

1. Principal update:

Star testing is finished and went well.

Conference sign up will open on 1/28. Conferences will be 2/13-2/14. The link is on the weekly email from Dr. K.

2nd graders will take the CoGat starting Feb. 2.

5th grade assessments have been completed.

2. Tanya Surdick-unavailable due to assembly

3. Treasurer update:

Less money was made on the Fall Book Fair.

There was a Rev Trac fee for inactive usage which is typical for this time of year

DVD sales are very low-should we continue offering it?

Pre-Spring Break lunch activities are almost all lined up. They are looking for one more event.

Movie night might need refunds. That has yet to be determined.

4. President update

Still many Committee also has both positions open.

Original works update: Colleen Blomgren

It was a bumpy transition from online orders. Almost all of them are now complete. Sales were considerably down which is typical according to Original Works. Year 2017, 192 families participated generating \$1800 profit. This year 90 families participated, generating \$734.

Proposal to move from Original Works to a new Gurnee based company called Artsonia. It will all be online. All artwork gets uploaded. There is a 20% profit which is lower than Original Works (29%).

Agreement to try it for a year.

Art Appreciation update: Lucienda Troester

5th grade Art Institute Trip has been planned. 1st showcase (5th grade) was completed.

5th Grade Boys update: Jean Kim

They are looking for ideas. Feed my starving Children? Or speakers and games at Butterfield.

It was also proposed by Dr. K. To keep the girls and guys nights "purposeful". Possibly making them centered about what to expect at Highland.

Clothing Sale Update: Amy Weaver

Clothing drive will be after the trackathon. No further update.

2nd VP update: Megan Huber

Fad 70 update-self directed learning days have been created and will hopefully be used by the next snow day. Dr. Youngman will send links once the announcement for no school is sent.

New Superintendent was hired, Dr. Matthew Barbini. He will begin July 1 but is working with Dr. Schumacher

5 Essential Survey is open for parents

D70 is in the process of completing the 10-year life study. Where the schools are inspected to make sure they are up to state standards.