



## PTO MEETING AGENDA

November 10th, 2020

7:00 PM | Virtual | [Zoom Link](#)

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| I.    | Call to Order, Establish Meeting Norms<br>Ryan Flynn          | 5 min  |
| II.   | Introductions, Acknowledgements<br>Ryan Flynn                 | 5 min  |
| III.  | Roy Cloud Construction Update<br>Don Dias, RCSD Bond Director | 15 min |
| IV.   | SEL Update<br>Veronica Spencer - Palmer                       | 5 min  |
| V.    | Fundraising Update<br>Julia Swenson                           | 5 min  |
| VI.   | Community Update<br>Alex Dendy                                | 5 min  |
| VII.  | Q&A   | 5 min  |
| VIII. | Adjourn Meeting   |        |
| IX.   | Parent Discussion on Return to School                         |        |

## **Roy Cloud School - 2020 - 2021 School Year**

### **PTO Meeting Summary Tuesday, November 10, 2020**

#### **Call Meeting to Order / Meeting Norms / Introductions / Acknowledgements - Ryan Flynn**

- The PTO meeting started at 7:03 pm virtually via Zoom
- We are now offering Spanish translation through Innovate. If you need translation you can contact Jose Talavera at 650-796-2175

#### **Roy Cloud Construction Update - Don Dias RCSD Bond Director, Matt Dohrmann, Kevin Brower, Mark Casinie**

- Bldg F (MUB) restrooms are complete and walk in cooler will be done on Nov. 20th
- Bldg B & C - replacing classroom sinks almost complete. Still working on restrooms to be done early Dec.
- Bldg D - restrooms need a little upgrade and should be done by the end of Nov.
- Bldg A - classroom and restrooms to be started in early Dec. and be done by early Jan.
- Site - Most sidewalks in red oak and Jefferson parking lots are complete. The fencing and gates should be done by End of Dec.. Upper Jefferson has a lot of erosion and the retaining wall needs work and then the fencing can be put in. All fencing should be done by Jan. 7th. The site cameras and intrusion systems will be coming soon. Most of the painting is done except for doors which will be completed during Thanksgiving break.
- If it is not complete before January 19th then they will work around the students. They do temperature checks, require masks and will not go near where students are located.
- Work had been planned to begin in the summer but they ran into new state regulations that delayed the start of the work.

#### **SEL Update - Veronica**

- Character strong is lead by Todd Armstrong and paid for by last years fund in need
- It is tailored for teachers to teach via Zoom
- Examples of the work that students have been doing in SEL have been highlighted in the Thunderbolt
- Sierra Daniels has been doing a weekly assembly
- Sent teachers a survey on how it is working but only half of them responded back. Of those that responded, said they think it is working well.
- Middle school started out strong with SEL but it is starting to fade out with participation. Need to look at making it more interesting to them
- Mr. McAdams started a campaign for kindness. It is a trial that he will start in 2nd trimester
- There is a parent SEL night once a month. Attendance is up and down. Looking into a better time to accommodate more parents schedules
- Diane, Kristy and Sierra have been working on updating the website. It will be a place for parents to go and get information they need. Also they can see what their kids are doing in SEL
- It launched on Nov. 16th but a lot of parents don't know about it. Veronica to work with room parent coordinator to get the work out to parents about the new website and meetings
- Thanks to Jessica Kwa for helping to update the website

### **Fundraising Update - Julia Swenson**

- Received 160K for direct donations at end of campaign
- Thanks to everyone who donated
- We have extended the deadline to the end of the year as our goal is 250K
- Not being on campus has created challenges in marketing
- Don't have enough volunteers for the auction. If you would like to volunteer please email fundraising
- Julia asked if a virtual auction is something everyone would be interested in as it is a lot of work and she doesn't have enough people to help with it
- What is the financial hit if we don't have one? We typically raise between 100K to 150K, but virtually we would likely get 60K at best
- If no auction, we would need to brainstorm on how we could raise the money virtually
- Allison Bellach volunteered to help with the software for the auction and advertising on "dug" the dinosaur at her house
- Haven't gone through the exercise of what we will lose without the auction
- Last year we got a lot of money from grandparents for SEL. Maybe we can reach out to alumni
- Are you able to describe how far along you are in the process? Only 4 or 5 people have volunteered. Only procured 3 items and usually have at least 20. Mostly a man power issue
- Think about it and send email to Roy Cloud PTO and we can discuss at next meeting

### **Community Update - Alex Dendy**

- Spirit days are back on Fridays. Wear your Roy Cloud gear or colors
- Kristy got the Halloween flipgrid together which is very cute
- Sierra Daniels is doing a virtual paint night on Dec. 10th.. You need to RSVP and your child will get a paint kit
- Thanks to the room parents in advance for holiday events and gift making fun for kids
- I'm working with Diane, Kristy, and the teachers to see what they will need when they start in January. How can the PTO help with that
- There will be a virtual book fair in early December. Heidi Walas will head it this year and the theme is time machine. Teachers are working on a list of books they would like.
- Mrs. Lera really uses the money from the fair to purchase books for our library
- Thanks to Heidi for running it this year

### **Adjourn Meeting - Ryan Flynn**

- Meeting adjourned at 8:17 pm

**Please send an email to the PTO if you have additional questions**

**Next PTO meeting is December 8th at 7:00 pm**