

PTA ~ Meeting Agenda

Monday, January 14, 2019

Welcome -- Abbie

Treasurer's Report -- Amber

- \$ (full report available at the meeting, by request)

-Current balance = \$17,815

-Teachers asked to submit classroom allowances by spring break.

Secretary's Report -- Heather

Membership Report

- Please turn in your membership forms, \$5.25 dues
- Current membership: 21? - plus 4 previous members that have yet to renew.
- Note: we need 25 members to stay current with the PTA organization. Tell your friends!
- *Idea for next year (September/October), classroom contest pizza party reward!*

Yearly Calendar

- *February conferences -- Tuesday, February 19 and Thursday, February 21*
 - *Dinner: PTA will provide Zio Johnno's on Feb. 19. Amber will call and order.*
- *Assessments -- First 2 weeks of April*
- *Year end celebrations --*
 - Explore/5th grade promotion
 - Explore @ Camp

Budgeted Items

- Classroom Support: \$100 per classroom/per school year. *Due by Spring Break please.*
- SPARC: available \$50 per class, per session as need, must submit request
- Library: \$500 funds for buying new books. *To be used by May 31*
- **Anything over the amounts above, must be proposed in person at a meeting**

Grant PTA Family Fun Night -- Mindy

- January -- T 1/15, 4-9pm SkyZone
- February -- Movie? *Date tentatively set is Saturday, February 23 at 10AM. Heather will get additional details from Collins Road Theatre about minimum number, promoting the event and pricing (package cost/person which will include concessions). Will need to do advance tickets and pay the theatre one lump sum.*
- March -- Jefferson Swim/Gym, contact Chris Deam at Jefferson (we pay lifeguards, students attached for free)
- April -- Bowling? Speedeez? Other?
Will discuss Read-a-thon possibility at February meeting.
- May -- Spring Fling - *May 16 (more details on page 2)*
**choose date: Th May 16 or 23?*

Fall Fundraiser - done

Winter/Spring Fundraiser

- Ideas welcome (LY we discussed Read-a-thon, March/ April?) Need about a 2-3 week lead time so decision needs to be made by February Mtg. Over Spring break? before/after assessments?
- Other ideas?

Spring Fling

- Choose date: Th May 16 or ~~23~~?
May 16 date chosen. Event time is 5-7:30pm with set-up from 4-5pm and raffle at 6:30pm. Will need volunteers for set-up, food, PTA table(?), selling game tickets, raffle help. Will receive community support/donations, ask for classroom baskets again, and have Jefferson cheerleaders help staff games.
- Send out request letters January, new ideas for requests?
- Gambling license (for raffle) February

T-Shirts/School Spirit items

- *Inventory is in PTA closet, by size*
- Ideas: sell @ Feb conferences, Spring Fling
 - window clings, tattoos

Pending Projects/Purchases

- Gaga Ball? (like dodge ball in a play pen for those who aren't familiar!) **Monica has asked the district Buildings & Grounds person if it's feasible and could work at Grant. Waiting to hear back before proceeding.**
 - Plan: received from camp Tanager, pending district requirements/approval (Monica)
 - est materials around \$1200 (Menards) after 11% rebate (\$1350 at retail) not including ground surfacing.
 - Labor: Local Eagle scouts doing it as their project? Dave Wertz contact?
 - Spring Break if weather allows?
- Repairs to trail? **Will wait to do updates in the spring/summer.**
- Movie license **Monica will check and follow up in February. Approximate cost is \$425.**
- Health supplies -- budgeted at: \$600, Est \$432 spent so far
 - Request for Lysol type air freshener/sanitizing spray for clinic -- gave them \$50 for this need.
 - Will need to replenish cleaning supplies in January? (Kleenex, wipes, sanitizer, etc) with the remaining amount of this budget. (aprx \$165)
Hand sanitizer, Kleenex, and Lysol wipes requested. Amber will order and get items to the school.
- Updating technology, specifically mini iPads (including a case and possibly headphones).
 - Grant currently has 20 PTA purchased 2 years ago. Cost was \$5180 (\$259/ea), cases \$640, ordered through district purchasing and we reimbursed Grant.
 - Monica said we have 30 but not sure where the other 10 came from. My records show we purchased 20 in 2016. **Should we look at 20-25 more?** So there are 2 class sets essentially.
 - Assuming similar district discount may be available
\$300 each (ipad Mini 4 retails at \$400), \$40 per case, not including headphones:

20 = \$6800, 25 = \$8500, 30 = \$10200

iPad discussion tabled until February meeting.

Other Business

Monica reported a busy February coming up: NAEP testing assessment for 4th grade, Raptor meeting about increased security of the building, and year 2 of high reliability (safe, orderly schools) with a video and survey #2 to be sent to parents (first one was February 2018).

Upcoming Dates

T Jan 15 -- FFN, SkyZone, 4-9pm

M Jan 21 -- no school, progress reporting

M Feb 11, 5:30p -- PTA Meeting

M Feb 25 -- no school, progress reporting

M Mar 11, 5:30p -- PTA Meeting

M-F Mar 18-22 -- Spring Break