

Maple PTSA
Board Meeting Minutes
January 12, 2021

Meeting commenced at 6:30 PM

Community Connection / 社區聯繫/Conexión comunitaria / Kết Nối Cộng Đồng

Principal Update / 校长更新 / Noticias de la directora / Cập nhật từ hiệu trưởng

- Difficult time with no real ability to plan. Waiting for additional information related to start of in person schooling. Will save time for Q&A at the end of the discussion. Supporting one another “walking into the unknown”.
 - Trying to keep families updated as information is provided.
 - Thinking about upcoming family gatherings and how to engage everyone. Fun things planned.
 - Upcoming tours for incoming Kindergarten families. Want Maple PTSA family volunteers.
 - • Maple School
 - • Tour 1: Feb. 1st from 5-6pm Click here to join the meeting
 - • Tour 2: Feb. 5th from 10-11am Click here to join the meeting
 - • Contact: Mary Craig mcraig@seattleschools.org 206-252-8310
 - Families can get involved with Maple, one way is to be involved with the hiring committee. Email Sea@Washingtonea.org
 - SPS/SEA site-based interview trainings are open to all administrators, certificated and classified employees, as well as parents, students and community reps.
 - Hiring trainings are held once a month throughout the school year. You must pre-register if you wish to attend. You can do so by emailing your full name, email address and contact phone number to Seattle Education Association, at: SEA@WashingtonEA.org.
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- **PTSA President Update / 总裁更新 / Actualización del presidente / Cập nhật chủ tịch**
Received “yes” response from the board for two children attending Launch and funding the balance of that tuition following Launch discount.
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- **Treasurer Report / 会计报告 / Noticias del tesorero / Báo cáo thủ quỹ**
Tiffany Treasurer report: Money coming in, raised \$16,190 through Fall into Giving Fundraiser; Generous anonymous donor from a financial institution. Money going out includes funding teacher allocations and some items for staff appreciation.

- **School Supplies / 学校用品 / Noticias de útiles escolares / Cập nhật về dụng cụ học tập.** – Two Pallets received by Walmart and Pemco. May need place to store items when there is a return to school. At this time will be using them to put together supply bags.
- **Maple Cares Team / Equipo de Cuidados de Maple / Đội Tình Thương Maple / Maple学校关照与支持项目.** Maple Cares: update by Summer; Rent allocations took a lot of funds and have been allocating funds as the requests have come in but may want to implement plan for requests if distributions need to be more selective due to lack of funds.
- **Membership / 会友 / La afiliación / Báo cáo thành viên**–No new updates provided
- **Communications/通訊/Comunicaciones/ Truyền thông** –No new updates provided
- **Events / 活动 / Eventos / Hoạt động** –No new updates provided
 - **February 3rd option date for teachers to come and prepare things for classes onsite. Will use as time to provide teacher appreciation goodies.**
 - **Looking at February/March for another teacher chat. Have some teachers in mind as to who to invite.**
 - **Zumba, keeping social**
 - **Suggestions or willingness to host contact Gina or Joy.**
- **Fundraising / 筹集 / Recaudación de fondos / Báo cáo gây quỹ**
 - Donation channels are open at this time.

MASE (Maple After School Enrichment) / 放学后的课程 / Programas después de la escuela / Lập trình các lớp sau giờ học. Lunch Bunch class, Getting parents to do facilitation. Meeting next Tuesday 10am to work out that information. Email Lori or mapleptsa@gmail.com for more information. Still looking for parents to host a call.

School Teams / Equipos Escolares / Ủy ban trường

- **FEAT (Family Engagement Action Team) / 家庭參與行動小組/Equipo de Acción de Participación Familiar**
 - Daisy Barragan: update on FEAT –split into two sub-committees at this time.
 - Committee 1 trying to find ways to celebrate as before but in virtual world. February 12, want to provide crafts to do at home, books and supplies. Thinking of resources to be presented to families.
 - Celebration of all cultures. Create videos of traditions/customs of what they like to celebrate. Include in Monday messages.

- Committee 2 offering 2 Literacy night events April 1st and April 22 storytelling to kids, focusing on story elements and giving tools to kids and giving task of going home and asking family about their stories. Then coming back on the second night to share those stories.
 - African American Engagement January 14, 2021 6pm
 - Vietnamese Engagement January 21, 2021 6pm
 - All School Gathering on January 28th 6pm

- **FREE (Family Racial Equity Engagement) / 家庭種族平等參與小組/ Compromiso de Equidad Racial Familiar /** Update provided by Nikole. Finalizing Bingo this year. Getting those squares into classrooms, want to produce a video to circulate to parents. Next meeting is Thursday the 21st. Free team will deliver supplies as needed to anyone not able to make it to the pick up.

- **BLT (Building Leadership Team) / 建立領導團隊/Equipo de Liderazgo Escolar—** staff giving feedback about where we want to direct funds for remote learning. Focus on families and students furthest from educational justice providing books. Librarian putting together a seesaw activity to determine student choice in the purchases. Getting feedback from families related to what kind of tech support they need.

- Need volunteers to assist with book distribution dates, sign up via sign up genius.

Next Meeting: Tuesday, February 9th 6:30pm

Meeting adjourned 7:30 PM