

McIntyre Elementary School PTSO Meeting

May 12, 2021

Meeting Minutes

The meeting was called to order at 6:31 p.m. by Co-President Stephanie Francis. Board members in attendance were: Co-President Jodi Golis, Vice President Heidi Scarsella, Vice President April Witkowski, Secretary Michelle Hollenberger, and Treasurer Jody Henry. The meeting was held virtually through Google Meet.

MINUTES: Jodi Golis made a motion seconded by Jody Henry to approve the minutes from April's meeting.

PRINCIPALS REPORT: Mrs. Spingola reported that PSSA testing has been completed. In the 10 days left of school, there are many fun activities planned. This past week, the 5th grade class was able to have track and field day. On May 17th, a virtual assembly has been planned for all grade levels. In the afternoon, students will participate in field day, planned by the student council. It will be a mixture of outside and inside activities. The activities will focus on kindness, compassion and growth mindset. Mrs. Spingola also reported that it was announced today that each student would receive two tickets for family members to attend the 5th grade celebration. The celebration will also be live-streamed to accommodate additional family members.

APRIL FINANCIALS: Jody Henry gave the treasurers report. The beginning balance for the month of April was \$42,060.50. Income for November was from 5th grade car wash sales and donations. Expenses for November included the 5th grade sweatshirts. The PTSO balance was \$44,664.55 as of April 30th. Income for the month of April included some small fundraisers such as Silver Graphics and Spirit Wear. The major expense in April was the purchase of the 5th grade track and field day tee shirts.

FUNDRAISERS: Stephanie Francis reported the Silver Graphics art fundraiser is still open until June 30th. This summer we are going to host a school supply sale beginning in July. Next year's beginning fundraisers of KidStuff books and the Walk-a-thon were also discussed. Mrs. Spingola is going to look into if we will be able to send how the KidStuff books with students this year.

APRIL REVIEW: Stephanie Francis reported that the photo mini sessions went well. She also shared that McIntyre participated in decorating the hilltop for the Holiday Night Lights. The event was a success. Stephanie also reported that Gift Crowd was available for families to use to purchase holiday gifts for teachers and staff. Teachers were able to use money collected to purchase their own gift cards. We may be using this again for the end of the year. Stephanie Francis shared that the PTSO has been collecting pictures for the yearbook. Pictures can be submitted through google forms located on the flyers through Peachjar.

EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING: Jodi Golis reported there had not been an executive meeting since the last PTSO meeting.

5TH GRADE COMMITTEE: Jodi Golis reported that the 5th grade is currently selling Zroni Rolls. Jody Henry reported that the 5th grade has approximately \$860 in their account. The car wash coupons still need to be paid for. Jodi Golis shared that they are looking to do a Moe's taco kit sometime in the Spring.

NEW BUSINES: Stephanie Francis shared that we are looking to use our Chic-Fil-A credit for teacher meals this Spring. She also reported that we received a \$500.00 grant from Walmart and we are hoping to use that towards a second tower garden. Kara James shared that she is looking into ways of running Kids of Steel virtually with a possibility of doing live Zooms every other week and providing other activities on the off weeks.

FUNDRAISING: April Witkowski shared that the Sarris Candy sale provided a profit of \$1,978.46. \$169.79 of that goes to the 5th grade committee. Stephanie Francis shared that we got \$100 Scholastic Bucks from the online book sale.

REWARDS PROGRAMS: Passive fundraising includes (Chick-fil-A receipts, Shop 'n Save, and Box Tops) We are looking into details for a new Coke rewards program.

UPCOMING EVENTS: Upcoming Spirit Nights: January 17th Applebees, Five Below February 20-27th.

Next meeting is February 10, 2021 at 6:30 p.m. (virtually)