

**FOB Meeting Notes**  
**4/17/2018**  
**7:00 pm at the Atlantic**

**Friends of Budlong Mission Statement: *Leveraging fundraising and partnerships to bring more resources to Budlong students to sustain a 21st education.***

Meeting Minutes from March 20th (Also available [online under the FOB tab](#))

Approved Naomi

2nd Katie and Miriam

Upcoming Fundraising Initiatives:

- Budlong Under the Stars (STARS) - **Ask BRING A FRIEND TO THE MEETING AND SIGN UP TO VOLUNTEER**
- **Donor budgets usually Dec/Jan so next year ask early!!!!**
- Help Needed! **ALL HANDS ONBOARD**
  - **Naomi asked chairs to email those that signed up to help to get them together to meet**
  - Volunteer Sign Up Results
  - Raffle- (Teach lead: Ms. Salky, FOB leads: Katie Wales & Miriam)
    - Great list of items
    - Want to do a cash prize for the raffle - Split the Pot, \$10 a ticket
    - Trying to bundle some items and doing baskets with themes, may have approximately 15-25 baskets with \$5 for a ticket. We need to advertise this early
  - Food - (Teacher lead: Roula Savakis)
    - Take cash and tickets
    - **Need more people for food (Kathy to get high school volunteers)**
    - Food - discontinue healthy option? Other suggestions?
    - Miriam - popsicle supplier, La Paleteria la Michoacana will donate popsicles
    - Hot Dogs and Buns - Miriam to talk to Chubby Weiners
    - Fat Chris - send Katie Wales info to ask if he will donate pizzas to see for the event
  - Games - (Teacher lead: Sandra Moy)
  - Advertising - (Teach lead: Davis Lee)
    - Meeting next week with volunteers at school at 3:15 on Thursday, April 26
    - We need to advertise early to make money off of the raffles!
    - Market the raffle and walk the neighborhood to invite people to the event

- Make postcards inviting people, leave in mailboxes
- Maybe staff come on a Saturday and walk the neighborhood and then go to brunch

Shirts for the event - Making Budlong Beautiful on the front, back volunteer, color: Lime Green **Kathy to get pricing**

- Wristbands - paper or rubber wristbands. Davis to look up the cloth wristbands and rubber wristbands
- Yubbler - Eileen Brodaski
- Community Event Ideas
  - Save Around - books good until the end of the year. New ones printed in August. Not at this time because it's national not a good fit.
  - Look into doing something local like a credit card. Look into local company that does this. Look into this for next year.

V-Necks - Kathy to look into ordering with Be Budlong Beautiful logo

#### Recent Fundraising Initiatives - Results, Updates and Feedback

- Cookbook- Miriam Doan and Laura Saenz, pushing it to next Christmas. It is beneficial all around; getting more recipes and orders. Whole Foods has a food grant for schools. Laura wrote to them. Need to raise money for the print, maybe preorder. It can be included in the registration forms over the summer. Ms. Paul has a blog on cooking. Miriam will email Davis to connect them.
  - Need help 45 signed up to sent a recipe, and only 15 submitted so far. Online submission form. More recipes needed!
  - Bianca will give the cookbook flyers at the FOB table, ask for their email
  - Ask teachers for their favorite recipes
  - Delivery before Christmas break
  - Price thinking \$30
  - Laura to email Bianca the email list of those that signed up and never sent their recipes
- Zip Up Hoodies are available for purchase from the store

#### Budget Information- Bianca Colon

- 2 Ipads Purchased for STARS
- Sign for Kindergarten registration purchased and already up
- \$175 made from the Carbon Arc brunch

#### New Business (Open forum for ideas, questions & comments)

Miriam would like to apply for community service through the Rotary, which we can use the money to do a dinner auction.

Naomi mentioned about voting for LSC make sure you vote!

Katie Wales suggests handing out a list of the acronyms and what they mean for the different organizations. Who does what?

Registration - a sheet with organizations and what they do? Gives parents some direction. Then at Curriculum Night have the groups present.

June 9th and Aug. 25th Brunches set up at Davis Theater, Carbon Arc

California Kitchen - call and set up the graduation date for June 18th and June 19th. Call instead of going through the website. Kathy to call Youberd 847-990-1061

Selling spots in graduation program???? We are going to try. Miriam will talk to her husband about printing. Get Miriam a hard copy so she can show her husband.

Getting word out about our meeting. Do a monthly FOB e-newsletter next week (Tammy Chase said she can do it)? Tammy going to send out a test one to the group. Google calendar for the committees and the meetings? Bianca can create a folder and an invite. This will make it show up on everyone's calendar.

Instagram - Budlong Beautiful. Under profile lists Friends of Budlong