

PTO Meeting Minutes

Monday, January 11, 2021 6:00 pm Zoom meeting

Agenda

- 1. Attendees
 - a. Julie Johnston PTO chair
 - b. Julie Gladnick Secretary
 - c. Amy Odell Principal
 - d. Jody Hyde 3rd grade parent, CSC Co-president
 - e. Carra Morris Community Co-Chair
 - f. Kris Heilbron- 4th grade teacher, teacher PTO rep
 - g. Jessica Sigala- 5th grade parent, Corporate Sponsorships
 - h. Michele Macarone- 1/4th parent
 - i. Tom Romer, CSC Secretary
 - j. Jennifer Knowles, 1st and 3rd grade parent, Staff Appreciation lead
- 2. Call to order
- 3. December minutes approved
- 4. Principal's Report
 - a. Return to School
 - i. 26% of students stayed remote. Transition back to school today was really great!
 - ii. Students are welcome for a one-time switch back to return in-person, as well.
 - iii. One Para resigned last week who had been on medical leave.
 - iv. Rehired a new para same day! She starts 1/12/21 with gifted ed experience!
 - v. All other staffing remains as is.
 - b. All of our 3 boilers were serviced over break and fully functioning!

- c. Assessments
 - i. Access testing starts this week (state-required) for English language learners
 - ii. CMAS is still on the radar but leaders trying to punt it. Staying tuned for updates.
- 5. Teacher Report- Kris H
 - a. Kris' maternity leave starts March 1 and will find a teacher rep replacement for PTO meetings.
- 6. CSC Report- Jody
 - a. Meeting on Friday this week.
- 7. Treasurer's Report (Julie J)
 - a. Monthly financial update
 - i. Great December thanks to CO Gives. Back on pace to what we raised this time last year. YAY!
 - ii. Still owe school 30k for para salaries.
 - iii. \$34,666 raised in December to bring us to 56% for goal of the year
 - iv. \$700 raised from Minted! Checks coming in from Supperbell and others, as well.
 - v. Corporate Sponsorships-Jessica
 - 1. Jessica is following up with past sponsors and available for contact for new sponsorships. Goal is to get at least half of last year.

8. New Business (Carra and Julie)

- a. Read-a-thon
 - i. Decided on 99Pledges that would include a spreadsheet of parent emails and they would help set up our accounts.
 - ii. CC processing fee is the only cost, other donations come straight back to school!
 - iii. Incentives within school- bragging rights, pj party, gift cards?
 - iv. Kris H and Amy O agreed teachers and school could get involved for a Friday reading day.
 - v. Brainstorming around 2/12 right before break for "We Love Reading" Valentine's Day Event, Feb 1- Feb 12.

10. Adjournment 6:37 pm