

PTA General Membership Meeting
Thursday, September 22, 2022

i. Call to Order 7:04pm

ii. President's Report (Kim) PTA Overview – Went over the, PTA Does That? And, How Can You Help? Boards telling people what the PTA is all about.

iii. Vice President's Report (Kate) Fall Grants – Information will be going out in AAG for teachers, staff, and parents. Grant requests are due October 21st.

iv. Treasure's Report (Komal) Vote to approve budget for 2022-2033 year. Motion – Tara; 2nd – Amol. Budget approved. Starting balance is \$18,556.46. Our biggest fundraisers are Fun Run and Trivia Night. We raised membership to \$25 from \$20. We increased amount for teacher meals to \$800. Events so far, Ice cream social and back to school teacher meal, have come in under budget.

v. Membership (Amol) Ice Cream Social – was a great COMMUNITY event. Received a few new PTA memberships. Membership Numbers – Year over year, we are still behind pre-covid numbers and last years numbers. We need to make sure people are aware of what the PTA does. Non-Member Fees – Some PTA activities will have a charge for non-PTA members to participate (STEAM Night, etc.) Membership Ideas – Can we look at Fun Run signups to see who isn't a PTA member and contact?

vi. Secretary's Report (Landon) Minutes are accepted as is.

vii. Principal's Report (Amy Schultz) Boundary Changes – A lot of kids coming in and out of the school. The district (and school) goal is to build COMMUNITY and welcome new students. Large Class Sizes – what is the

plan to deal with large class sizes in 5th and 3rd grade? School is actively looking for an Enrollment Aid for 5th grade. The teachers in 5th grade will decide how to best use this person. Is this the last year for Esser fund for small class sizes for K-2? District sees value in having small class sizes and will look to continue that moving forward. LMC Air – will be done in spring. There will still be no air in gym and MPR. Playground Improvements – Coming this summer. Ours is 33 years old, so we should be getting a full teardown and rebuild.

viii. Chair Reports

a. Fundraising (Bridget & Kate) Spirit Wear – Waiting on logo contest winner. 106 entries. Order form will be coming next week. 5th grade rules shirt will be offered too. Paper and online option. Box Tops – Online App and scan receipts. Shipt (and other online shopping platforms) allow you to forward online receipt for Box Tops. Jess K will email Bridget a write up for us to send out. Amazon Smile – Sign up. Kate P just sent out a write up. Trivia Night – More info to come after the new year. Dine & Donate – Portillos Novemebr 3rd, 20% and Noodles and Co date TBD. Fun Run – October 22nd. Thank you to sponsors in attendance. \$10k Mr. LeCrone will get slimed. We would love to make more than that. Pushing the event on announcements, alumni sites, etc. Nothing Bundt Cakes – will do two times this year. Dates TBD.

b. Social (Lisa & Kim) There are a lot of great events coming up this year. We still have a few open positions to fill like Multicultural night, Movie night, Kinder time capsule, etc.

c. Educational Enrichment (Open) We are looking for a Standing Chair. We are also looking to fill a few positions ASE, Reflections, Science Fair, Spelling Bee, etc.

d. School Morale (Kelly) Popcorn will be starting up soon (Oct 12th). Signups should go out soon. Looking for a chair for talent show. No chair for Talent Show.

e. Service (Tara) Ran through all of the committees under service. All positions are filled.

ix. IPPC Report (Bridget) Tally thinks there was a really positive start to the year...except at Watts where $\frac{3}{4}$ of all the SPED team was out at the same time. District Coat and Food drive going on. Coats will be picked up tomorrow. My Stop – the district transportation app can be downloaded now. \$500Kk Grant – for mental health was given to the district. Meeting at Metea on October 15th. SEL Ambassadors are Erwin and Brandt. They are still working to figure out how to use the money to support Watts. New Educational Equity Director will be introduced soon.

x. PDAC Report (Megan) No meeting yet

xi. PDAC ADAPT (Jessica) Calendar for the year has not been published yet. We will send out when it is. Meetings are usually themed.

xii. IPPA Report (Joe) No meeting yet.

xiii. Meeting Adjourned 8:20pm