

PLANNING FORUM APRIL 10, 2012

Results of PTSA Planning Forum				
		Parents	Teachers	
Healthy Lifestyles		Blue Votes	Green Votes	Total Votes
	Girls on the Run/Boys on the Run	3	1	4
	Active Family Night with YMCA	3	2	5
	Walk to School Week (culminating in community party with police, fire, KCLS, etc.)	15	5	20
	Walk to School fundraiser	2	3	5
	Field Day w/Healthy Ed stations	1	2	3
	Send-home contests with activity challenges and in-class prizes			0
	Offer trainings in conjunction with Children's Hosp or Evergreen HC	2	1	3
Facility Upgrades	(pending admin/district approval)			
	Shelter/canopy for pick up zone	5	5	10
	Playground upgrades (balls,jumpropes)	5	1	6
	More landscaping/flowers	1		1
	covered area in big playground	5	4	9
	upgrade basketball court			0
	hockey equipment for recess	2	2	4
PTSA Fundraisers				
	Bowl a Thon			0
	Daddy-Daughter Dance and/or Mother-Son Bash w/DJ, refreshments, photographer	11	1	12
	Spaghetti Dinner, Taco Night, Pancake Feed	1		1
	Kid-driven fundraiser like Smencils			0
	Sell baked goods @ Holiday Craft Sale	1		1
	Used book sale w/cookies and milk reading time	2		2
	"Walk for Woodmoor", wear school colors, sell bagels/coffee/muffins	8	4	12
	savingdinner.com			0
	Fall Carnival/Harvest Festival instead of Halloween			0
Marketing				
	more posters			0
	neighborhood websites/newsletters	6		6
	ask teachers to promote benefits in classroom newsletters	2	1	3

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	promote PTSA Facebook group	2		2
	PTSA presence @ assemblies/functions like Science Fair	2		2
	PTSA Rep for each class	14	1	15
	print reminders on name tags & have kids wear them home	5		5
Parent Ed Topics				
	Bullying	12	3	15
	Sibling Rivalry	2		2
	Disability Awareness	5		5
	Speaker from food services			0
	Internet safety			0
	Media literacy			0
	"Brain Rules"			0
Incr. Meeting Attendance				
	Alternate day and evening meeting times		6	6
	Offer YMCA childcare		5	5
	Brief Teacher/Staff only meetings w/PTSA at convenient time for staff	3		3
	"PTSA Meeting Tonight" banner	9	5	14
	PTSA ambassadors available at after-school clubs & events	2	1	3
	Available and advertised interpreters at meeting	7	3	10
	PTSA members being kind/positive/encouraging/inviting to potential members	4		4
	Invitations to meetings to *all* families		1	1
	Coord with Evergreen to hold "babysitters club" with PTSA meeting	4	3	7
	Give meeting a name & focus, e.g. "2012-3 Planning"	3	2	5
New PTSA Events				
	Dinner/Dance/Auction for parents only, coordinate childcare with YMCA	2	1	3
	Mom's night	1		1
	Dad's night	9	2	11
	Talent Show/Karaoke Night	5	1	6
	Read-a-Thon post-dance with book donation	2	3	5
	Speaker/Disability Awareness Stations with Disability Awareness Fair	4	2	6
	Scavenger Hunt	2		2

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Involving Students				
	Encourage ASB rep attendance at meetings			0
	Kid night for students to brainstorm ideas	3	2	5
	Kid-driven fundraiser like Smencils			0
Building Community				
	FSA/ELL/PACE/GenEd updates in every newsletter	2	1	3
	Anonymous pen-pal program among the students			0
	Involve ASB kids in advertising	2		2
	Monthly ethnic dinners in WM neighborhoods	1	1	2
	Include students in PTSA	1		1
	Coffee talks at school and/or in communities	7		7
	ongoing social service support, i.e. food bank, clothes, school supplies	1		1
	Neighborhood walk-to-school groups	3		3
	Parent-child book group	1		1