



Mariposa Academic Boosters Club Agenda
November 17, 2017
11:30 AM

MCHS Rm 56 (directly across from Learning Center restrooms)

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Mariposa Academic Boosters Club

Minutes

October 20, 2017

11:30 AM

MCHS Rm 56

Board members present: Jill Harry (chair/secretary); Dave James (vice chair); Kathleen Pfeffer (treasurer); Tara Schiff, Carol Hart, Ruth Smiley

Board members absent:, Deb Rockwood, Naoko Kada, Jennifer Rider

Public: Celeste Azevedo

I. Call to order

The Chair called the meeting to order at 11:30 AM

II. Arts Night revamp discussion (Celeste)

Celeste explained to all about rules regarding boosters clubs that have always been in place and are now going to be more closely watched and followed, the most notable for ABC being that when a fundraiser “is” the student (i.e., students playing football games, students performing), then the money from that fundraiser needs to go to the school, not the boosters. This affects any time of arts night event. In addition, MCHS staff has come up with some creative solutions to boost attendance at an event that would highlight arts programs at the high school. There are still ways ABC can fundraise at the event.

The idea: Bryan Starchman would like to write a musical about the animals affected by the Detwiler Fire. Dance Club would be involved. Pete Bothwell would create an art display that would be displayed two night performance, one matinee instead of one night. The performance would last about 40 minutes, then intermission, and then a different local band would play each date. Starchman is talking to Bootstrap Circus, Gail Dreifus’ band, and maybe Cottonwood Creek or the Jespersin’s.

The drama department would make the posters/flyers and students would sell the tickets. (ABC’s overhead for these items goes away.) Starchman is talking about half the funds going to Drama and half to Detwiler Fire Relief.

ABC could still be involved and fundraise - and be included on the flyer/ticket. For instance, ABC could 1) have a Silent Auction that lasted all three days - and with an online and/or call in component for those who want to watch bids on certain items; 2) still provide money for Ag Foods to make the food and receive the profits from that food (Ag Foods would be doing this as a service to ABC and this is allowable; 3) Bothwell’s students could make art specific to the event (making/selling notecards, for instance, was suggested). They could donate funds back to ABC - or, as members pointed out, the Art Department could keep it given that the goal of ABC is to raise money to support these programs. We need to spend some time brainstorming these ideas and perhaps come up with new ideas. We also need to keep in mind that SierraTel has consistently given \$2,000 to ABC in support of our previous arts night events. Carol believes we

may be able to market and brand this in a way that SierraTel is still willing to donate. We will discuss all of these ideas more at upcoming meetings.

All expressed support of this revamping plan. Starchman is looking at March 16, 17, and 18 to hold this event.

III. UC Merced Lab Tour (March 13) update and go forwards (Naoko)

Naoko was unable to attend the meeting, but Jill shared her questions with board members and Celeste. There was much discussion about pros and cons of the timing of lab tours: If students leave first thing and it is an all day trip, then students who aren't the strongest in the classroom miss and have to make up a full day of instruction and work; this is difficult for them. Teachers don't like students to miss class. Celeste pointed out, however, that these students typically aren't the ones missing class, so it should be okay for them to miss a day. She also pointed out that if we have a field trip that extends to after school, students in sports will not be able to attend. Also, students who usually take the bus and don't have another way of getting home can't attend. Jill relayed that Naoko has a question regarding timing into her contact and we can talk about the best timing again at our next meeting.

Another question was regarding busing. Celeste said that the earlier we get the request in for one or two buses, the more likely it is for a bus to be available. She said that we will be competing with after school transportation, sporting events, potentially field trips, though the grade school field trips tend to be later in the year - in May - so we should still be okay.

Celeste said there is a week or two "dead zone" between sports in the spring. She will look up these dates and get them to us to help make some final decisions at the next meeting.

IV. Approval of minutes from September 15 meeting

Kathleen moved to approve the minutes from the September 15 meeting. Tara seconded. All were in favor. Motion carried.

V. Finance

A. Treasurer's Report

Kathleen reported that our beginning balance on 8-31-2017 was \$20,137.80 and our ending balance on 9-30-2017 was \$19,934.83 with one outstanding check and two new Season of Giving donation checks not included. We received a \$9.75 charge for the TSYS card reader along with a refund. The account is closed, though, and Kathleen is working on getting us the full \$100 refund that the company agreed upon.

