

Sporting Hill PTO Meeting Minutes

August 21, 2018

Attendees:

Sarah Yerger, Camille Wenger, Tina Shehan, Matthew Cordier, Carl Jurcik, Jenni Gery, Denise Hirn, Nikolene Cole, Maria Petrilak, Chris Cain, Ashlee Zuvich, Trisha Fisher, Kevin Wehnau, Lindsay Proctor, Shea Looloian, Casey Huntington, Terry Zweiacher, Kristi Hoffman, Sherry Cunningham, Karissa Kramer, Jennifer McCoy, Nikki Heckard, Nicole Miller, Afolab Ishola, Yetunde Ishola, Trina Perva, Tara Schlenker, Chris Catania, Carrie Good, Brad Good, Dayl Lynn Shaddock, Cindy Heidelbaugh.

Opening:

Sarah Yerger, President, opened the meeting at 6:00pm. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited and introductions were made.

Correspondence: Thank you cards from some former teachers and feedback from Exploring Kindergarten were circulated.

Minutes: Minutes from the May meeting were reviewed. Motion to accept them was made by Nikki Heckard. Second: Ashlee Zuvich. All in favor.

Principal's Report: Presented by Dayl Lynn Shaddock

- Vision for this year is "Choosing to be the best version of me."
- 30 teachers received training this summer in using productive words.
- We have 4 new teachers, a new school counselor, music teacher, ESL teacher and building secretary.
- Mr. Seylar, the new music teacher, would like to direct a school play, "Annie" in the spring. Participation would be considered an after school club that would start in January. He is requesting \$550 to purchase the license. The discussion was tabled for a future meeting.

Treasurers Report: Presented by Camille Wenger

- Budget for 2018-19 school year was reviewed.
- The budget was formulated with less anticipated profit as well as fewer expenditures than last year due to losing staff and students to Winding Creek.
- Family activities category was broken down more.

Motion to approve the budget was made by: Jenni Gery. Second: Ashlee Zuvich. All in favor.

Old Business:

1. Chris Cain presented for Cub Scout Pack 196. This will be the first year for family scouting with girls included. Kickoff meeting will be held on August 28th from 6:30-8pm at the pavilion behind the pool in Hampden park. All are welcome to attend. The scouts will now be required to complete 1-3 hours of community service with the PTO. Kevin Wehnau will be taking over as Cubmaster next year.
2. Thanks to donations in memory of former teacher, Ginny Walters, Buddy Benches have been purchased and will be delivered tomorrow.

New Business:

1. Mrs. Proctor is requesting funds to purchase Rooted in Reading for first grade. This is a Comprehensive reading program. The PTO already approved funding for Rooted in Reading for second and third grades. The license and materials can be used every year. The manufacturers are releasing one month at a time at approximately \$80/mo. Motion to approve up to \$800 to fund Rooted in Reading for first grade was made by Jenni Gery. Second: Tina Shehan. All in favor.
3. Ms. Blaker is requesting earbuds for her 5th grade class. It was suggested that the PTO purchase a large quantity of earbuds to have available for all students in need and discussion followed. Motion to approve \$120 for 200 earbuds was made by Nikki Heckard. Second: Chris Catania. All in favor.

4. Race For Education will be held on Sept. 28. Our incentives are schoolwide this year in keeping with the new district policy. We have been soliciting annual sponsorships and so far have received \$1750 in sponsorships.
5. Updated Bylaws were reviewed. Wording was changed in some areas and the Cub Scout Pack is now represented in our Bylaws. Motion to approve the new Bylaws was made by Nikki Heckard. Second: Jenni Gery. All in favor.
6. The district calendar has the incorrect time for our PTO meetings. Meetings will start at 6:00pm, not at 7:00pm.

Motion to adjourn: at 7:05pm was made by Ashlee Zuvich. Second: Nikki Heckard. All in favor. The meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted by Cindy Heidelbaugh, Recording Secretary