



## PTO Meeting November 29<sup>th</sup>, 2017

**Attendees:** Juli Watkins (President), Tanya Noble (Vice President), Shannon Brandow (Treasurer), Alishia Sandecki (Secretary), and Nikkole Anderson (Staff Member at Large)

**Staff:** Jen Bass (Assistant Principal), Carrol Eschen (P.E.), Cindy Carrier (Music), the 6<sup>th</sup> grade team: Shanequa Baker, Brandi Tsuchimoto, and Michelle Whitesell

**PTO Members:** Carrie Iverson, Laura Tapparo, Heather Myhr, Lee Oliver, Nichole Heisser, Kyle Boeglin, Don Wick, and Ashleigh Farrell

- **Call to order**
- **Principal's Report- Jen Bass (Lacey was absent)-**
  - Artful Learning Night December 7<sup>th</sup> from 5:30-7:30. We will have musical performances in the gym, video in the library, maker space will be on display, and refreshments in the cafeteria sending out notifications and brochure sent home on Friday.
- **Teachers' Report- 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Team- Shenequa Baker, Brandi Tsuchimoto, and Michelle Whitesell**
  - Working on diversity. Bobby Flay, we had district chefs come in and show different foods.
  - Studying Latin America and Canada. They had to research the cultures of Latin America: Mayan, Inca, and Aztec and had to make a mask using symbols from the culture of their choice. Then they studied the significance of Canadian Totem Poles and had to make one of their own about family members.
  - Physical Science. Periodic tables and the atom. They made a 3D model of an atom from one of the elements.
- **Officers' Reports**
  - **President- Juli Watkins-**
    - Fun Run is finally wrapped up, the kids loved the slideshow of their night spent at the school. We should have a break out of costs by the end of the year.
    - Raising Cane's Spirit Night on 11/30/2017
    - Fall Festival went well, but we are looking for another way to recruit volunteers.
    - Rink at the Rock is official: January 18<sup>th</sup>, 2018 from 4-8, 15% goes back to the school.
    - Scrip Program is up and ready we are just going over some final technicalities and you can order cards at anytime by contacting Juli or Shannon.
  - **Vice President- Tanya Nobel-** Nothing new to report
  - **Secretary- Alishia Sandecki-** The PTO binder with the past minutes and bylaws are in the school office and are available upon request.
  - **Treasurer- Shannon Brandow-** Shannon went over the budget expenses and revenue.
- **Minuets/ Review of Minutes from 10/25/2017- [Voted among members and was approved \(16:0\)](#)**
- **Grant Requests-**
  - **Carol Eschen- P.E., replace broken/ worn down equipment (\$1,000) - [Voted among members and was approved \(16:0\)](#)**
  - **Cindy Carrier- Music, purchase books for 1<sup>st</sup> grade to support the Legacy Artful Learning Unit (\$60) - [Voted among members and was approved \(16:0\)](#)**
  - **Cindy Carrier- Music, replace broken speaker and sound system and auxiliary items (Broken down at \$650 and \$1,473) - [Voted among members and was approved \(16:0\)](#)**
- **New Business**
  - **Scrip Program-** let us know if you are interested.



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- **Teacher Dismissal**
- **Committee Breakout & Discussion of Immediate Needs (5-10 minutes)**
- **Monthly Drawing for Parking Spot-** This month's winner of the drawing is: Heather Myhr!