

May PTA Meeting

May 3, 2018

The meeting was called to order by PTA President, Kristin Zauel, at 7:04pm.

25 people were in attendance.

Minutes Review

Kristin Zauel

- Motion made to accept minutes. Motion was seconded and approved on a voice vote.

Business Matters

Kristin Zauel

- A slate for next year's officers was voted on and approved on a voice vote.
PTA Slate of Officers
President: Jami O'Neill
Vice President: Karen Horvath
Treasurer: Amy Morgan
Secretary: Carolyn Brace

The new officers will start in June after the last PTA meeting and final approval.

- There are a few open chair positions available. All chair positions include reserved seating at school events like concerts and sixth grade graduation.

Open chair positions include:

*Directory (can be completed at home)

*Hospitality: includes all the parties, lunches, breakfast for the teachers and staff. Teachers are always happy to see the hospitality chair!

*Cultural arts chair to plan a few assemblies (fairly easy committee).

- The carnival was very successful and we are so thankful to Denise Siderys for all her hard work. There have been many positive comments about this year's carnival. It was a group effort and many people chipped in to make it such a wonderful event.
- School supply boxes are available online and ready to be ordered. Last year they sold out so if people want a box they should buy it sooner rather than later. 10% goes of the purchase price goes to the PTA.

Treasurer's Report

Amy Morgan

- \$16,000 was raised at the carnival. \$1500 raised in T-Shirt sales in the past month. Total raised this month was \$18,000. The PTA has a balance of \$21,642.88. With the club money included the total is \$31,921.

Committee Reports

Jami O'Neill

- Carnival went very well. The photo booth had trouble so they refunded the payment. Many thanks to the teachers and staff for donating their time and experiences.
- Spiritwear has no planned events for the rest of the year but please reach out to Jami O'Neill to purchase shirts before the end of the school year.
- Reflections: Cherilyn McCall will continue on as chair.
- Science Fair: Karen Horvath will continue as chair and Kristin Zauel will join.
- Rewards: We just received a check for \$1000. BoxTops can still be turned in and Amazon Smile is still available for rewards.
- Hospitality: Next week is Teacher Appreciation as well as Cafeteria Worker week and School nurse week. We need donations for May and June student of the month. We will ask Connie Fontenot to put the sign up genius link for the student of the month breakfast on the website.
- The school supply boxes will arrive one or two weeks before school and we need someone to meet them when they are delivered at Sangster. It is a really easy job.
- Volunteer Coordinator: Nichole Fitzpatrick will resend the sign up genius for student of the month breakfasts and there is a sign up genius out for the teacher luncheon next week.
- There is an opening next week for the glass case and we hope to put in an advertisement for Sprouts School Supplies.
- Priority Seating: Contact Michelle Nocerito if you chair a committee and need priority seating for an upcoming concert or event.
- The new MSG PTA liaison will be Kim Redelsheimer

Principal's Update

Lisa Reddel

- The Sangster website is being updated.
- 90 laptops have been given to Sangster and are being inventoried. Likely our next technology wave will be replacing projector bulbs.
- This year has had a school focus on math and it will continue to be a focus for next year.
- Tentative Math Family night for October 18th.
- The school is busy all summer with many groups using the facilities.
- New teachers are being interviewed and hired for next year. We have a stellar staff at Sangster! Most teachers leaving are moving out of state or retiring.
- Principal provided latest staffing updates for the 2018-19 school year. Further updates will be provided at the June PTA meeting and a letter to the community with names of staff members leaving and new staff members joining Sangster will be sent home on June 7, 2018
- Tentative date for the Open House for the 2018-2019 school year is Monday, August 27th. School starts Tuesday, August 28th.
- Third grade math kits have been delivered. 4th grade advanced math is done. 4th grade math will be delivered soon. People are volunteering in school and at home to work on the kits. Teachers have found them to be really helpful.

- Honk! was a wonderful production! We are very grateful to Ms. Lambert.

Meeting was adjourned at 7:50pm.