

# ARTS IN EDUCATION

Meeting Date: *Monday, September 23, 2019 at 3:30 pm*  
Professional Development Room @ CLS Campus

Present: Brielle Grover, Fawn Johnson, Cynthia Baer, Marvin Kreps, Mary Ann Torres

Absent: Tom Burnell

## Meeting Minutes

The committee discussed speaking to the PTSO and principals to canvas parents to join the committee. Fawn will be speaking with the PTSO president, Marianna Lombardo, to ask for parent representatives as well as funding. Cynthia will be speaking to Mary Cale to see if she would consider participating in the AIE Committee.

Marvin will be speaking to Tom about budget questions relating to the \$20,000 from the district and the \$25,000 that was originally understood to be in the budget for this year's AIE.

The committee discussed the need for a lighting board for the district auditorium. Marvin to ask Tom about how much money is in the extra "Sandy Kane" fund that can be possibly applied to this purchase. Marvin had preliminary conversations with various people, including RSF members, but they don't feel it is a necessity. Cynthia Baer has been graciously allowing the district the use of her husband's lighting board for the last couple of years. Cynthia suggested asking Barry Cohen for support as he is a parent and a professional lighting director.

The committee discussed updating the district website. Also, can we ask each person who receives funding from the AIE to take a picture and write up a small summary to be published in twitter or the website?

The committee approved the following applications:

Project	Costs	Notes
<b>Media Literacy: Exploring Truth</b>	\$1,400	Application submitted by Dee Kaake working with ENTA to support grade 8 curriculum.
		<b>Approved: Yes</b>
<b>Charlotte's Web @ Palace Theater</b>	\$720	Application submitted by the third grade team. Total original ask was \$1,620 but \$900 of that is busing which Brett has agreed to cover.
		<b>Approved: Yes</b>

Projects in consideration:

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<b>Joachim Lartey</b>	~\$1,000	Application to be submitted by Brielle Grover for drumming for grade 3. She is waiting for more information before submitting an application.
<b>Figure Drawing</b>	TBA	Application to be submitted by RHS Art department for a figure drawing program for students grades 9-12.

### Action List:

- Marvin to speak with Tom about the budget for this year and about the "Sandy Kane" fund.
- Fawn to speak to Marianna Lombardi about PTSO funding, the use of her fundraiser for AIE purposes, and for parent representatives.
- Fawn to speak to Bill Morrissey about asking Brett for funding for the busses since the committee cannot use funds for transportation.
- Cynthia to speak to Mary Cale.

The meeting was adjourned.