Carol moved to approve the Treasurer's Report. Tara seconded. All were in favor. Motion carried.

B. 2017-2018 Budget Overview review

Jill noted that expenses are starting to come in as budgeted. So far, we have spent \$242.42 on Career Lunch lunches, for instance. We have also received \$1,425 for the Season of Giving Campaign. We will not know if we are receiving a donation from our Anonymous Donor until late December or January. The good news is that if we did not receive any more income and paid out all of our 2017-2018 expenses, we would still have \$8,468.78 remaining in savings, so we are in good shape.

C. Season of Giving campaign update

Last year, we sent out about 100 letters and received 17 donations equaling \$1,680. So far this year, we have sent out close to 150 letters and received 14 responses equaling \$1,425. We received two donations of \$300 each. The remainder have been \$100, \$50, and \$25. We will do another advertising push in our next e-newsletter, Giving Tuesday (Tuesday after Thanksgiving), and near the end of the year. Jill noted there are a few people who donated last year who have not donated yet this year but she imagines they will. The list of who letters were sent to and who we have received donations from was passed around for people to check who they can follow up with and to think of whom else they can give letters to.

D. Request for t-shirts for Cross Age PE

Linda Fipps and Debbie Leonard requested \$400 to buy 20 t-shirts for their cross age PE class. All agreed this was a worthy request, but members felt strongly that the t-shirts should be ordered from Pathos given that it is a local non-profit supporting Mariposa youth rather than the Oakhurst-based company the applicants suggested. We want to have our dollars benefiting our local economy whenever possible.

Kathleen moved to approve up to \$400 in t-shirts ordered from Pathos. Ruth seconded. All were in favor. Motion carried. Jill will let the teachers know they are welcome to place the order with Pathos, let Jill know, and Jill will go in and pay it.

E. Request to fund 1/2 cost of bus for Splash at Berkeley

MyIP requested \$700 to fund half the cost of a bus to Splash at Berkeley happening Saturday, November 4. The other half will be funded by Mercy Ambulance. The bus will hold 54 students. Admission and lunch will be free to these students.

Tara moved to approve the request for \$700; Dave seconded the motion. All were in favor. Motion carried.

F. Request for page marker tabs for Honors English

All were happy that Adam Finney made a request to ABC for supplies for the classes he is teaching, but there were many questions. The \$250 requested would buy 20,000 sticky note pieces. Do students really need so many this year or would this fund multiple years? Could Mr. Finney give us some kind of breakdown of how many are used per student per book? Do students receive a supply list of items needed for the class at the beginning of the school year? Can't this be on that school list? How would this be funded in future years? It was discussed that ABC might be willing to fund one year, but not multiple years.

Ruth made the motion to fund Mr. Finney \$30 for the tabs he has already purchased and another \$30 for additional tabs, for a total of \$60 right now. Dave seconded the motion. All were in favor. Motion carried. Jill will convey this to Mr. Finney and let him know the board might be willing to fund more if he finds he needs more as the school year progresses, but would like a more information as noted above.

VI. Programs

A. Career Lunch

i. Results of Oct 12 lunch and go forwards

Twenty students signed up for Career Lunch but only 7 showed up on October 12 to hear Don Costa speak. There was much left over pizza, but at least it costs a lot less than individual sandwiches. The Counseling Office tried a new method, sending email to all students and letting them sign up by responding. None of the students who responded this way showed up for the

event. There was discussion about implementing the Remind system, but students have to sign up for this and there's no guarantee that they have cell phones to get Remind messages or that they will sign up. Students typically don't read emails during the school day. It was agreed that an announcement over the PA right before a Career Lunch might be the best way to remind students. Jill will ask Amber if this is possible. There was discussion about how reaching small groups of students is still beneficial. Tara will order less pizza next time - 2 slices per student signed up will still probably be more than enough.

ii. Schedule of future speakers

Greg Little will be speaking November 9; Dallin Kimble, December 14; Kevin Cann, January; Jon Harry, February; Penny Otwell, March; Cara Goger, April; Zoe Levin, May. Jill will update the speaker list and topics covered and post it on the web page.

B. Community Connections Update

Jennifer was not able to attend; Discussion tabled until next meeting.

