

Friends of Budlong Monthly Meeting Notes

Dec 17, 2018

Budlong School

In attendance:

Katie Wales
Katy Dailey
Naomi Nakayama
Bianca Colon
Eileen Brodaski
Sara LaMotta
Shannon O'Sullivan
Hansler Garcia
Mike Dailey
Ellen Buttitta
Shimako Walker
Lizbeth Mateo

Katie Wales (FOB President) opened meeting with Mission statement and introductions

Update that Ellen Buttitta is working on the newsletter

Budlong After Hours:

Date is set for Jan 26th and Empirical Brewery

We will have silent auction, food drinks

Swedish Hospital will sponsor at \$500

Need more sponsors, need to have people reach out to who they know

Shannon O'Sullivan reviewed the auction items

Need a food donor - Lizbeth is going to talk to her dad's friend.

Artwork auction items:

Ms. Cone is going to donate, and Naomi will talk to teachers about some classes making an original piece.

We need volunteers for night of. Katy Dailey will work on that.

Way to get the word out:

Naomi will do teacher incentives. Maybe 3 target gift cards and free entry for most sign ups.

Vegas sign lit up!

Backpack mail

posters

Talked about thank you labels for wine

Stickers on kids for buying tickets

We need to decide on what is included in ticket price. Ellen Buttitta commented that pre-school parents say the tickets are too expensive.

Fundraising Action: We can't find Borelli's Restaurant of the Month check. Who has it?

Teacher Grant:

Naomi talked about the grants and that they won't start until after the gala.

1st grade: will purchase "footprints on the mind"

4th grade: social studies resources and books

DL: artist to come in for art therapy

We will do some sort of presentation at the gala and a thank you to FOB

Spirit Wear:

New style and options.

Need a flash sale to get rid of old inventory

Mother Son Dance:

Moved to May 3rd

Father Daughter Dance:

Need a Chair

Mattress Sale: March 3rd

Little Caesar's: Eileen Brodaski will lead this in April.

Restaurant of the Month:

Sweet Peppers is in Jan

Rockwell's in March. Need a 20x40 tent. Naomi will ask Swedish for their tent.

Eileen to get student gifts to Dec assembly