

PTO Board Meeting Minutes

April 5, 2016, 10:00 am

In attendance: J. Fargo, T. Maxton, S. Green, S. Hayes, S. Michael, T. Casarez, C. Gantt

Ms. Gantt:

- Discussed possible themes for next year.
- Only 46 days of school left this year.
- Yearbook club is requesting PTO purchase new cameras as the ones they have don't work. Approved by PTO board and PTO will purchase 4 new cameras.
- FSA testing will continue.
- Considering using PTO funds to buy another set of Ipads.
- Discussed positives of physical movement and activity for kids and encouraging kids to be active during recess. School is offering kids extra opportunities to move and be active.

Ms. Batista:

- Not in attendance but offered to sell tickets at Threshers game.
- She is continuing to work on career day

J. Fargo:

- Gave each 3rd, 4th and 5th grader testing spirit sticks at PTO expense. PTO has a lot of spirit sticks left for next year. Spirit Sticks will have to be managed by one person next year.
- Breakfast with Mom is 4/29. Staff will work event and school store. Cafeteria will need to be decorated the afternoon before. Flyers will go out 5/11.
- Field day volunteer forms will go out this week.
- Repainted school store. Ms. Fenton will paint the outside to look like a storefront.
- Will offer DVD for moving in ceremony for \$10.00.
- Kindergarten orientation will be 5/9 from 6-7.

S. Michael:

- Will start contest for spirit shirt for next year. -Election Ballot for PTO Board has been approved and will go out to families.
- Sharon will order spirit wear over the summer and someone else will distribute. Will also order bows, headbands and key chain bows. We still have water bottles and window clings from this year. May do spirit socks for next year. Discussed putting same design in the shirts and dry fit shirts. Will also do rhinestone shirts again.
- Will get bags from middle school for 5th grade moving on ceremony.

S. Hayes:

- Soup labels will be submitted and PE dept. will cash in points before program shuts down.

T. Maxton:

- Discussed theme for moving on ceremony.
- Stars needed for silhouettes.
- Kindergarten students will get "I'm a trailblazer now" shirt with registration.

T. Casarez:

-Not much response to karate event. Will attempt to advertise even better as its 100% profit for school.

S. Green:

-Went over field day and games. Discussed volunteer needs and set up.

-Discussed upcoming end of year dance and logistics of it.

-Discussed selling carnations for students to give teachers for teacher appreciation week.

-Discussed having a grill out next year for kick off of PTO for next year. Goal is for people to meet the board and get involved in PTO for the year. Tentative date 9/9/16.

Next meeting will be 5/3/16