VII. Open Forum

Jill shared a few Gazette clippings regarding ABC.

VIII. Set Next Meeting Date and Time

The next meeting will be Friday, November 17 at 11:30 at MCHS room 56.

IX. Adjourn

The meeting adjourned at 12:30 PM.

ABC Treasurer's Report for November- 2017Beginning balance 8-31-2017 \$ **19,934.83**Ending balance 9-30-2017 \$ **21,121.73**Total deposits: \$ **1325.00**

10/2 575.00 Season of Giving

10/10 750.00 Season of Giving

Total withdrawals: \$ **138.10**

387 128.15 Pizza Factory - October Career Lunch

10/10 9.95 TSYS- (still involved with canceling this)

Outstanding checks: \$

Outstanding Deposits:

Season of Giving: \$200

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October 23, 2017

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CT FILE NUMBER: CT0191699

RE: MISSING REPORTS TO THE ATTORNEY GENERAL'S REGISTRY OF CHARITABLE TRUSTS

We have received from the captioned organization the required financial reports for fiscal year **12/31/2016**. The organization is, however, delinquent in filing required reports for prior fiscal years, as follows:

1. Annual Registration Renewal Fee (Form RRF-1) Report(s), together with required renewal fee, for fiscal year(s) ending: **12/31/2013 & 12/31/2014**. (Note: Please use the sliding fee scale on the Form RRF-1 to determine the total amount of renewal fee(s) due.)
2. Complete copies (including all schedules and attachments) of IRS Form 990, 990-PF, or 990-EZ report(s) for fiscal year(s) ending: **12/31/2013 & 12/31/2014**. (Note: The 990 is only required if Gross Annual Revenue is \$50,000 or above.)

Please file the reports listed above within sixty (60) days of the date of this letter. Failure to do so may result in assessment of late fees, pursuant to Government Code section 12586.1.

Sincerely,

Registry of Charitable Trusts

For

XAVIER BECERRA
Attorney General

Detailed instructions and forms for filing can be found on our website at <http://oag.ca.gov/charities>.

FYI: Kathleen has made phone calls and is working to resolve this. She will give us an update at the meeting.

MCHS Academic Boosters Club, Inc. Annual Budget Overview									
Annual Expenses	Historical (annual est.)	2017-2018 expected	2017-2018 YTD actual	Annual Income	Historical or anticipated (annual est.)	2017-2018 anticipated	2017-2018 YTD	Notes	
<i>Events and Requests</i>				<i>Fundraisers</i>					
Dinner with a Scientist (AAUW) \$1200 first	\$600.00	\$800.00		Fall - Savoury's - as much as \$3,900	\$2,980.00	\$0.00	\$0.00		
Natural Helpers	\$2,640.00	\$0.00		Arts Night	\$2,122.00	\$1,700.00			
Career Lunches (\$2,800 first year)	\$1,400.00	\$1,600.00	\$396.97	Season of Giving Campaign	\$1,680.00	\$1,800.00	\$1,600.00		
Academic Achievement Night (every 2 or 3 yrs)	\$307.26	\$300.00						\$1,600.00	
Valedictorian Dinner \$2400 first	\$1,250.00	\$2,400.00							
UC Merced Lab Tours		\$500.00		<i>Donations</i>					
Passport to Success \$160 first year	\$160.00	\$1,000.00		Anonymous*	\$4,000.00	\$4,000.00		\$ 7000 / \$9000 past donations	
Community Connections		\$2,700.00		Misc	\$50.00				
California Scholarship Federation \$0 last year	\$400.00	\$400.00		PayPal/Visa donations		\$100.00	\$25.00		
Teacher/Other Requests - as much as \$2,380	\$1,380.00	\$1,500.00	\$60.00	Steve and Carol Hart			\$2,500.00	one time. Wonderful!	
Art's Night	\$1,015.00	\$1,015.00							
Personal Best Awards	0	\$1,000.00		<i>Corporate Donors</i>					
				Sierra Tel	\$2,000.00	\$2,000.00		Arts Night	
Subtotal	\$9,152.26	\$13,215.00	\$456.97	Tavis Corp				up to \$1,000 specific requests	
<i>Administrative Costs</i>				Aramark				3500 from DNC in past years	
Photocopies	\$125.00	\$125.00	\$47.55	Yosemite Bank	\$500.00	\$500.00		Passport to Success	
Special Printings - Banners, flyers, tickets	\$184.00	\$200.00							
Ads - Media outlets, yearbook	\$300.00	\$300.00						\$2,525.00	
Postage, envelopes, office depot, fliers (S of G)	\$300.00	\$300.00	\$93.55						
Subscriptions (domain name, etc)	\$15.00	\$15.00	\$15.00						
Insurance	\$569.00	\$600.00							
Mariposa Chamber of Commerce*	\$100.00	\$100.00						*membership fee	
Fees	\$50.00	\$0.00	-\$59.70						
PO Box	\$64.00	\$64.00							
Name badges		\$48.90	\$48.90						
California State- Statement of Information bi-annually	\$20.00	\$20.00							
Subtotal admin. costs	\$1,727.00	\$1,772.90	\$145.30						
<i>Special One Time Costs not covered elsewhere</i>									
Ceiling tiles	\$4,125.00								
Display Case-Dayhoff	\$630.00			<i>Grants</i>					
Digital Marquee	\$2,400.00			Mariposa Comm Foundation	\$436.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	Web design and bus cards	
Div C Parks and Rec (?)	\$350.00								
Website creation and updated business cards	\$436.00								
Computer cables, lock boxes, frames for partner certs	\$160.00								
TOTAL Events and Requests and Admin	\$10,879.26	\$14,987.90	\$602.27	TOTAL INCOME	\$13,768.00	\$10,100.00	\$4,125.00		
				<i>Expenses minus income (savings needed to supplement)</i>			\$10,862.90		
				Current savings minus outstanding checks			\$21,121.73		
Auditorium seating fund	\$300			Current savings minus Auditorium seating fund			20,821.73		
				Remaining savings			\$9,958.83		

