

Pleasant Ridge Montessori PTO

Meeting Minutes

March 14, 2017

Meeting #8

Meeting was called to order at 6:37pm by Katie Thompson and Erin Fay. There were 13 individuals in attendance.

1. Minutes
 - a. February - Megan Jones motioned to approve, Sara Bourge seconded, approved
2. Ice Breaker
3. Thank yous: Restaurant of the Month, Donation for 9-12 students to see Hidden Figures, Amy Harris and Sarah Kline for Basketball
4. Principal Jenny not able to attend PTO Meetings
5. CLC Report - Becca Allen- YMCA - (Meredith's former position) reading lab program, 21st Grant this is the last year of the three years - looking into sustainability for reading lab
6. Teacher Reports
 - a. 3-6 spring math assessments after break, picnic May 24th, dress warm, K finished MAP tests
 - b. 6-9 AIR Assessments, Zoo May 23rd
 - c. 9-12 stay focused and on track for state testing, Homework given and due on Wednesday, Social Studies is working on Link Project
 - d. Art Club- K finished buildings, 6-9 pinch pots, 9-12 MC Tessellations
 - e. Outdoor Ed- planting outdoors - dressed for the weather
 - f. Gym- Jump Rope for Heart- \$5300 - third highest school, wear gym shoes
 - g. Music - K opposites, 3-6, 6-9, 9-12 - Variety Show is April 19th
7. Foundation
 - a. Annual fund party raised almost \$16,000; challenge grant raised \$5,000 (increased from \$9,000)
 - b. Pancake dinner this spring- possibly combo with the Cub Scouts
 - c. New grants will be applied to next year
 - d. Arts, music, technology
 - e. Every other year the foundation sells bricks - will be selling this year, not next
8. LSDMC - no update
9. ILT
 - a. most teams were on board with mindful music and will check to see if they can start in August

- b. Sustainability for outdoor education
- c. Academic night - school wide projects, capstone, science fair
- d. Transition teacher - need feedback for job description - funding for gifted and the transition teacher are still being worked out
- e. Dates: 3-6 meet and greet Aug. 13, 3-6 Parent/Guardian Night August 10th
- f. Cell Towers - 3 requests - about \$40,000 available
 - i. Art - art club
 - ii. Blessings in a backpack program
 - iii. Mentoring/Tutoring Program - First Generation Leaders of America

10. Treasurer

- a. Financial Report
- b. Add Kroger Rewards is increasing
- c. Al reviewed the bank statements from January
- d. Burgers and Beers - over \$500 - Silverton Cafe donated part as well
- e. Delhi Palace - \$250
- f. Fundraising needs - we need help
- g. Supply list - online order system can be for individual teachers
- h. LaRosa's Cards
- i. Spaghetti Dinner - need volunteers
- j. March Madness

11. Boosters

- a. Thank you to those who helped with the PR3
- b. Track
- c. Soccer
- d. Little Roadrunners - co-ed
- e. Flying Pig - Hog Jog, reading lab
- f. Golf Outing - May 7th
- g. Kid Glove Game - 200 tickets - \$12 tickets (\$10 in equipment) - Mid April

Meeting Adjourned @ 9:14pm

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