

Merri Loo Board Meeting Minutes

November 14, 2022

Fundraising

- Currently running the wreaths fundraiser! We have 29 orders so far with a deadline of November 25th (Black Friday).
- Van Otis does not do fundraising during the holiday season so we may be moving the fundraiser to Valentine's Day or around that time frame.
- Krispy Kreme fundraiser may be moved up to Christmas time? Last fundraiser of the year.

Board refers to Jamie's notes for finance updates

Website Update

- Jamie did a soft rollout of the revised and updated website which looks incredible!
- Possibly adding a separate tab for the current fundraising/donations, like where the "testimonials" and "contact us" tabs are. Our school heavily relies on fundraising and donations, so we should highlight that aspect.
- With updated board member responsibilities, the board needs to rewrite a paragraph of their responsibilities and send them to the rest of the board by the next meeting.

Shelby Update

- With flu/RSV season coming in with a roar, we will send out another disclaimer to parents going over what we already do in the classroom to prevent the spread of germs/colds, and how to keep our doors open by keeping sick kids home.
 - o Please refer to the "In Sickness and Health" section in the handbook.

Potential Summer Camp

- Only available to CURRENT Merri Loo students and incoming nursery students.
- Ages 2.5- years old.
- 8:30 to 1:30
- Students will need to be 2.5 by June 15.
- Follow the same structure as school – M/W/F for older students, T/T for younger students; thinking about mixing all students 5 days a week.
- Teachers would provide snacks. Kids bring their own lunch.

Heidi and Karyn will provide more information as we move forward with this.

Next Meeting: December 19th at 6:00pm. Pending location.