

IMPACT mintues 12.6.16

Attendees: Julie Baird, Beth Munsen, Melissa Tryon, Lisa Pardus, Wellens King, Lisa Demick, Mary Porter, Marie Wendt, Gennifer Guiliano

Minutes reviewed: Wellens set motion to approve as presented, Lisa P seconded, passed unanimously

President: IMPACT website still needs someone who could set up and manage, anyone interested please let Melissa know

Teacher: Mary Porter (4th grade) - discussed writers workshop, reviewed and explained rubric for narrative writing from grade 2 through 5, collaborating with 4th grade teachers at Durham for planning and support

Principal: Companion to report cards (descriptions of the standards) will go home for parents to understand indicators at each grade level; a report card is an invitation to a conversation; mailing information to homes with Powerschool info and how to create an account; portal will be open for approx 2 week window for parents to view grades/report cards - will close again and reopen after 2nd trimester ends

Book Fair Committee: May 11th next book fair

Events Committee: will discuss whether to hold another game night, maybe in February

Fundraising Committee: Wellens - Original Works check received for \$957! Gallery is opening back up online to order items until December 18th; we did not get a time slot for L.L. Bean gift wrapping this year

Wreath Sales: wreath making event went well, all orders are filled, with a few extra to sell at the concert; profit will be around \$1000! Thanks to Wellens and Nancy for heading this up

Annual appeal letter: reviewed draft of letter written by Melissa and Beth, discussed and made suggestions, how to deliver - will go out electronically and home in backpacks

Ski program: 21 kids interested and 9 possible chaperones; discussed how IMPACT could support the program, possibly sponsor 3 to 4 partial scholarships; Beth set motion to approve ski program and \$350 for partial scholarships, Wellens second, approved unanimously

Garden report: Marie stated garlic has been planted by Kelly's class, working with Coren Wheeler, possibly work with different classes to plant - table until January

Marie W. - discussion around dances, culture club, May day celebration - Marie is interested and needs to work out scheduling and will get back to us, possibly set something up for before school (7:30 to 8:30am?)

Adjourned 8:45pm

Respectfully submitted by Beth Munsen, IMPACT Secretary