



Brooke Elementary Home & School Association

General Meeting Agenda					
Meeting Date:	1/13/2020	Time:	7:00 pm	Location:	Brooke Elementary School Library
Item #					
1	Call to Order – 7:05 Principal’s Report – Dr. Moyer <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Welcome back and Happy 2020! We are excited to be back at Brooke. • We came back from a holiday break and spent the first 6-7 days reacclimating students to RAMS Grams behavior and expectations <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Students can receive a postcard when they are observed displaying good behavior ○ A contest has been added this year. When the student gets a card, they select a number to put on a large grid. When there are 10 #'s in a row those 10 students can select a prize • The school promise that is recited during the morning announcements was revamped to tie in elements RAMS behavior of being respectful, responsible, and making good choices <p><i>Upcoming Events</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Great Kindness Challenge (GKC) and the Soup-er Bowl will be held January 27th – 31st <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Students will receive a GKC checklist on January 24th with random acts of kindness for the students to complete and bring back to school. ○ There will also be a school-wide kindness project to collect non-perishable food items during this time • Unity days <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Buddy classes were established to connect the older and younger kids. There will be buddy classes held at the end of the month so the buddies can work together ○ There will be an assembly in May that is sponsored by HSA where BMX riders will perform two stunt shows for the students • Jump Rope for Heart – February 13th <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Mrs. Bieber has selected and notified the students. There will be more information • Class Valentine’s parties are February 13th 				
2	Teacher’s Report – Mrs. Russo <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Thank you to Mrs. Hermans and those that volunteered to help during the book fair. Thank you for the scholastic books donated due to the success of this event to help the library grow • Thank you, Mrs. Guay and all parents that contributed to the Luncheon, during conferences. The teachers really appreciate that they have lunch for them to grab during the long day of conferences • Thank you, Mrs. Guay and all parents that contributed to the AWESOME cookie buffet and the to-go containers to take cookies home. This is an event all the teachers and staff look forward to every year • RIF days – January 21-28 “New Decade, New Reading Opportunities” <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Students are encouraged to find a new way of reading. A paper sent home and they do not have to complete the whole paper. ○ Thank you to HSA for supporting RIF days by buying the books to distribute to each of the students 				
3	Co-President’s Reports – Krista Bean & Nicole Chiccarine <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Administrators for the Brooke Home & School Facebook page will now have to approve all posts before they are posted on the page 				
4	Recording Secretary’s Report – Noreen Oswald <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Nothing to report 				
5	Corresponding Secretary’s Report – Christie Neeld <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If you have anything you would like to include in the Brooke Buzz, please inform Christie Neeld (cmpileggi@yahoo.com) by Monday for the Wednesday release 				
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7	<p>Treasurer's Report—Lauren Drakeley</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Nothing to report
8	<p>Completed Committee Events</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Kid Stuff – Shauna Moyer <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Projected profit to HSA is \$1,237.50 • Fall into Fun Festival – Stacey Sollazzo <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Sold 546 tickets realizing a \$2,440 profit to the HSA • Cards for a Cause – Shauna Moyer <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 60 card boxes sold for a profit of \$780 • Spirit Wear – Amy Guay <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ There was a total of 125 order forms – 178 shirts/sweatshirts, 27 pairs of pants, 40 water bottles, and 20 bows – with a profit of \$225.99 to HSA • Spirit Nights – Christie Neeld <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Urban Air spirit night made a \$134.95 profit for HSA ○ Margaritas spirit night made a \$97.96 profit for HSA • Book Fair (Fall / Spring) – Erica Hermans <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ \$3,235.93 total sales with a \$2,172.53 profit to HSA ○ If anyone is interested in taking over the book fair in future school years please reach out to Erica Hermans, as they will likely have to shadow Erica this year to get an understanding of the process • Headband Fundraiser – Stacey Sollazzo <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ \$186 profit to HSA • Holiday Shoppe – Krista Bean and Christie Neeld
9	<p>Occurring/Upcoming Committees</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Brooke Family Night <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ February 21st – doors open at 6:00 and bingo begins at 7:00 ○ Bingo – Lauren Drakeley and Erin Harris <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Each family bring a \$10 gift card per family as an entry fee. Those gift cards will be used as the bingo prizes ▪ Snacks, pizza, and pretzels will be sold ▪ Amanda McPhillips will look to see if she can get desserts donated ○ Basket Raffle – Amanda McPhillips and Michelle Riggs <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Volunteers are needed to collect donations from the community ▪ Each class will be asked to donate items for classroom baskets – more information to come ▪ A sign-up genius will be distributed for the classroom basket donations and additional volunteers ▪ All donations will be due February 10th • Color Me Fun Run – Nicole Pickersgill, Tracy Finney, and Cindy Kelecic <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ March 21st (morning time) with a rain date of March 22nd (afternoon time) • Reading Phillies Game – Lauren Drakeley <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Will begin 1/15/2020 ○ Ticket books will be \$39 and \$14 of the books will be given back to HSA • If parents have any fundraiser ideas and would like to chair the committee, please contact Brooke HSA for consideration



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10	<p>Ongoing Committees</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Beautification – Lauren Drakeley & Nicole Chiccarine • School Store – Sissy Morelock <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Typically, the third Friday of every month ○ 1/24, 2/21, 3/20, 4/17, 5/15 • Spirit Sticks – Christie Neeld • Teacher / Staff Appreciation – Amy Guay <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ November 25th – lunch for staff during conferences ○ December 16th – Cookie buffet • Yearbook – Shannon Dauphin (<i>need an additional chair</i>) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ If you have any pictures of school events, please send the highest resolution to the Brooke Home & School Gmail • Box Tops – Andrea Straka <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Latest submission was in November for \$214.60 ○ \$272.40 has been earned since the last submission including the electronic submissions
11	<p>New Business</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Upcoming Library Projects <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ The Crayon Initiative <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Brooke will collect used crayons then the organization will melt them down and donate it to children’s hospitals ▪ The collection of these crayons will be held in March to align with the 50h anniversary of Earth Day ○ Birthday Book Club <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Parents can purchase a book for their kids’ birthday to remain in the library. The child can choose from a selection of books and a name plate is placed in the front of the book ▪ Further information will be distributed • Remember if you shop at Giant or on Amazon you can sign up with both to have a % of your sales donated to Brooke Elementary School
12	<p>Adjournment – 8:15</p>
<p><i>Next General Meeting – March 16th, 2020</i></p>	