @6:30 pm

Attendees: Diane Erickson, Michelle Kloncz, Kim Jensen; Amanda Stout; John Gawarecki

Spirit Wear—December proceeds were \$16.36 (paid in January), January proceeds were \$13.75, paid in February.

Box Tops—online collection (paid 2-5-21) of \$29.50

Red Bubble—Kim set up this account in January. This vendor pays out quarterly—we do not yet have this quarter's sales information.

Other Fundraising Opportunities—parent suggested implementing My Coke Rewards, where the MSA community can input codes from bottle caps or coke 12 and 24 packs to earn rewards for the school. Mr. G will confer with Mr. Johnston about this. If approved, information about this will be put in the announcements. Also, reminders about other fundraisers (Box Tops, Spirit Wear, Red Bubble).

2021 Graduation—\$600 is budgeted for this event. It was proposed the ceremony be held inside and reception outside. Bottled water and cupcakes will be served. If reception is held outside, the decorations may be limited to plastic tablecloths. Amanda will talk with Carrie Hamm about what was done last year and what parents would like to do for this year.

Prom—currently only 28 attendees are registered and participants are still searching for a venue. MSA campus is a potential venue. \$520 is budgeted for this event. Amanda said with that amount of money, an on-campus venue could look pretty amazing.

Staff Appreciation—A variety of options were discussed, but Amanda volunteered to set up a Google form for staff members to indicate their preferred gift card (i.e., Target, Starbucks, Coldstone, McDonald's, or Kwik Trip). Once this information is received, PTO will make the necessary purchases.

PTO Elections—PTO officer's election is fast approaching. All positions are a yearly commitment. Diane Erickson will be stepping down as President this year when her daughter graduates. PTO President needs to be filled but ALL the positions are available to anyone interested. More information about this and a description of duties will be put in the announcements.

Mr. Gawarecki discussed return to in-person school, best practices, Covid prevention, etc.

Next Meeting Date—Monday, May 3, 2021 from 6:30 to 7:30 pm.