

## DeKeyser Elementary PTCG Meeting Minutes

April 13, 2021

### 1. Principal Report – Ms. Merlo

- M-STEP letters are coming out this week. The state did request a waiver on standardized testing, which was denied. Grades 3-6 will be taking the test. April 19<sup>th</sup> starts the testing window, however, DeKeyser will likely not be starting on this date. It is a good opportunity for students to become more comfortable with computer-based testing since most tests are administered in that manner now.
- DeKeyser is starting the application process to be granted full Title 1 status. Title 1 status would mean more supplemental funding to operate school-wide programs.

### 2. Treasurer Report

- Our funds stand at \$18,903.36.
- We received a quarterly check of \$168.05 from Kroger.
- We paid out \$161 to Kim O'Keefe for preschool supplies

### 3. New Business

- Board for 21/22 School Year - Due to the restrictions concerning in-person voting and to ensure continuity during this period, it was proposed that the current board remain intact for the upcoming school year. This was a joint decision between Ms. Merlo and the current board members and all members agreed to maintain their seats.
  - i. Parent Co-Chair: Monick LeRoux
  - ii. Teacher Co-Chair: David Murray
  - iii. Teacher Co-Chair: Kim O'Keefe
  - iv. Teacher Treasurer: Shari Ritz
  - v. Parent Secretary: Julie Teschendorf
- For the 21/22 school year, we are looking for new chairpersons for the following events: Skate Night (Usually 3 per year), School Store (monthly), and Flower Sale (May). Let us know if you are interested!
- DeKeyser will be celebrating 50 years in the upcoming school year! Stay tuned for more info!

### 4. Fund Requests

- i. Mystery Science (\$1,249) – Mrs. Pradko. This has been a yearly purchase and can be used by all grades.
  - Motion made by Nikki Henry, 2<sup>nd</sup> motion by Nicole Luebs
  - Motion carried by majority vote

### 5. Committee Updates

- Restaurant Nights – Stayed tuned for possible April/May dates.
- Box Tops - Please check out the online Box Tops for Education App where you can now scan your receipts to earn box tops for DeKeyser!