

PTO MINUTES

Attendance:

Co-Presidents: Liz Harvey Co-Vice Presidents: Alena McClain and Tiffany Grebitus Financial Secretary: Christina Simpson Treasurer: Lisa Koelbel Secretary: Jamie Shaieb Principal: Michele Williamson Teacher: Kathy Steffano Amanda Divers Ben Glickman Shawna Hook

Liz Harvey called the meeting to order at 6:32pm via Zoom video.

Meeting Minutes

The February Board Meeting Minutes were reviewed. Alena McClain made the motion to approve the Board Meeting Minutes. Tiffany Grebitus seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

President's Report

Liz Harvey and the team is getting ready for Power the Power. A sign-up genius volunteer email will be sent out for volunteers to make and wave signs at the school during the week of Power the Power. The thermometer banner has been ordered and should arrive shortly. Liz thanked everyone who was able to attend the meeting regarding the PTO position available. Kari and Liz will be meeting with the Community team soon to discuss Teacher Appreciation Week. Liz has met with the other school's PTO Presidents to discuss Teacher Appreciation Week. She will follow-up with them again to discuss including Frontier teachers too. The 2021-2022 budget will be ready for review at the April Board Meeting.

Financial Report

Lisa reported the financials for February. The spreadsheet was simplified to only show upcoming budgeted items. Fall budgeted items were hidden. Music Instruction, Credential Volunteers, Athletic Support budgeted items will not be funded due to COVID restrictions. They are highlighted in yellow.

The following are the expenses this month:

- \$53 paid to Library
- \$796 paid to Greater Giving (split between Power the Paw and Virtual Auction)

The following is income:

- \$10 marquee
- \$185 Amazon
- \$114 Relish Dining for Dollars

Current Balance is \$121,667

Principal's Report

Mrs. Williams, teachers, and students have spent a lot of time for the Power the Paw video. Teachers and students were interviewed about special PTO funded programs. Dan Ogle is putting the video together and it should be ready soon.

Mrs. Williamson has been talking to plumber contractors in regards to the water bottle filling station inside the Ruppel center. The plumber requested for pictures of the back of the water bottle filling stations. Mrs. Williamson is waiting for confirmation from the contractors to ensure the equipment is good to install. They estimated the cost for installation would be around \$2,000. Mrs. Williamson is requested the District to pay for installation if PTO can pay for equipment. She will get confirmation from both the contractor and the District for payment and installation. Mrs. Williamson reviewed options for the outside water bottle filling station with the contractor. They are still working out the details and location.

Some of the school property has been vandalized using the school's golf cart. Rescue District was notified of damages. The District provided a new golf cart to help manage the school needs. Many panels around the Ruppel were damaged and new purple panels will added around the Ruppel and damaged panels will be replaced. Everyone is getting ready for the first day of all-day school. Signs have been ordered to greet the students back. All the teachers and staff are ready are prepped for all day classrooms.

Science Fair is coming up. The students will display their project in the Ruppel Center and the judges will come in after school hours to judge the projects. Mrs. Williamson will announce winners on Friday and celebrate the participants in their classrooms.

The 4th grade team will be hosting Pioneer Day in their classrooms.

Jamie Shaieb asked if Sierra Outdoor School (SOS) trip will be possible in the Fall. Mrs. Williamson is hoping the SOS center will be open to host a 5th grade SOS and a 4th grade SOS in the next school year.

There are concerns about State testing. We are unsure if the students will be required to take the state testing this year. Mrs. Williamson has reviewed the data from iXL, report cards, etc and the students are learning and striving, even in the hybrid model.

Spirit Wear Update

Liz updated that Amanda Avery and Julie Henning will have a sale on March 11.

Power the Paw

Alena McClain provided an update on Power the Paw. Two flyers will be going home with students. One flyer will be about business boosters and the other will be the donation letter request with envelopes. Alena McClain will be updating donation information 2-3 times a week. There will be a grade level prize not a classroom prize to include Frontier students. The prize will be an ice cream cone at Handel's Ice Cream in Folsom.

Instead of the regular thermometer, Kari was thinking of using a rainbow as the donation tracker.

Tiffany Grebitus sent out emails to business boosters on the March 1. She has been working with Candace Andujar on social media posts.

Dining for Dollars

Tiffany is still waiting for the Chick-fil-A check and Mountain Mike's Pizza is schedule for March 24.

Fund-A-Need

Alena is waiting to see if Jackson was awarded a grant from Raley's.

Alena provided a brief update about the water bottle filling station. She is waiting to see if there are enough funds. Alena will work on getting an official written quote from her

contractor so that Mrs. Williamson and Alena can work on getting the installation price lowered.

New Business/ Other Updates

Mrs. Williamson would like to have the April Board meeting in person in the Ruppel.

Liz Harvey adjourned the meeting at 7:09 PM. Minutes recorded by Jamie Shaieb.