Call to order 6:00 pm – Jennifer Rogers – PAC Vice-Chair

Stephanie Haan-Amato – GC Rep

Eric Ahner – JPTA Director

Suzy Strait – Teacher

April Larcher - Staff

+7 parents

***Updates:***

***4-H updates*** (Jeremy Settles & Britt Neilsen)

* We are looking at combining with an existing club, City Slickers,
* Focus on STEM projects rather than traditional ones. But leaders and kids can choose any project in the book.
* Project topics include: Drones, 3-d printing, robotics and lego robotics
* 6 week long activates during afterschool Enrich the kids time.
* Talking with Enrich the kids to see how we can integrate this into their system.
* Benefits for students: leadership, public speaking, learning new things.
* Ages K-8, $35 per family per year. Certain projects will have addition fees for materials.
* Club meeting Saturday’s at 5pm, NMSU

***PAC Playground Fundraiser*** (Jeremy Settles)

* Proposes that the PAC take on a playground sod fundraiser in Jan or Feb.
* We could sell square yards of sod, forming a grid of what family has bought what squares.
* PAC should take this on rather than Foundation because funds will go directly to the school and checks will be recorded and deposited by JPTA staff.

***Playground Updates*** (Mr. Ahner)

* NMSU turf science professor Dr. Bernt has volunteered to use sub terrain irrigation for the front portion of the sod in front of the track.
* A copy is donating the supply for this effort. JPTA will just need to purchase the sod. The project will be a learning exercise for the school and for students at NMSU.
* Draining in the track area will need to be addressed before the crusher fine rock will be added to it.

***Running Club (***Stephanie Haan-Amato***)***

* Temporarlity postponed till the track is ready.
* Shirts were delivered

***Fall Festival Updates***

* $1,200 profits, $125 for each classroom
* Great community building event
* Look at move up date by one week next year so that we are not competing with other events.

***Staff 5 Year Awards***

* GC and PAC will give out the 5 year staff awards at Dec Staff meeting.

***PAC Activities for the 2017-2018 School Year***

**Event for November:**

**Holiday Bazaar –** (Theresa Basaldua & Jennifer Rogers)

* November 18th from 10am – 2 pm
* Vendors are paying $25 for each table
* We have about 30 vendors

**Move-A-thon –** (Liz Hamm, not in attendance)

* November 29th 8-12
* Various movement stations ran by community members
* Kids are collecting $ donations for the playground project
* The Foundation will match up to $10k

**Events for December:**

**Winter Concert, December 12th, 6:30pm**

* PAC providing refreshments
* PAC helping at donation table. $5 adults, kids free

**Barnes and Noble Bookfaire, December 19th from 5-9pm and 20th from 2-7pm**

* PAC will be taking over the book fairs for JPTA
* Jen will be meeting with the Rep. from Barnes and Noble
* Courtney Coryell will help organize
* Looking to see if classrooms will perform at the event.

**Holiday Caroling - Foundation**

* PAC is looking at dates to carol around the neighborhood.
* Rebecca Berkson is coordinating

**Events for January:**

**Talent Show, January 9th**

* Mr. Dozier planning the event. PAC will support however is necessary
* She is looking for volunteers to help with rehearsals. Polly K is interested.

The next PAC meeting will be December 13th at 6:00pm in the JPTA Media Center.