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Effective Date: 02-15-2017

Forms Applicable To 25-3065

Reminder-Review Your Coverages

All Coverage Parts: 56-5166ED5

Additional Conditions

E0002-ED1

Blank Manuscript Endorsement-Long

IL00030498

Calculation Of Premium

IL00210498

Nuclear Energy Liability Excl

Your Agent

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FYI, Patrice has retired as of Oct 1 and sold the business to Jeff Shaw. He is at a conference this week (11/12) and moving his family to Mariposa next week (11/19). I left my questions with Dianna and she will try to get back to me with answers before our meeting on Friday or will let me know that they can't be answered until after 11/27 when Jeff Shaw is back.

I'm only including a couple of key pages from our policy in this packet.

Countersigned (Date)

By Authorized Representative

THIS ENDORSEMENT CHANGES THE POLICY. PLEASE READ IT CAREFULLY.



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1st Edition

**EXCLUSION - ACCESS OR DISCLOSURE OF CONFIDENTIAL
OR PERSONAL INFORMATION AND DATA-RELATED LIABILITY**

This endorsement modifies insurance provided under the following:

BUSINESSOWNERS COVERAGE FORM
BUSINESSOWNERS LIABILITY COVERAGE FORM
APARTMENT OWNERS LIABILITY COVERAGE FORM
CONDOMINIUM LIABILITY COVERAGE FORM

A. The following exclusion is added to Section **B. Exclusions**:

Access Or Disclosure Of Confidential Or Personal Information And Data-Related Liability

This insurance does not apply to damages, including but not limited to, "bodily injury" or "property damage" arising out of:

1. Any access to or disclosure of any person's or organization's confidential or personal information, including patents, trade secrets, processing methods, customer lists, financial information, credit card information, health information or any other type of nonpublic information; or
2. The loss of, loss of use of, damage to, corruption of, inability to access, or inability to manipulate electronic data.

This exclusion applies even if damages are claimed for notification costs, credit monitoring expenses, forensic expenses, public relations expenses or any other loss, cost or expense incurred by you or others arising out of that which is described in Paragraph **1.** or **2.** above.

As used in this exclusion, electronic data means information, facts, recordings, images or computer programs stored as or on, created or used on, or transmitted to or from computer software, (including systems and applications software), on hard or floppy disks, CD-ROMs, tapes, drives, cells, data processing devices or any other repositories of computer software which are used with electronically controlled equipment. The term computer programs, referred to in the foregoing description of electronic data, means a set of related electronic instructions which direct the operations and functions of a computer or device connected to it, which enable the computer or device to receive, process, store, retrieve or send data.

