**SVE PTA** **General** **Meeting**

November 14, 2023
8:45am - 9:45am

**Principal’s Report – George Boser**

* **I-ready testing will be the week after Thanksgiving.**
* **Enrollment:  projected 355, but actual 350.**
* **The passing of 5A was HUGE and hopefully a game changer.**
* **Raises will start in February and retro back to July.  Lump sum to be paid in January.**
* **Information regarding where the money from 5A is going is very transparent.**
* **Extra SRO’s can be hired.**
* **With 5B not passing, schools can’t be built, improvements can’t be made.  Talks of 5B on ballot again next year, but no decisions have been made yet.**
* **Takes 3 years to build a new school, so puts things further out with 5B not passing.**

**Treasurer Report- Lynn Lavis**

* Budget has been approved.
	+ 65K budget
* Other updates.
	+ Muffins in the morning is appreciation to school community and is a FREE event.
	+ Check to school for 50K

**SAC Report- Amber Campbell**

* Meetings are now the 3rd Wednesday of the month- November 15th at 7:30am.

**PTA Old Business: Molly Willard**

* Halloween Dance- thank you to everyone who volunteered.
* November Staff Appreciation- thanks to Jen McIndoe for organizing breakfast for staff the morning after the election..

**New PTA Business:**

* **November Restaurant Night**
	+ 11/15- MOD Pizza- all day! 10:30-9pm.

* **Holiday Scrip Program**
	+ Last day to place orders is this Thursday!
		- Facebook posts, share with friends, etc.
		- Staff will be given their gift total after Thanksgiving break.
		- Gift cards will be distributed in early December.
* **One Book, One District- Toiletry Drive - 4,608 items donated**
	+ Thank you to everyone who donated! 2nd and 3rd grade donated the most items and will be rewarded with a sweet treat later this week.
	+ The feeder elementary who collected the most items will receive $500 towards the library. Winning school will be announced soon.
		- Currently leading all other schools by over 1K items.

* **Ongoing Fundraisers**
	+ Link your King Soopers card- 5% back to SVE for every purchase.
	+ Spirit Rock Rental- visit [www.sverocks.com](http://www.sverocks.com) to reserve the rock for birthdays.

* **Upcoming Events:**
	+ **Coach Reynolds Jingle Bell Jog**-  Jenny Cella will be steering this event. Students will be able to place their orders for Jingle Bell Kits before school 11/27-12/1. A flier with additional information is coming home in Thursday folders this week. Donations of hot cocoa are needed.
	+ **Mac ‘n Cheese Drive benefiting the Backpack Society**- 4th grade will be leading this event. Donations can be brought in to grade level pods 12/4- 12/8.
	+ **Cereal Drive benefiting the Backpack Society**- 1/22-1/26/24, more details coming in January 2024.
		- Whole school participating.

* **PTA Executive Board 2024/2025 Planning:**
	+ In January we will begin discussing openings on the PTA executive board and various committee chairpersons for the 2024/25 school year. Please watch for more information after the first of the year.
	+ If you are interested in learning more before January please reach out to Molly Willard.
		- Possible to break into committees, so there’s not a full load to board.  One in fall and one in the spring?

**Upcoming Meetings:**

* No December Meeting- see you January 16th, 2024