

11-14 General Meeting Minutes

Members present: Liz Bayer, Laura Nagrant, Terri Hurbis, Stephanie Barkman, Tim Boyer, Cara Friend, Gasper Rubino, Mary Ballard, Jason Kohl, Christina Hipp, Lyndsey Wolfe, Jenny Kowalkowski, Jamie Schwartz, Al Sykes, Kristin Smith, Diana Dyer, Katie Koster, Diana Vermeulen, Jenese Reynolds-Gibbs, Alicia Hetu (virtual), Jen Stark (virtual), Sarah Meng (virtual), Jane Bofferding (virtual), Renee Mitchell (virtual), Jen Holt (virtual), Jen Livingston (virtual)

Meeting called to order at 7:05

Secretary Liz Bayer confirmed a quorum of over 10 members present

Dr. Kimberly Martin (DEI Coordinator for Royal Oak Schools) presented at PTA Meeting

School Board Liaison- Allison Sykes

Sinking fund passed

Long range planning meeting is November 30 6-8

High School musical is this weekend they will be doing Chicago

MLK Day will be held in Berkley this year

On the website is a presentation about culturally responsive novels and how we select them

Check the website for community events coming up

Teacher's Report- Kristin Smith

Kids have enjoyed Halloween events

Report cards were posted on Mi-Star

Exploring an event at Addams for MLK Day

Principal's Report- Tim Boyer

Enjoying getting to know everyone at Addams

Ribbon cutting ceremony tomorrow at 6pm

Officers Reports

President- Terri Hurbis

Many opportunities to take a leadership role are available.

Secretary- Liz Bayer

Minutes from October meeting were presented. Paige made a motion to approve, Kristin seconded, all members present approved.

Treasurer- Laura Nagrant

Treasurer's report for October of 2022 was presented

Laura moved to approve additional \$600 for bus cost for 4th grade field trip. Jenny K seconded.
All members present approved

Membership- Paige

We are at 150 members

Fundraising- Jen and Stephanie

We raised \$53,884.74. We are rolling out Fun Run incentives currently. Upcoming are pie the principal this Friday, all school pizza party on Monday, slime the staff will be December 2nd, lunch with a teacher and friend will be December 5, school lip lync contest will be in January 20. This Wednesday is Vera Asian fundraiser
December is Great Lakes Pot Pie fundraiser December 15-17

Communications- Gasper and Cara

A new PTA website will be rolled out
Remember to send Gasper any updates you want in the newsletter

Committee Reports:

Conference Food- Jenese- Sign up genius for items needed almost all covered. Lunch and dinner will be provided this Thursday.

Talent Show- Christina Hipp- Tentative date of February 24. January 15 will be last day to sign up for talent show. Auditions will be first week of February. Rehearsals will tentatively be on February 23. 5th grade act is being organized as well. Rehearsals will be Tuesday after school in January and February.

Book Fair- Laura Nagrant- November 30th will be preview and parenting shopping, followed by class shopping December 1 and 2.

Pixie Shop- Mary Ballard and Diana Vermeulen- The Pixie Shop will be held Thursday December 8th after school, coming along well so far. We are still looking for someone to offer a photo booth. We discussed offering churros to purchase.

Lost and Found- Paige Bradley. Items are being photographed and posted on FB. Whatever isn't claimed is donated. We are also discussing moving the lost and found to the parent lobby.

Old Business:

*Playground equipment will be forming a committee to explore equipment to replace former "flying cheese." Mr. Boyer and Jen Stark will work together to start this process.

*Indoor Recess bins- Paige presented that bins will be ready to go soon.

DEI will be meeting virtually on November 29th at 7pm

*Meeting adjourned at 8:44

Liz made motion to adjourn, Cara seconded, all members present approved