

# **Cerro Villa Middle School PFSO**

## **Meeting Minutes – April 18, 2023**

**Location:** CVMS Library Book Room

**Members Present:** Jason Forgash, Ashli Foster, Joy Nguyen, Michele Norman, Frederique Pouget, Wendy McGrane, Danielle Ploessel, Michelle Tao, Veronica Tarnofsky, Beth Brunett, Madeline Morrison, Duyen Dao, Erin Flynn, Natalie Kalma

**Start Time:** The meeting was called to order at 8:37 a.m.

**Previous Minutes Approval:** Wendy McGrane made a motion to approve the March minutes. Michelle Tao seconded. Motion passed.

### **President's Report - Jason Forgash**

- **Shade Structure Update:**  
After speaking with Joe Erven, our requests have been approved and are slotted for completion this summer. He understands the need for a legacy piece that really honors the classes of 2021-2022 and 2022-2023 and their fundraising efforts that made this happen. We will be able to announce exactly what that is by the end of the year. That's a hard deadline. We can also acknowledge all of Mr. Erven's help as he is leaving in June.
- **GRIP Program Update:**  
This is priority for PFSO, but it's going to take some time. Jason spoke with Shannon at the D.A.'s office, and there's no doubt that CV can use the program, but since Villa Park is overseen by the Sheriff's Department and GRIP is run by the Orange Police Department there is more work to be done.

### **Principal's Report - Mrs. Morrison**

- The esports competition was a success. This was the district's 1st middle school competition and we earned 3rd place. We're continuing to build the Serrano > CV > VPHS esports pipeline knowing that there are many scholarship and job opportunities in this field.
- Leading into Spring Break we had Spirit Week and a Student vs. Staff basketball game.
- This week we're doing the library patio remodel, adding umbrellas and an outdoor seating area for students.
- We're currently #1 in the district for use of Paper Tutoring. Let's keep it up!
- The traditional 8th Grade Panoramic photo was taken last week and students really dressed up

- Mrs. Morrison is giving a few last minute campus tours to last minute deciders and those nervous about this major change for their 6th graders.
- OUSD marketed on opening day at Angels Stadium and included flyers for CV.
- Friday night was Spring Carnival at VPE and Nohl Canyon. Mrs. Morrison attended NC, and some PFSO parents attended VPE. Many CV students worked at VPE for Honor Society hours as well.
- We have our ELAC and School Site Council meetings coming up.
- CVTV won the Elks state competition and is heading to nationals. They will hold an awards ceremony at their lodge and have gifted the CVTV program with money towards new equipment.
- CV Employees of the Year go to Katie Marx (teacher) and Veronica Escalante (classified employee).
- Volunteers of the Year go to Jason Forgash and Beth Brunett.
- Events are winding down now with only 7 weeks of school left.
- May 2nd will potentially have a Coffee with Counselors event regarding Teen Mental Health
- May 3rd CV will participate in a one day track meet at VPHS
- May 9th kicks off SBAC testing which will run for two weeks, with a 3rd week set aside for make-up testing. Please be mindful of this when scheduling your child's appointments.
- We have a new second full-time security guard and a third part-time security guard listing going live soon.

### **Treasurer Report - Veronica Tarnofsky**

- We previously thought we had lost a bit of money on the Glow Party, but we actually made \$25. This is a self-sustaining event, not a fundraiser, so it was a success.
- The Teacher Incentives line was added to the budget.
- We received a \$1,178 donation to the 8th Grade Promotion Party.
- Fireworks sales are coming up. Because VPHS uses CV's tax information, it is very important that our tax information stays up to date regarding officers, etc. This is just a simple form. It's being ironed out now, but will need to be kept up-to-date in the future as well.
- We can potentially renegotiate our financial split on fireworks with VPHS since we are the tax ID carrying the fireworks stand.
- We need to fill as many spots as possible as it is a huge money-maker.

### **ASB Report - Ms. Dao**

- March Madness was a wild ride with a Spirit Assembly on Unity, Career Day speakers, and Student vs. Staff Basketball game (students won!).

- It also held ASB and Leadership selection for next year which is an involved process requiring applications with essays, interviews, teacher recommendations, etc.
- The current Leadership class is going to have lunch with the future Leadership class to celebrate and teach them the ropes.
- In May we're looking into SBAC Motivation, perhaps morning music to pump them up or snacks.
- May 8-12th Teacher Appreciation Week
- May 16th - Volunteer Celebration Brunch (after final PFSO meeting)
- June 2nd - Spirit Assembly & 8th Grade Promotion Party Night (7-9pm)
- June 5th - Awards Night
- June 7th - Last day for 7th Grade
- June 8th - 8th Grade Promotion

### **Old Business**

- The uniforms will possibly be updated for the 2023-2024 school year with increased options. Mrs. Morrison will keep us posted.

### **New Business**

- We need to order fall swag for registration. Possibly tote bags to carry around all the things they're picking up that day. We can get quotes from Kustom Imprints and the VPHS Spyder Lab.
- Erin Flynn will run point on this and the Spirit wear as they go nicely with her registration duties.
- Board nominations for 2023-2024 School Year:
  - President: Jason Forgash
  - President-Elect: Jocelyn Nguyen
  - Membership: Erin Flynn & Kelli Takach
  - Ways & Means: Michelle Tao & Kathleen Lim-Valle
  - Secretary: Beth Brunett
  - Programs: Jim Aichelman
  - Treasurer: Michelle Tao
  - Auditor: Wendy McGrane
  - Parliamentarian: Michele Norman
- Michele Norman motions to slate the board. Veronica Tarnofsky 2nds the motion. Unanimous yeas around the table. Board approved!

**End Time:** Meeting was adjourned at 9:52a.m.

*Minutes compiled by Beth Brunett, PFSO Secretary 2022-2023*

**The next and final PFSO meeting is May 16th  
at 8:30 a.m. in the CVMS Library.**