

## 3/14/19 PTO Meeting Minutes

Welcome – Pledge 6:05 pm

### President's Report (Tabytha)

-Nothing to report

### Treasurer's Report (Shari)

PTO balance as of this meeting \$22,370.40

- Josten's has been paid

- Book Fair money has been deposited, awaiting final invoice

### Principal's Report (Mark/Allison)

Middle School PTO (Mark) – Mr. Mitchell said for the benefit of both Elementary and Middle School that a separate PTO be formed for the Middle School. Tabytha suggested that we help facilitate this new group to guide them through the process of meetings, elections of officers, etc. At the upcoming Open House/Information meeting for Middle School parents, the Elem. PTO will seek parent volunteers to get them started. Once the last fundraisers have been completed for this school year, the Elem. PTO will revisit the topic of giving money to the Middle School PTO.

I-pads (Mark) – Mr. Mitchell asked if the PTO would help in the purchase of new I-pads to be used for first grade. His wish over the next 3 years is for every student to have an I-pad for use in school. The total cost is estimated at \$22,000; the district would pay half and PTO would pay the other half. This start-up cost would only be for the 2019-2020 school year. He and Shari will bring this matter to the Tier 1 committee and ask if the PTO's half could be split with money in the PBS fund. Tabytha mentioned mailing donation letters as well, asking for help with this purchase. PTO is willing to pay \$5000 for I-pads or the difference not obtained from donation letters. It will be discussed further at the next meeting.

### Committee Reports

Box Tops (Tabytha) – Next collection date is March 28<sup>th</sup>; April will be last collection for school year

Fundraisers (Dawn) – Gardners' Candies forms went home last week, delivery date April 8<sup>th</sup>

Walk-a-Thon date is awaiting confirmation; holding a meeting soon to finalize plans

Yearbook (Tabytha) – 233 needs ordered for 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup>, 6<sup>th</sup> grades. Increasing our total order to 450, yearbooks will be given to students in those 3 grades, the rest will be available for parents to purchase (first come, first served). Motion made to continue using Josten's for 2019-2020.

All in favor, none opposed.

Spelling Bee (Allison) – Tabytha & Shari said it went well; prizes have been distributed

School Store (Dawn) – held today March 13<sup>th</sup>; very busy! April 10<sup>th</sup> will be last for school year

### Unfinished Business

Outdoor Carnival – Building Use Form approved, Football Boosters have approved our request to use the facilities at the field. Best Event Rental has sent an invoice for 2 bounce houses with slides,

1 dunk tank, 1 electronic basketball game, high striker, quarterback toss game, and frog flinger – totaling \$1260.31. This fee includes delivery and set-up. Wink will provide equipment and personnel for a photo booth, estimated cost \$1000. Checking with cafeteria about serving lunch outside. Purchasing pre-packaged cotton candy and popcorn, shopping around for best price. Donation of water is awaiting approval.

Letters will be going home Monday, asking for parent volunteers to help throughout the day.

### **New Business**

Spring pictures (3/27) – a few parents have already volunteered their time to assist.

Retiring Staff (Butch Emigh and Trent Yarrison) – Shari will purchase 2 gift cards as a token of appreciation, \$50 each. All in favor, none opposed.

Secretary's day – Shari will purchase a \$50 gift card for Lorrie Miles. All in favor, none opposed.

Kindergarten Registration (4/2, 4/3 from 9:00-11:30 and 1:00-2:30) – volunteers needed.

Announcements (Next meeting: 4/10/19)

Adjournment – 6:55 pm

Meeting attended by: Shari Buck, Tabytha Carr, Julie McDowell, Holly Elensky,  
Dawn Fetterolf, Carol David, Tricia Smeal, Brandy O'Hare, Mark Mitchell

Submitted by:

Julie McDowell  
PTO Secretary