



2021-2022

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PTO Meeting Minutes

10/19/21, 6:30pm | Meeting called to order by Susan Fishman

In Attendance

In Person: Susan Fishman, Cara Meaker, Jessie Wicks, Paul Beakley, Kristin Basha, Jamie Pate, Dawn Stantus, Marcie Romero, Kim Reitz, Ryan Edmiston, Kevin Walsh, Marie Navarro, Becky Ashworth, Brittany Westfall,
Zoom: Chelsea Erasquin, Ben Minter, Liz Fischer, Eddie Fredericks, Meaghan Powell, Susan Wright, Jen Giannetta, Jessica Chuang, Ashley Boca, Carol Vack

Welcome & Intro: Susah Fishman

- Filled out survey on what we want to hear in PTO newsletters

Principal's Report: Mrs. Romero

- Playworks – The teachers learned classic games and methods to teach the students. “Switch” is a 4-square game they played... “Superstar Knockout” was a basketball game... hula hooping & jumpropping, rock paper scissors
- TEA-Time – THOUGHTS, EMOTIONS, ACTIONS shared by Mr. Vigness. Learned how to slow down and talk it out
- Nerding –Brought exciting ideas to teacher committee. Finalizing activities that will be done.
- Day of Awesomeness was a success!
- Big thank you from teachers for catered teacher appreciation and to help with the Day of Awesomeness

Treasurer Report: Kim Reitz

- Earned \$200 from Clockwork WFD
- \$332 from T-shirts
- Reviewed budget

Requisitions: Kevin Walsh

- CURRICULUM FOR INTERVENTION STUDENTS, \$172.78
 - Purchasing additional copies of the curriculum to support all intervention students in the school, which the district already provides for certain students, but she wants to extend it to all intervention students.
 - **MOTION** from Kristin Basha. Seconded and passed with no discussion.

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Review & Approve May Meeting Minutes

- The minutes stand as approved with no corrections.

Committee Reports

Step It Up – Cara Meaker

- 351 participants raised \$31,168. We had 77% participation, with 3,678 emails sent. The kids had a great day at today's Day of Awesomeness, with inflatables in the school fields and a dance party. Congratulations to the classes who had the best participation.

Trunk or Treat - Dawn Stantus, Jen Gianetta

- Pumpkin Carving Contest, Car Trunks (still a few spots available), candy donations needed, kids will all do the Thriller dance together, food trucks will be there

Teacher Appreciation – Jamie Pate, Ryan Edmiston

- Put together posters and a gift for Mr. Freddie to celebrate Custodian's Day
- Staff Development Day on 10/11 was a big hit – breakfast was served
- Providing Clockwork and Chik-fil-A lunches for Parent Teacher Conference days this week
- School Psychologist Week will be 11/8 so we will do something for them

Science Closet

- Stem Cart has been created with bins that the teachers can check out
- Crafters Cart has been created with fun art supplies that the teachers can bring into their rooms
- We will have signup geniuses for parents to sign up to bring in supplies to keep it stocked
- 11/3 Susan & Cara will bring the carts around to the teachers to show them off & let them know it's available
- After that we will have some kids come in during lunch to test it out. Susan Wright volunteered to send some of her students to test.

Spirit Store - Shannon Winer

- Spirit store is live! Visit the store to buy a variety of Waggoner gear

Art Masterpiece – Shannon Winer

- Art Masterpiece will start in November and a volunteer signup will start soon

What's for Dinner & Waggoner Night Out – Marie Navarro

- Skateland raised \$324 and Culvers raised \$150
- Many other fundraisers coming up

Parent Superintendent Council – Cara Meaker

- The board has authority as a whole, not as individuals They approve the policy, passes budget, hire/fire/evaluate the superintendent.
- Upcoming budget override covers M&O, teacher salaries to keep current class sizes
- Waggoner is hosting this month's meeting and the topic is social/emotional learning

Veteran's Day

- Kids will come home with a star this week to decorate for a veteran. Stars are due by 10/26 and will not be returned. Stars will be hung for all of November. Can also be decorated generically instead of for a specific person.

Math Night

- Discussed an idea to have a math night to teach parents the different terminology and techniques for today's math

Upcoming Meetings & Events

- October 20-21 – Parent Teacher Conferences
- October 21 – WFD Barros
- October 28 – Student of the Month
- October 29 – Trunk or Treat
- November 5 – PTO Meeting 7:45am
- November 11 – Veterans Day – No School
- November 19 – Student of the Month
- November 24 – Turkey Trop
- November 25-26 – Thanksgiving – No School

Meeting Adjourned at 7:42pm

Minutes submitted by:
Jessie Wicks, Secretary