

PTSA General Meeting Minutes ~ November 8 ~ 6:30 PM

I. Welcome

- Call to Order 6:30
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- Pledge of Allegiance
- Reading and approval of Minutes: motion to approve by-Keri Eckert seconds the motion- Renna Malanoski MOTION APPROVED
 Treasurer Report: motion to approve by Kaitlin Charles, seconds the motion- Rhonda Winans-Mitrik MOTION APPROVED
- Title I
- II. Audit Report
- III. Principal's Report- UPCOMING EVENTS:

Friday, Nov. 10- Veteran's day breakfast for students and family members Nov. 14- Jr. ROTC will present an assembly on vaping/ decision making for 4th & 5th grades Nov.17- Early Dismissal Nov.22 $\frac{1}{2}$ day Nov. 23- 27- Thanksgiving break Dec. 4-8-Santa Shop Dec. 6- Sensitive Santa Dec. 19-The school will be hosting an open house to view the decorated trees in halls. There will be various activities throughout the building, 4th & 5th grade chorus will perform. Dec 21-Polar express

- IV. President's Report- Amy posts all of the events on the PTSA Facebook page for the month. Monthly activities are pinned at the top. Other school related activities will be posted as well. School activities are also listed in the school newsletter which is shared from office. This comes out 1st Friday of each month. It can be found on the Middle School website.
- V. Upcoming Calendar Events: Santa shop, Polar express, Light-up Night (all listed above)
- VI. Old Business
- VII. Committee Reports:
 - Book Fair: February 12-15, Chair Amanda Minor, looking for co-chair- At the beginning of the school year, The PTSA gave the library \$2000. Since we still have Scholastic dollars in the bank, the PTSA would like to donate an additional \$800 to library- motion to approve by Mary Ellen Monack- seconds the motion Rhonda Winans-Mitrik
 - 6th 8th Grade Dances: Halloween October 25, 2023, 6-8 Chair Melissa Opalko- the dance was a success!
 Thank you to all that helped!
 - 6th 8th Grade Valentines Dance Friday February 9, 2024 We need someone to chair this event!!
 We need a chairperson by January or will we need to cancel the event.
 - 4th & 5th Grade Valentine Day event February 14th This event will occur during the school day, parents can volunteer to come in to help to run the games.
 - o Fun Day
 - 4&5 Grade: TBD
 - o 6th Grade: TBD
 - 7th Grade: TBD
 - 8th Grade: May 22, 2024
 - Fundraising Chair Ramona Mroz, Hoagie sale report: There was one student in 4th grade that sold 97 hoagies.
 He was the highest seller. Suggestions for the highest sales reward- 2 free admissions to Eden Park Skate

Rink as well as \$25 in Scholastic bucks. The motion to approve this reward was made by Kaitlin Charles. Keri Eckert seconds the motion. The next fundraiser- Texas Roadhouse Gift Cards. Letters will be distributed to go home Nov. 14. The forms will need to be turned in by November 28. The PTSA is also planning a spirit night fundraiser in January

The spirit wear sale that was going to be planned is going to be put on hold until the spring-DOES ANYONE HAVE ANY OTHER FUNDRAISING IDEAS?

- Legislative & Bylaws: looking for chair
- Membership: Chair Gina Englert- PTSA BOARD MEMBERS ANNOUNCED THIS AT THE MEETING: If there are students/ families that want to join the PTSA prior to an upcoming event, enrollment forms need to be submitted to the PTSA at least 1 week prior to the PTSA event.
- o Social Media/Communications: Amy currently doing this, looking for anyone who's willing to take over
- o Nominating- co-chairs Rhonda Mitrik & Jessica Parson
- Programs- looking for chair
- Reflections- looking for chair
- Holiday Shop Chair Amanda Minor, looking for co-chair
- Teacher Appreciation- looking for chair
- Skating Parties Chair Keri Eckert-
- Candy Grams -grades 4-5, in the past student activities did for 6-8, this year Nicole Sopko chair- Jessica Parsons-co-chair, additional helpers -Kaitlin Charles, Linda Poncoast
- Polar Express Lisa Urban chair- will need additional help
- VIII. New Business- none
- IX. Outstanding Items Chairs needed for several Committees
- X. Next Meeting ~ January 8, 2024 at 6:30 pm, no meeting in December
- XI. Meeting adjourned 7:07 PM

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