B. The following is added to Paragraph **B.1.p. Personal And Advertising Injury** Exclusion of the **Businessowners Coverage Form** and **Businessowners Liability Coverage** form and to Paragraph **B.1.q. Personal And Advertising Injury** Exclusion of the **Apartment Owners Liability Coverage Form** and **Condominium Liability Coverage Form**:

Personal And Advertising Injury

This insurance does not apply to damages, including but not limited to, "personal and advertising injury" arising out of any access to or disclosure of any person's or organization's confidential or personal information, including patents, trade secrets, processing methods, customer lists, financial information, credit card information, health information or any other type of nonpublic information.

This exclusion applies even if damages are claimed for notification costs, credit monitoring expenses, forensic expenses, public relations expenses or any other loss, cost or expense incurred by you or others arising out of any access to or disclosure of any person's or organization's confidential or personal information.

This endorsement is part of your policy. It supersedes and controls anything to the contrary. It is otherwise subject to all the terms of the policy.

Policy Number: 60508-52-04

Effective Date: 02-15-2017

**LIABILITY AND MEDICAL EXPENSES
COVERAGE AND LIMITS OF INSURANCE**

Each paid claim for the following coverage reduces the amount of insurance we provide during the applicable policy period. Please refer to the policy.

Premium Basis: (A) Area; (C) Total Cost; (P) Payroll; (S) Sales/Receipts; (U) Each Unit
(M) Public Area Square Feet
(O) Other:

Covered Premises And Operations

Address	Classification /Exposure	Class Code	Prem. Basis	Annual Exposure	Rate	Advance Premium
5074 Old Hwy N Mariposa, CA 95338	Sponsored Event - No Alcohol - Incid.	8641F	U	2	Included	Included
	Sponsored Event - Alcohol - Incidental	8641G	U	1	Included	Included
	Booster Clubs	86413	U	7	Included	Included

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LIABILITY AND MEDICAL EXPENSES COVERAGE AND LIMITS OF INSURANCE CONTINUED

Coverage

	Amount /Date
General Aggregate (Other Than Products & Completed Operations)	\$2,000,000
Products And Completed Operations Aggregate	\$2,000,000
Personal And Advertising Injury	Included
Each Occurrence	\$1,000,000
Tenants Liability (Each Occurrence)	\$1,000,000
Medical Expense (Each Person)	\$10,000
Newly Acquired Or Formed Organizations	90 Days
Per Location General Aggregate Limit	Included
Property Damage Deductible - Per Occurrence	\$500

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Policy Forms And Endorsements Attached At Inception

Number	Title
25-2110	No Coverage For Work Comp
25-2614	Investigative Practices
25-2984ED2	Customer Letter-Dept Of Ins Address
56-5166ED3	Reciprocal Provision
BP00060197	Businessowners Liability Coverage Form
BP00090197	Businessowners Common Policy Conditions
BP04170196	Employment-Related Practices Excl
BP04390196	Abuse Or Molestation Excl
BP05140103	War Liability Exclusion
BP07040197	Pd Liab Deductible - Per Occur Basis
E2010-ED3	Conditional Exclusion Of Terrorism
E2042-ED2	Multiple Or Enhanced Damages Excl
E3027-ED1	No Covg-Certain Computer Related Losses
E3341-ED3	Limit Of Covg-Amend Of Policy Limit
E3342-ED1	Personal & Advertising Injury Covg Amend
E4009-ED4	Mold & Microorganism Excl
E6036-ED2	Lead Poisoning & Contamination Excl
J6300-ED3	Discl Of Prem-Cert Acts Of Terror
J6345-ED1	Excl-Violation Of Statutes
J6351-ED2	Limited Excl Of Acts Of Terrorism
J6587-ED1	Addl Insd-Club Members
J6630-ED1	Institution Premier End-Liability
J6633-ED1	Medical Expense Coverage
J6740-ED1	Two Or More Coverage Forms
J7110-ED1	Exclusion Confidential Info
J7115-ED1	Asbestos & Silica Exclusion
S9934-ED2	California Changes

to your policy with the same policy number shown on this endorsement.

