**Youth PAG**

**10.26.2022 12:00PM-1:00PM**

**In-person with a hybrid option**

**Notes**

Attendance: Laura, Alex, Lisa, Lynda, Leah, Una, Amy, Rich, Annie, Anne

Agenda and Notes:

1. Welcome and Introduction: Guests and Families
2. Agency Fundraising Review: Amy Sousa
	1. Amy reviewed the overall agency approach to fundraising. Including our overall funding sources and what the revenue stream really supports. Discussion was reviewed on how a significant portion of tuition from any agency goes to staffing. The Guild has multiple projects that they would like to move forward that will need to be supported by fundraising – significant home improvements, larger community integration opportunities (coffee shop), and supports for intense mental health needs.
3. Fundraising Teacher Appreciation / Guild Swag: Rich Grief
	1. Rich reviewed the course of fundraising last year for teacher appreciation week. Discussion was had about replicating this. This group has it on the agenda for March to discuss further.
	2. Guild Swag Store: discussion on our first round not being very popular. We talked about families being the contact for classes and houses for other families so we can advertise. Limiting the items to specific items and using a variety of channels for communicating out.
	3. Rich and Lisa will work together for next steps – hopefully out before Christmas.
4. Review of Action Items: (see below)
	1. Anne: Reviewed parent support groups. Feedback about including day families as well. This is an important topic for all families including those in various situations. Anne will go back with that feedback and will come up with a start date based on Open House feedback re: different forums
	2. Telephone directory: Going out to parents to sign up this week!
5. Request for feedback on initiative
	1. Tabled – might be via email

Action Items:

* Annie to connect with the group responsible for the sexuality training and curriculum to develop some family forums for the student curriculum
* Anne to get the feedback about including day families and then will return with dates
* Lisa and Rich will follow up re: Swag store