

PTO Minutes

March 11, 2015

Attendance

Brittnee Pierce – President	Kyle Boeglin
Juli Watkins – Vice President	Jessica Booth
Shannon Brandow – Treasurer	Melissa Harrison
Alysha Herrera – Co-Secretary	Vicki Kravitz
Patti Magby – Principal	Kim Krueger
Kate Nickols – Art Teacher	Kristi Moore
Amy Osborne - Technology	
Cindy Russell – School Registrar	

Welcome & Introductions – Brittnee Pierce

Principal Report

- Patti informed parents that the 3rd-6th grade classes were in the middle of Parcc testing, and that we only had a few students from each grade opt out.
- Enrollment for the 2015/16 school year was reviewed and currently numbers are just a little lower than projected but we expect to have some growth over the summer. Current projection is 476

Teachers Report / Specials Teachers: Kate Nichols (Art) & Amy Osborne (Technology)

- Kate passed around examples of Glass Fusing projects from 2nd Grade students from their Cause and Effect unit for Artful Learning. Students used broken glass pieces layered, and fired in the kiln to show Cause & effect. Kate was able to use her PTO Grant money for the glass and also to purchase Glass Cutters so that the older grades can also work on their own glass projects.
- Amy is leading classes for fellow teachers, to show them how to incorporate technology into their Artful Learning units. In each class, teachers are given a challenge to complete. Some challenges have included Chatterpix, imovie, & Thinglink. At least one teacher from each grade level has attended each class.

Presidents Report – Brittnee Pierse

- Brittnee is working on the Fun Run, and will get the Sign Up Genius posted on Facebook soon. The run is currently scheduled for April 28th, with a rain date of April 29th

Vice President Report – Juli Watkins

- Juli is still working on the Rebranding. Juli, Patti, & Kim and decided that the rollout will be at the beginning of the 2015/16 school year.
- King Soopers & Safeway Cards are being promoted, and office staff will be present during conferences to sell cards.

PTO Policies/Minutes –Alysha Herrera

- The PTO Book is available at any time at the front office, and contains all minutes & financials from previous PTO meetings.
- Parking Pass drawing slips passed around.

Treasurer Report – Shannon Brandow

- The Winter Social for the K-4th Graders, and also the 5th & 6th Graders has been closed out.
- Donuts with Dad event went well, and raised almost enough from donations to cover the cost of the event. The cost was \$129.59 and we received \$120.02 in donations.
- King Soopers check was received from reloadable cards in the amount of \$356

Teachers Dismissed

Open Forum

- Brittnee reviewed the vacancy revision to the PTO by-laws and read new verbiage. The revision was voted on and approved unanimously.
- Minutes for the February meeting were reviewed, voted on, and approved unanimously.
- Funds used to promote King Soopers, & Safeway card promotion not to exceed \$350, reimbursed to Juli Watkins. Voted on, and approved unanimously.
- Brittnee reviewed PTO Board Recruitment for the 2015/16 school year. Parents were given a packet with the positions and duties outlined. A version will also go home in Friday folders.
- Parking pass drawn, Juli Watkins won.

Meeting Dismissal