Effective
Date 02/15/17

ENDORSEMENT

60508-52-04
Policy Number
of the Company designated
in the Declarations

NAMED INSURED(S)
ROCKWOOD DEBRA
HART CAROL
MARIPOSA ACADEMIC BOOSTERS

This endorsement is part of your policy. It supersedes and controls anything to the contrary. It is otherwise subject to all other terms of the policy.

COUNTERSIGNED _____
(Date)



MARIPOSA COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL

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ROBIN HOPPER
Superintendent

CELESTE AZEVEDO
Principal



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Mariposa Academic Boosters Club Grant Request
By Brooke Dobson
MCHS World Language Department Chairperson
bdobson@mcusd.org
October 19, 2017

Proposal for Funds for Quizlet Teacher Upgrade Account for French and Spanish

I would like to purchase the Quizlet Teacher Upgrade for both the Spanish and French programs at the high school. Both languages use this tool to help students acquire vocabulary and master language skills. A basic account limits which Quizlet features we can access. A teacher account for each of us would allow us to upload our own photos. Many of the Quizlet stock pictures are blocked by our server, so the students cannot see them. We have no idea which images will be blocked by the student filter when we create our study packs. Being able to upload our own images would bypass the problem. It would also give us a better ability to track individual student progress and performance and check statistics, letting us know area of difficulties that need to be addressed and terms that have been mastered. It also allows us to see individual student progress over time. With a basic account, these features are limited or nonexistent.

Social/ Emotional Well-Being of Students

When students can work at their own pace and feel comfortable with their mastery of a language, it helps their self-esteem and ability to communicate. There are also group features that allow students to work in teams, which promotes social interaction.

How many students will benefit? How long?

All students enrolled in foreign language will benefit as well as my AP literature students. This is approximately 200 students. The membership lasts for one year.

Amount Requested

\$34.99 x 2 memberships = \$69.98

Excellence in Education

MARIPOSA COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL

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Are there other sources of funding for this project?

Kids First would be another possible option, but it is only open twice a year, and we missed the fall deadline. We would like to get started using this as soon as possible.

Have you received funds from ABC before?

No

Is the request time sensitive? If so, when is the funding needed?

We would like to have membership access as soon as possible.

***It would be easier if Mr. Leuschel and I could be individually reimbursed because we have to each sign up and pay for our own accounts.

Handwritten signature of Brooke Dobson in cursive script.

Brooke Dobson
Mariposa County High School
World Language Department Chairperson

Handwritten signature of Celeste Azevedo in cursive script.

Celeste Azevedo
Mariposa County High School
Principal

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Quizlet

Upgrade your account

Introducing class progress

Gain valuable insights into your students' performance and study habits, all in one place.

Upgrade (\$34.99/year)

[Learn more](#)



Track student progress

See how your students are studying and track their progress



Most missed words

View which words or concepts your students are struggling with most.



See progress over time

Compare study data from the past day, week, and year.



Convenient and simple to use

Check these stats on any set you create (or any set in your classes).

----- Forwarded Message -----

Re: Classroom Supplies for Honors English

Fri, 20 Oct 2017 15:18:08 -0700

Adam Finney <afinney@mcusd.org>

Jill Harry <abc.mchs@gmail.com>

Subject:

Date:

From:

To:

Thanks, Jill. I understand trepidation in buying 20,000 sticky tabs :) I am 90 percent out of the ones I already purchased. If each student marks 50 things in Jane Eyre alone, that's 2500 tabs. We are roughly 1/8 of the way through the curriculum, so it could easily be done, however it may not be the best way to do it. I like the idea of monitoring this as it progresses.

I will keep track of how we use them, how many each child uses and what the cost/best product is.

Thank you for working with me and helping to fund my request!

Best,
Adam

On Fri, Oct 20, 2017 at 3:12 PM, Jill Harry <abc.mchs@gmail.com> wrote:
Hi Adam,

ABC has partially approved your grant request. All agreed that learning how to annotate is a good skill for students to develop and we support what you are doing, but questions arose:

- \$250 would buy 20,000 sticky note pieces. Do you really need so many this year or would this fund multiple years? Can you give us some kind of breakdown of how many are used per student per book?

