

PTSO Monthly Meeting Minutes

Month of February 2020

Meeting date February 20, 2020. Meeting was called to order by President Whiteside at 7:04am.

Attendance: Mr. Whiteside, Mrs. Griffis, Mrs. Chase-Novak. Mrs. Hull, and Mrs. Bevans.

Review of Secretary minutes from January meeting, minutes were accepted.

Treasurer report showing a total balance of \$3082.93 in account. Money projected to be deposited are: \$519.00 from the Valentine's Dance, \$100.00 from Kona Ice in January, \$143.00 check that came in from the remaining Yankee Candle online orders, and Tutoring Concession Snacks from the last month. After all the deposits are made to the account, we should have just under \$4,000.

Mr. Griffis handed out the calendar of events for the month of March.

Saturday School for February is Saturday, Feb. 22nd and March is scheduled for Saturday, March 28th.

Spring Break is March 16th through March 20th.

Monday, March 23rd is a Teacher Planning day so students will return to school on Tuesday, March 24th.

Report cards for the third 9-weeks will be sent home on Monday, March 30th.

Old Business:

End of Year trip will be on May 21st and the cost \$50.00 for students. The plans are to attend Bravos from 9-1 and this will include lunch at Bravos. From 2-4 attend the IMAX and watch the Hollywood feature film "Black Widow".

T-Mobile Hotspots are active and distributed to the students that needed them, there are still some hotspots available if any students have the need for one.

New Building is in the Pre-Construction pulling permit phase. There are barriers already in place to stop the use of the field in the back until the construction is completed. The completion date is projected to be October 2020.

Fundraising:

- Schoolstore.com launched on October 25th. As of date there have been no funds received. School Store is sending information to do a "relaunch" to the parents and families that do not complete online ordering or have internet access. It will be more of a mail in order type program.
- Amazon Smile is active and attached to the school account, it pays on a quarterly basis and as of date no money deposited. Once someone signs up to use the Amazon smile and they place an order with Amazon and not logged into Smile, it will prompt them to log in to smile to place the order. That is a nice feature to have to promote ordering to help donations for the school.
- Zaxby's dine-in day to be scheduled for a Tuesday evening
- Valentines Dance during the school hours was a huge success on a financial level so the recommendation is to have another dance for the same timeframe of 12:30-2 pm. Next dance is scheduled for Friday, March 13th from 12:30 to 2 pm with \$2 admission.
- Collecting Box tops for education- using digital app
- Collecting Coke caps and codes from 12 packs for coke rewards.
- Collecting gently used or new shoes

New Business:

7th and 8th grade students in their science classes are learning CPR. At the end of the course students will have the option to take the CPR exam and receive certification from the Red Cross for 2 years. The cost of the certification from the Red Cross is \$30.00 and is not mandatory to do. Students will have the option to take the test if they want. CPR testing dates will be announced after all classes has completed the CPR program.

Culinary Arts program has a need that they must have a commercial grade Range Hood to be able to use the stove in the classroom. Mr. Whiteside stated that if we exceed the amount of funds needed to pay the buses for the end of the year trip, he would like to see any remaining funds go towards the programs that need funding.

Next PTSO meting is scheduled for Thursday, March 26th starting at 7 am.

Meeting adjourned at 7:36 am LPCN