Warren/Alvarado/Oslo Public School Education Foundation Meeting August 19, 2020

The WAO Public School Education Foundation met on August 19th at the WAO Multipurpose Room. Members present were Carol Anderson, Carol Bowman, Dewey Swanson, Pam Jubie, Carol Sedgeman, Melanie Nelson Jordan Johnson and Sally Roller. Jordan and Sally are the school board liaisons. Principal Kelsey Johnson also attended the meeting.

Some of the highlights are:

- We will do a money raffle later on with the total proceeds going out at \$5,000. Only 100 tickets will be sold and they will sell for \$100 each. Ed Rosendahl will let us know when the tickets are ready. The application for the permit should be back soon.
- * The Stuart Hurst Memorial Angel Award was recently established by a group of alumni and friends of the late Stuart Hurst. This \$500 award will be given to a special needs graduate to be selected by a faculty committee. In the event that there is no graduate, the money would go to the adaptive PE program for equipment and programming. The Foundation will be the treasurer for this project. This award will be announced at the annual scholarship night in May.

- Welcome letters to 2 more new staff members have been mailed to tell them about a \$200 gift from the Foundation that they use to purchases items for their classrooms. In addition each will receive a \$50 gift certificate from the Pony Wearhouse to purchase Pony attire. A total of 10 letters have been sent out this summer.
- Two Jordan & Brooke Johnson Scholarships were approved. They are designated for cosmetology and agriculture in the amount of \$500 each.
- Fall Needs Request forms will go out to the staff on September 15 and are due October 9th. These will be acted on at the October Foundation board meeting.
- The CJ Anderson Endowment Fund will provide \$2.00 monthly for preschool-6th grade students to receive a book from Scholastic Books for September through May. The classroom teachers will be responsible for ordering the books.
- Math manipulative kits were approved for kindergarten, first and second grade teachers so each student could have their own set.
- A request from the WHS Class of 1960 to change the name of their scholarship to the Lowell B.

Goplin Scholarship was approved.

- Donations for June and July were approved and accepted
- * The September meeting will be on September16th at 5:30 P.M. in the WAO Multipurpose Room.