- Do students receive a supply list of items needed for the class at the beginning of the school year? Can't this be on that school list? How would this be funded in future years? ABC might be willing to fund one year, but not multiple years.

In the end, the board agreed to fund you \$30 for the tabs you have already purchased and another \$30 for additional tabs, for a total of \$60 right now.

The board might be willing to fund more if you find you need more as the school year progresses, but would like a more information as noted above.

Congrats on getting partial funding. I realize it is not all you requested, but hopefully it will help. We are glad you submitted your proposal! Jill

Career Lunch Speakers

2017-2018 Schedule

Date	Speaker	Topic
Sept 14	Tony Borreson, Mariposa Airport Manager	Careers in Aviation and Aeronautics
Oct 12	Don Costa, Costa Livos Olive Oil	Entrepreneurship
Nov 9	Greg Little, Mariposa Gazette Editor	Newspaper Journalism
Dec 14	Dallin Kimble, Mariposa County CAO	Jobs in Public Administration
Jan 11	Kevin Cann, Mariposa County Supervisor	How to run a campaign
Feb 8	Jonathan Harry, MD	Paths to becoming a medical doctor
March 8	Penny Otwell, Artist	How to make a living as an artist
April 12	Cara Goger	
May 10	Open	

Past speakers:

Date	Speaker	Topic
5/3	Dondi Lawrence	Merced College opportunities
4/1	Samuel Bolton	Blue Ridge Services - drone demo
3/1	Adam Burns	How to make a living being a musician
2/1/17	Chris Boehm	Careers in Law Enforcement
12/7/16	Erik Westerlund, Park Ranger, Yosemite National Park	Careers in the National Park Service
11/2/16	Miroslava Torres, CSU Stanislaus.	Pathways to teaching careers
10/5/16	Kristen Fournier, RN and Gonzo Tafoya, RN, John C. Fremont Health Care District	Health Professions

5/4/16	Joe Rabon, Vice President of Human Resources, Aramark	Careers in Human Resources
4/6/16	UC Merced students	How to prepare for college
3/2/16	Gara Villalba, Associate Project Scientist, School of Engineering, UC Merced	Multidiscipline careers
2/3/16	Angelina Brouillette, Local Veterinarian	The path to becoming a veterinarian
1/13/16	Steven Bumgardner, Filmmaker	His path to making films
12/2/15	Heather Ream, Cartographer	Careers in Cartography
11/4/15	Percy Whatley, Regional Executive Chef in Yosemite National Park	His path to becoming a chef
10/15	Jeff Laird, Engineer, MCHS graduate	Pathways to becoming an engineer

Considered:

Jarrold Brand, Auto Mechanic, Business owner (not interested)

UC Merced Lab Tour (March 13) update and go forwards from last meeting:

Naoko was unable to attend the meeting, but Jill shared her questions with board members and Celeste. There was much discussion about pros and cons of the timing of lab tours: If students leave first thing and it is an all day trip, then students who aren't the strongest in the classroom miss and have to make up a full day of instruction and work; this is difficult for them. Teachers don't like students to miss class. Celeste pointed out, however, that these students typically aren't the ones missing class, so it should be okay for them to miss a day. She also pointed out that if we have a field trip that extends to after school, students in sports will not be able to attend. Also, students who usually take the bus and don't have another way of getting home can't attend. Jill relayed that Naoko has a question regarding timing into her contact and we can talk about the best timing again at our next meeting.

Another question was regarding busing. Celeste said that the earlier we get the request in for one or two buses, the more likely it is for a bus to be available. She said that we will be competing with after school transportation, sporting events, potentially field trips, though the grade school field trips tend to be later in the year - in May - so we should still be okay.

Celeste said there is a week or two "dead zone" between sports in the spring. She will look up these dates and get them to us to help make some final decisions at the next meeting.

Further info:

The dead period for Spring sports is January 15-Feb 2, but soccer and basketball will still be happening, so there's really no time without sports and I imagine a date in that timeframe would be too rushed for us to pull this all together. So I think we should stick with March 13.

(The dead period for Winter sports was Oct 23- Nov 3 this year. Varsity football made the finals, so they are still going and if Volleyball had made the playoffs, they would still be going, too, but that's another time frame to consider for next year.)

