

PTO Meeting Minutes February 1st, 2018

Call to Order – 6:31 p.m.

Board

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Old Business - Catherine

- Penny Wars – total raised \$2351.
- Spirit Night at Wolves Head

Budget and Mini Grants - Debbie

- Latest budget; any new grants
 - Insurance paid
 - No new grants
 - Hoy grant \$133 (\$105 in grant) for kindness rocks; Debbie will talk to her.
- Mrs. Bench to update/clarify Ms. Douthett's grant request from last meeting
 - Mrs. Bench did try out requested stools with a Pre-K student. The student preferred the stool over chair. Eve will touch base with Ms. Douthett regarding details and different sizes. Mr. Marshall wants her to make sure they will be used after Media Center is remodeled.

New Business

- Father-Daughter Dance tomorrow
 - Mary is decorating, popcorn machine cleaned; precautions in place due to flu – if sick PTO will refund; 220 girls expected; Facebook post will be made regarding extra people not coming in to take pictures due to capacity concerns.
- Spirit Week next week in conjunction with Book Fair and Family Learning Night
- 1st Day School Supplies Lists - still need 3rd, 4th and 5th grade lists and Kindergarten.
- Parrish Parade Update – it's a go
 - Flyer will be sent home.
 - All attendees will need to pre-register so Shannon can have them sign a waiver to be turned into the Parrish Civic Association – When is this due? Morning of parade?
 - Working with Mrs. Juday re: Orffestra – she is working on a list of available students.
 - PTO to sponsor with insurance?
 - Mr. Marshall has \$200 for Shannon to purchase items to throw from float.
- Carnival Update – March 10th 11:00 am – 3:00 pm
 - Raffle Baskets/Silent Auction Items due February 20th
 - Ticket Sales Begin – February 26th
 - Preview of Baskets – week of March 5th
 - apc and Woodruff & Sons are Carnival sponsors (help cover cost of rentals) – Rock wall added
 - Water is possibly being donated – waiting for confirmation
 - FBI is going to help grill hotdogs like last year; just fixed popcorn machine stand
 - Pizza like last year

- Ice cream truck instead of Kona
- Several vendors have already applied; have a few more spots – genewittpto@gmail.com
- Bingo again this year (being run by Mrs. Cadle/Brack's class)
- Silent Auction items: fishing charter, 1-wk free art camp, tennis lessons, yoga classes, Rays tickets, theater tickets – also I9? Debbie is working on Swimtastic.
- Raffle Basket back on stage for preview like two years ago – need approval? Approved.
- Thank you to those teachers who are providing their time for the silent auction
- We will use the "Buy-Now" option again for Silent Auction
- Looking into accepting credit cards (using a Square)
- We like to have Superhero Day on Friday, March 9th like last year – need approval? Approved.
- Will really start promoting after Father-Daughter Dance tomorrow
- Debbie talked to Jump about performing; 11:30-12 or 1-1:30 are times available.
- Mrs. Cannon (Dawsey) for movie date as basket donation added.

Notes and Upcoming Dates:

February 2nd – Father-Daughter Dance, 6-8:30 pm

February 2nd – Box Tops due

February 5th – 9th – Book Fair and Spirit Week

February 7th – Early Out

February 8th – Family Learning Night

February 13th – Helping Hands

February 13th – Spirit Night at Culvers – 4th & 5th graders to help?

February 19th – No School

February 28th – Box Tops Due – may bump up as submission due on 3/1/18

*March 3rd – Parrish parade

*March 4th – Take Stock race – students get discount – will have Gene Witt team

Call to End Meeting – 7:09 p.m.