

## October 8, 2019 PTA Board Meeting Minutes

In attendance: Kathryn Ashton, Charlotte McBean, Crista Tovey, Cathy Jeppsen, Stephanie Patton, Michelle Blauer

Crista motion to approved September 10<sup>th</sup> minutes, Michelle second. Unanimous approval.

Teachers loved and appreciated the yummy food during parent teacher conferences. Charlotte will get thank you notes started to Costa Vida and Domino's pizza. Mrs. Ashton will look if there is a school photo we can include. Cathy asked if the Seminary teacher(s) is/are invited. Mrs. Ashton said they are invited, and she just needed a reminder to invite them.

Accreditation went well. Charlotte was not called to be interviewed. School might not find out official results for up to 45 days.

School discipline, so far, is down.

Red Ribbon Week is planned. The students would like to have a family Classic Skate Night on Oct. 28<sup>th</sup> and would need \$200 from the PTA (which is in the budget). The other day's activities include thank you notes to firefighters/police, "red out" day with candy and lunchtime activities, and a relaxing day with pjs and calming activities.

Budget is on track. No issues.

Fundraising is going well. A parent/guardian offered \$500 to the school (but no one was able to take the money at that time). Hopefully they will come back!

We made \$60.90 from concessions at the volleyball game. Michelle and Charlotte will set up concessions again at the first boys' basketball game on Oct. 22 at 2:30. Michelle will bring a cooler for ice. Mrs. Ashton will announce that there will be concessions so students will spend money on that and not Fiiz! Upcoming games: Nov. 5<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup>, 14<sup>th</sup>, and 21<sup>st</sup>.

We reportedly made \$295 from our school night at Panda Express. Our next one is Oct. 21<sup>st</sup> at Pizza Pie Café. Crista will double check the time and if we need a flyer to show. It will be posted across social media.

Holly Refinery donated \$500 and Ogden Clinic donated \$800 for a banner in the gym.

We have raised \$300 from donations on MyDSD. Stephanie just needs to ask Lori to request the check from the district.

The bid for the sound system was \$3565 but if we need an amplifier it will be \$4016. With the above funds, we are halfway there!

Membership dues are due Oct. 25<sup>th</sup>. It was thought that they would be automatically pulled from our account, but it has not happened yet. We have 64 members, 35 have been sent to state and nation. Michelle has the emails to enter now. It costs \$1 to send them electronically but considering the cost of the stamp if sent snail mail, it's worth it. Stephanie will check if she

needs to do something on our end. Also, it would be good to have info about where to sign up for the PTA on the awesome new posters that are up around the school.

Still uncertain if volunteers are needed for the vision screening. All 7<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup> graders will be tested. Mrs. Ashton will let us know as soon as she does.

Renaë will be in charge of creating sign-up geniuses when needed.

Veteran's Day: The choir will sing, and lunch will be provided at 1pm. Rumbi has agreed to donate rice, Crista will ask Texas Roadhouse for meat. A sign-up genius will be made for sides. We are expecting to feed about 50. It will be posted on Facebook to invite any Veterans we know.

The idea of charging for choir concerts was discussed. Considering that some people wait 1 ½ beforehand to get good seats, the idea of paying \$1 or \$2 and having a reserved seat and paying online is worthwhile. Concerns about having a block of seats empty was addressed by adding fine print of reservations only lasting until 5 min after the start time/after the first song.

Next meeting: November 12, 2019 at 4:00 pm.