

MMS PTO Meeting Minutes December 13, 2021 – 3:30 PM Virtual Meeting by Zoom

- 1. Welcome & Call to Order Amber Noseworthy @ 3:35
- **2. Members in attendance** Cathy Newman, Amber Noseworthy, Janice Jones, Shelly Erb, Emily Torres, Kierra Smith, Dani Waler, Travis Brown
- **3. Approval of November Meeting Minutes -** *They were sent out with the email invitation to this meeting.* 1st Shelly Erb, 2nd Kierra Smith
- 4. Treasurer's Report
 - **a. Financial Report** *\$2,300.82*
- **b.** Update on fundraising to date We had money come in from Spirit wear, amazon smile, and donations. Carnival Sweets still to come. We sponsored and ad in the Lion King Program for \$50 in support of our fellow students and SJCCA
 - i. Next Spirit Event Tuesday, December 14 5:00 8:00 PM
 - McTeacher's Night at McDonald's, 37 Epic Blvd. (on SR
 207 in front of Epic Theater) 30% of Profits from ALL SALES
- **during this time period will be donated to MMS PTO** Thank you Dani Waler for organizing this!
- **5. Update on 12 Days of Christmas** Kierra Smith shared a tidbit of what is happening for the teachers and staff in celebration of the 12 Days of Christmas. She successfully gained enough donations for every staff member to receive a gift that was randomly given out over the 12 days. The teacher and staff were also treated to breakfast, coffee, and some other events during the celebration.
- **6. Update from Principal Brown** Thanked PTO for stepping up and treating the staff for 12 days of Christmas. He and the admin team planned similar treats for the same 12 days. Dec 21st will be the 2nd school dance -or- movie day celebration. Entry to these events is only earned by Dojo points and good behavior. This is in accordance with the school wide PBIS incentive program. Today, Dec 13 testing started and all of the mandatory district wide assessments, midterms, and cumulative assessments. They are preparing for 7th grade olympics which is a great celebration for 7th grade, and is put together based on donations from families and the community business partners. Starting Jan 5th, incoming 6th graders (including out of zone students) can apply for the SJCCA program and become a Murray student. The school will plan exhibits around the

county to share the many talents that are taught at Murray. Some of the locations for outreach are: Webster SAC, elementary schools, Nease, and more. Murray will host an in person night and a zoom night as an open house to share the invitation and answer questions.

- **7. Update from SJCCA** Lion King at the St. Augustine Amphitheater was a HUGE success! We are thank full for all of the volunteers that came out to help, and all of the audience that came to support and participate. It was a big undertaking and the students really rose to the occasion.
- 8. Adjourn @ 3:57

Next Meeting Date: Monday, January 10, 2022 beginning at 3:00 PM

Immediately before SAC

In person at the Solomon Calhoun Center & virtual via Teams

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