

Spirit Morale Committee

Aug. 5th, 2008 6:30 pm Meredith Community Center

Attendance: Carol Baggaley, Dan Cunningham, Marjorie Lee, Denise Dunlap, and Grace Ainsworth

Aug. 8th, 2008 1 pm High School Office

Attendance: Carol Baggaley, Dan Cunningham, Patti Kennely, and Diane Nye

We discussed the Spirit Week events to ensure success. Issues that were discussed were:

Guitar Hero: Monday

Timing: A block was a difficult time due to the fact that the screen from the community center needs two hours to be set-up. It was hoped that B block was an acceptable time. *Subsequent meeting with Patti Kennely and Diane Nye confirmed this change to B block. September 15th.*

Trial Run: To be held on Sept. 11th and 12th, after school with a small screen TV to ensure that the system is operational. *This was approved by Patti Kennely.*

Participants: It was determined that only a few students from each class would be able to participate due to timing. *The student advisors would collect entries from the students during the homeroom during the week of the 8th and will give them to Mrs. Nye by the 10th. The students will be picked randomly from the entries.*

MC's: We would like to ask Mark Parsons and Cory Henderson to MC the event. *The spirit committee will ask their help.*

Awards: We discussed the possibility of awarding the winning class with a plaque. We also discussed the scoring to be done by a combined score for each class. *Mrs. Nye said she would present each participant with an inflatable guitar. Ms. Kennely said she would consider the plaque for the winning class.*

Club Announcements: Monday

Each club advisor will be asked to create a poster presentation of the club in order to solicit new members. These will be collected by the Spirit Committee Monday morning so they can be hung in the hallway. These posters will be for in-school clubs (no outside clubs will be invited). *Ms. Kennely approved this idea.*

During the PEP rally on Friday, 19th, each club advisor will be asked to give a brief description about the club and who to talk to for sign-up.

BBQ: Tuesday

We want to have a common BBQ lunch for the entire high-school during lunch time. It was decided to not pursue the cake. *This was approved and the kitchen was contacted by Ms. Kennely. Mrs. Nye has spoken to Mr. Bush to see if the Jazz band can perform during lunch.*

Lakers Color Day: Wednesday

Students who wear colors of blue and white can collect a raffle ticket from Ms. Lee in the school store. Students will fill out the raffle ticket and place in a container. Ms. Nye will collect the container from Ms. Lee. *This was approved.*

Carnation Day: Wednesday

Students will have the opportunity to purchase carnations from the Student Council and will deliver them to the recipient on Wednesday. Mrs. Leah Klock from Your Neighborhood Florist has offered to supply blue and white carnations for \$.90 each to Student Council. She would like at least 5 days notice. *Mrs. Nye said she would handle this and we will follow up on the first student council meeting on Sept. 8 at 2:15 at the school. Dan Cunningham and Carol Baggaley will be in attendance. Raffle tickets will be given out by Ms. Lee to all those who purchase flowers.*

Skate Board Demonstration after school: Thursday

The Spirit and Morale Committee would like to have a skate board presentation at Prescott Park. Grace Ainsworth will reserve the skate board park for this event. Denise Dunlap has been trying to coordinate this event through a skate shop in Plymouth. *Mrs. Nye is also trying to coordinate this event with the Olde School House in Meredith. Raffle tickets will be given out for attendance by the Spirit and Morale Committee.*

PEP Rally: Friday

Occurring during D-block. Introductions of the sports teams and clubs. *Mrs. Nye has asked Mrs. Jepson to have the color guard perform during the PEP rally.* It is our desire to present the Mascot during the PEP rally. We have offered to purchase 200 shakers to be handed out by the student council to students at the beginning of the PEP rally; to every other student at no cost. The student council can collect these if they so choose. The committee questioned about the mascot. *A mascot hasn't been chosen yet; students will be asked on the first week of school, to submit drawings for the mascot. These will be collected and decided on the quickly.* The spirit committee will try to fabricate a mascot costume in time for the PEP rally. (An idea may be to have a voting by applause for the determination of the mascot during the PEP rally.)

Dance: Friday night

It was thought that the \$7 price tag for the dance was high. One recommendation is that raffle tickets may be used to defray the cost. *Student council will discuss the possibility of incorporating a Homecoming Dance for this event.*