

The Ranches Academy FSO Executive Board Meeting

May 19, 2022

1. **Call to Order:** Meeting called to order by Kim Jensen at 8:15 am.

2. **Roll Call**

- a. Stephanie Colson: School Administration
- b. Kim Jensen: FSO President
- c. Morgan Call: FSO Vice President (present via phone)
- d. Debi Morris: FSO Secretary
- e. Anjanel Larsen: FSO Treasurer
- f. Kammi Pyles: Randy Reading

3. **Approval of Minutes:** Debi motioned to approve minutes, Morgan Call second.

4. **Review of Past Events**

- a. *Earth Day:* The students cleaned Nolan park and used garbage bags provided by the city. The teachers were able to go and do it on their own schedules, which they liked.
- b. *Talent Show:* It went very well. There were about 25-30 participants in the performing arts and 20-25 visual art submissions. There was a waitlist for the performing arts so not all the kids who wanted to were able to participate. We may want to include the art show with the talent show in the future.
- c. *Book Fair:* It was only 2 days due to lack of volunteers; however, the school made as much money as they do in a week within those two days. Hopefully next year we can extend the bookfair into the evening.
- d. *Fun Run/Spring Clean Up:* It is worth doing it again next year. We ended up with more volunteers than we initially expected. The kids really liked the fun run with the chalk. We may want to set a specific time next year instead of just saying it is after the clean up. We have plenty of chalk for future events. The students really liked the free dress passes for helping around the school. Next year, we need to advertise better and make sure those participating know that they need to wear old T-shirts. We can see if the student council would like to be in charge of advertising and making posters.

- e. *Teacher Appreciation:* It was amazing, just like prior years. The teachers like being fed the most but the gifts each day were very appreciated.

5. **Executive Committee Business**

- a. *Budget:* We have approximately \$2,232.48 left in the FSO budget. There may be a few more receipts coming in. Reallocation of the budget will consist of the following:
 - i. \$600 reserved for prizes for next year. Morgan will take \$400 to purchase Red Ribbon Week bracelets, Spelling Bee trophies, and various prizes for the prize box. Kammi Pyles will take \$200 for prizes for next year's Randy Reading.
 - ii. \$700 will move to the school's budget to help with Field Day expenses.
 - iii. \$430 will be used on gift cards. These cards can be used for various prizes. Stephanie Colson will purchase 30, \$5 cards and 28 \$10 cards.
 - iv. \$500 will stay in the current category for "Thank You's." Stephanie will use them to purchase Quench It gift cards for those families who met their volunteer hours for the year.
 - v. Any money left in the FSO budget will be absorbed back into the schools budget.

Debi Morris motioned to adjust the budget as stated above, Anjanel Larsen second.

- b. *2022-2023 FSO Board:* Morgan Call will take over as FSO president. We have several submissions for the other positions that the school administration will review.

- 6. **Other Business:** Stephanie will discuss with the teachers about creating Amazon wish lists for next year. This way, any parents who want to purchase items for the school can see exactly what the teachers want and have it shipped directly to the school.

- 7. **Adjournment:** Debi Morris motioned to adjourn, Kim Larsen second.