

Blades Bobcat Booster Meeting

March 8 /6pm

Officers

- Andi Gardner-President
- Angie McBride-Vice President
- Tammy Anthony-Fund Raising Coordinator
- Ryan Logue-Assistant Fund Raising Coordinator
- Chrissy Latzke- Secretary
- Cathy Nixon/Denise King- Treasurer

Principal and Teacher Update

- Trivia night went well
- Conferences will be next Wednesday and Thursday
- Blades is presenting at the BOE meeting March 9th
- April 24th is Camp Reads A Lot-Fun reading based activities in the gym
- Jump Rope 4 Heart went very well again.

President

- Need to discuss officer transitions, we will be losing several chair positions, we need to find ways to reach out to get more parents involved.

Financial Update

- Trivia Night was a great success-profit was \$15,636, this is up \$1,100 from last year
- After paying all outstanding bills and preparing for bills at beginning of next year we are prepared to spend about \$15,000.

Family Events

- Block party is tentatively set for April 27th 6-7:30pm
- Discussed ideas for welcoming new transitioning families, suggestions were playdates, open houses, email or phone trees etc. We decided to wait on making a final plan until we know what our numbers will be.

Important Dates

- March 15th and 16th Parent Teacher Conferences
- P'sghetti's Night is March 28th
- April 24th Camp Read A Lot
- April 27th Block Party

Garden Update

- We are planning on adding a “Insectary” pollinator bed to the drive area of the Blades Campus, it will be 50’x16’.
- Eagle Scout is working on a more permanent little library utilizing the funds provided by last year’s 5th grade class.
- We are looking at getting a speaker from Perrenial to talk about Earth Day

Motions

- We have about \$15,000 that we can spend on items for school
- Dr. Booker’s suggestions:
 1. Rockwall Expansion-\$2500
 2. Library Upgrades (more STEM technology, robotics, coding etc) \$1,500
 3. 30 Chromebooks and Cart for use in K-1st- \$7,500
 4. Garden Expansion- \$700
 5. Earth Day Speaker- \$200

Motion was issued by Chrissy Latzke to purchase/fund all above items, Motion passed unanimously.

Meeting Adjourned
