

Penny Road PTA General Meeting

Minutes

Date: November 19, 2019

Time: 6:31 om

I. Meeting is called to Order by Andrea Finucane

- A. Welcome: Andrea Finucane and Mrs. Williams (Assistant Principal)
- B. Talk by Mrs. Feldman, Principal at Dillard Drive Middle School

II. Approval of September minutes: Andrea Finucane

- A. Motion to approve the minutes: Sara Concini with a second: Amber Olah

III. Treasurer's Report: Amber Olah

- A. Review of account balances through October 31, 2019. Total= \$47,013.87
- B. Review of sources of income as well as expenses since last General PTA meeting

IV. Principal's Report- Mrs. Hoke

- A. Mrs. Hoke was unavailable for the meeting
- B. Updates delivered by PTA President Andrea Finucane
 - 1. New TV panels will be purchased to replace outdated/failing smart boards for remaining classrooms in Grades 3-5.
 - 2. Kindergarten tours will begin in January
 - 3. Girls on the Run is beginning to wrap up and registration will soon be open for a Spring season.
 - 4. Mrs. Hoke would like families to admire the artwork hanging around the building thanks to the hard work of our students and art teacher.
 - 5. *Reading Revolution* program is going on. If each student registers three more books in the system than the school becomes eligible to win a field trip to a Carolina Hurricanes practice.

V. Committee Reports

A. Fundraising: Barb Wright

- a. Boosterthon Fun Run raised nearly \$26,000.00 exceeding our goal of \$20,000.00.
- b. Spirit Events have been well attended and successful. Next one is scheduled for November 20th at Chipotle. 25% of sales will be returned to the school.

B. Education- Joy Mega (delivered by Andrea Finucane)

- a. Food Drive to benefit Urban Ministries is going on from Tuesday, 11/9-Friday, 11/22. Donations will be given to Urban Ministries of Wake County.

C. Programs- Amy Toland

- a. V.P. of Programs Kerry Lipitz had to step down from her position due to a pending move. Amy Toland volunteered for the role and was voted in by the PTA Executive Board on Thursday, November 14th.
- b. Next program will be NC State's STEAM night to be held on Thursday, January 23rd at 6:00 pm.

D. Communication- Kimberly Sporrer

- a. Penny Road PTA Facebook engagement has been strong.
- b. Konstella use was promoted and encouraged.
- c. PTA website has been updated.
- d. Panda Pulse continues to go out weekly. Thank you to Tiffany Gibb for your work!
- e. Reminder that the carpool sign will be updated as events and things come up.
- f. Mrs. LeRoy has begun working on our Yearbook. More info will follow

E. Special Programs- Beth Potts

- a. Thank you to all who have been assisting with Hospitality.
- b. Staff Appreciation Week is scheduled for the week of February 24th

F. Volunteers- Sara Concini

- a. Food For Friends program is up and running. If anyone would like more information or would like to participate, please contact Sara Concini.
- b. Ground clean up is planned for the Spring.

VI. New Business: Andrea Finucane

- A. Sweetheart Dance is scheduled for Friday, February 7th
- B. Stephanie Hall has agreed to serve as the PTA's Advocacy Chair.

Upcoming dates to remember: See agenda and website for more info