

PTO Meeting Minutes  
8/16/22

-general introduction to the PTO by Jessica Wenzel

-future meetings will take place at 4:30 pm

-Lisa Hill explaining who the PTO is and what we do

- Support system for teachers
- Hosting fun events
- Mission statement
- By-laws
- Fundraisers
- Membership \$10/year per family
- Many volunteer opportunities
- A district approved volunteer background check is needed
- Let us know if you haven't been approved yet
- We hope you all will join!

-Calendar of Events with themes for each event

-Treasury approximately \$20,000 left over from last year

-Playground expansion

- Geared towards grades 3-5
- ADA ramps
- Bucket Balls
- Rock climbing
- Concrete to be poured in September or October; cost is \$8,000
- Sidewalk activities

-Finances by Andrea Ceely

- Explained last year's fundraisers and this year's upcoming fundraisers
- PTO funds are used used for office supplies, paper, and to make flyers
- Funds last year used for water bottle filling stations, fans in carloop and PE court, staff appreciation, sunshine state books, Read-A-Thon prizes, Planter in the courtyard, decorations for events, volunteer luncheon, water/lunches for volunteers during long events, DJs, and staff requests
- No cash or checks this year using ACORN
- 3% fee for using ACORN
- PTO will take a vote to approve spending
- Golf Fundraiser 100% will go towards the new playground
- Cookie Dough Fundraiser to Administration
- Step-it-Up Fundraiser to technology

- PTO wants families to see where their money is going

-Treasury Report from Danielle Meadowcroft as of 8/15/22 funds and costs

- Approximately \$13,935.80
- \$10,488.66 Step-it-Up
- \$8,000 concrete
- Read-A-Thon need more participation this year
- Spirit Wear \$3,000
- Golf \$295
- Popcorn \$529 (\$2,576 in payments)

-Spirit Wear Online Store

- Open now and in January
- Anticipated delivery 9/23
- SWAG days starting in October
- Coming up with a # hashtag for swagwear

-Alison Kampmann Golf Fundraiser

- \$120,000 for playground
- Need community involvement
- How can families help? Donate, business sponsor, play in tournament, donations, share it on social media
- Parent Question: Do we have a list of businesses already asked to sponsor?

-Spirit Nights Katie Hoover

- More budget friendly restaurants
- Some spirit nights on early release days

-Mr. Atkins Administration Updates

- We have a “dynamo” PTO Board
- They want to make sure you know where the money is going
- All for the kids
- Fans are helping!
- 5th day count at about 976 students
- Able to get a second full-time school counselor
- Two Assistant Principals
- Coming soon the All-Pro Dad’s Club-outstanding program
- District is removing Apple technology
- FAST-new testing platform; progress over time
- “A” school grade
- Cookie Dough Fundraiser will be used for more technology
- Goals is 1:1 devices and new doc cams

-Ideas for Themes for events

- Incredibles for mother/son
- Wooden Rose Beauty and the Beast
- Father daughter-Alice in Wonderland
- Previous ideas sent in email
- Dumbo for Spring Carnival
- Pancakes Princess and the Frog and Ratatouille
- Final vote on themes at next meeting

End of Meeting at 5:55 pm