It's up to us to decide the time. There are pros/cons to both options:

- go during school day -- all have the opportunity to go, but it's hard for the middle to lower end students to miss all their classes and have to make up that work.
- leave at 11:30 so they get their first two periods in and only miss two periods. Not sure what time they would be back? In time for sports?
- leave at 1 -- students only miss one class which is much easier for some, but students in sports or who are dependent on the bus can't go.

Celeste is fine with whatever we decide.



UC Merced Lab Tours Application



Join scientists for lab tours on Tuesday, March 13.
Learn about their areas of science.

Depart from school at xx xx

Tour 3 labs

Check out campus and eat in the UC
Merced cafeteria

Location: UC Merced camps

Transportation: MCUSD school bus

Additional School Release signed by
parent required.

Student information (please also complete the back of this form.)

Student Name: _____ Grade: _____

Student Email: _____

Student Phone Numbers: Home_(_____)_____ Cell_(_____)_____

You will be notified by ?????? regarding your application status.

Parent information

Parent Name: _____

Parent Email: _____

Parent Phone Numbers: Home_(_____)_____ Cell_(_____)_____

Parent signature required on page 2 of this application.

**RETURN COMPLETED APPLICATION BY THURSDAY, JANUARY XX
TO MS. RIDER IN THE COUNSELING OFFICE**
Questions? Contact Naoko Kada, 209-769-xxxx

Student name: _____

Tell us about yourself:

__ I have previously attended UC Merced Lab Tours as part of AAUW's Dinner with a Scientist.

__ I have previously attended Dinner with a Scientist.

Areas of Interest: We will have scientists representing different areas of science, technology, engineering, and mathematics. Please rank your areas of interest from 1 to 13 so that we can try to place you with at least one scientist in your field of choice.

__ Mathematics/Statics	__ Fire Science/ Paramedics	__ Technology/ Computer Science
__ Biology	__ Medicine	__ Natural/ Environmental Science
__ Chemistry	__ Neuroscience/ Cognitive Science	__ Physics
__ Engineering	__ Architecture	_ Psychology/ Sociology/Behavioral
__ Anthropology/ Genetics		

Why do these areas interest you? _____

What else should we know about you? _____

Participation and Photography Release: I give my permission for my child to participate in this program and to have photos taken and published online and in print.

Parent Signature: _____

Arts Night revamp discussion from last month:

Celeste explained to all about rules regarding boosters clubs that have always been in place and are now going to be more closely watched and followed, the most notable for ABC being that when a fundraiser “is” the student (i.e., students playing football games, students performing), then the money from that fundraiser needs to go to the school, not the boosters. This affects any time of arts night event. In addition, MCHS staff has come up with some creative solutions to boost attendance at an event that would highlight arts programs at the high school. There are still ways ABC can fundraise at the event.

The idea: Bryan Starchman would like to write a musical about the animals affected by the Detwiler Fire. Dance Club would be involved. Pete Bothwell would create an art display that would be displayed two night performance, one matinee instead of one night. The performance would last about 40 minutes, then intermission, and then a different local band would play each date. Starchman is talking to Bootstrap Circus, Gail Dreifus’ band, and maybe Cottonwood Creek or the Jespersin’s.

The drama department would make the posters/flyers and students would sell the tickets. (ABC’s overhead for these items goes away.) Starchman is talking about half the funds going to Drama and half to Detwiler Fire Relief.

ABC could still be involved and fundraise - and be included on the flyer/ticket. For instance, ABC could 1) have a Silent Auction that lasted all three days - and with an online and/or call in component for those who want to watch bids on certain items; 2) still provide money for Ag Foods to make the food and receive the profits from that food (Ag Foods would be doing this as a service to ABC and this is allowable; 3) Bothwell’s students could make art specific to the event (making/selling notecards, for instance, was suggested). They could donate funds back to ABC - or, as members pointed out, the Art Department could keep it given that the goal of ABC is to raise money to support these programs. We need to spend some time brainstorming these ideas and perhaps come up with new ideas. We also need to keep in mind that SierraTel has consistently given \$2,000 to ABC in support of our previous arts night events. Carol believes we may be able to market and brand this in a way that SierraTel is still willing to donate. We will discuss all of these ideas more at upcoming meetings.

All expressed support of this revamping plan. Starchman is looking at March 16, 17, and 18 to hold this event.