

Bellaire PTO Meeting

April 2018 General Meeting Minutes

Date, Time, and Location: Tuesday, April 10 at 6:30 pm in the art classroom

Meeting called to order by Fern-Marie Dempsey

Attendance Katie Spencer, Angela Lane, Kerin Corcoran, Amanda Moore, Carol Smith, Fern-Marie Dempsey, Sally Lynn Kerstetter, Katie Bordner, Kristi Focht, Jamie Reiber, Sara Walker, Katie Brenneman, Jeff Bell, Blythe Foreman

Principal's Report: Jeff Bell

- PSSAs- shorter in length this year. One less day for each subject.

Treasurer's Report: Amanda Moore

- Overview of checking and savings account

Old Business:

- Book Fair: This one was not as successful as years past- due to weather (snow- early dismissal and two hour delays). Over \$4000 worth of sales. We earned enough scholastic dollars to pay for the scholastic news next school year. We earned extra 10% of scholastic dollars- we earned an extra \$600 in scholastic dollars.
Fall Fair for 2018- Enchanted Forest. Carol Smith and Amanda Moore will co-chair. Most likely will be beginning of October.
- Spiritwear- merchandise anticipated arrival around April 23. Looking for chair to take charge of Spiritwear orders for next year.
- Spring Fling- Friday, April 13 at 6:30 pm. Family event- students must be accompanied by a parent. Doors close at 7:00 pm.
- Color Run- envelopes due Monday, April 16. Only have 33 people signed up right now.

New Business:

- Request donation for SPY- Summer Program for Youth. Requesting information from Mrs. Evans for potential camps to support Bellaire students directly. Will vote on donation when more information is available.
- Car Show Parking- Ford Car Show- Bellaire and Crestview- August 3-4. Will need 24 volunteers.
- Teacher Appreciation Week- May 7-11 (No school on May 11) Teacher Appreciation Luncheon- Tuesday, May 8 (Day 1). Katie Spencer and Blythe Foreman will take charge! Will use money in budget.
- Teacher Requests:
 - Mr. Morrow- requesting for PTO to cover \$150 for the dunk tank. Last year we paid \$100 and he paid \$50. Will contact him and request for more options.
 - Kindergarten is requesting to use the surplus from the 5th grade field trips. Motion to vote: 5th grade field trip funds will be used to cover the Kindergarten field trips. Sally Kerstetter, Seconded Carol Smith. Majority vote.

- Motion for surplus from 5th grade field trips to be put into the 5th grade party budget. Motioned by Angie Lane. Seconded by Amanda Moore. Unanimous vote.
- Nominations and Voting for PTO position:
 - Kerin Corcoran, 1 year
 - Sara Walker, 2 year
 - Katie Brenneman, 2 year
 - Kristi Focht, 2 year
 - Jamie Reiber, 2 year
 - Sally Lynn Kerstetter, 2 year
 - Blythe Foreman, 1 year
 - Amanda Moore, Treasurer for 1 year

Nominated by Katie Bordner, seconded by Angie Lane

 - Majority vote for Amanda Moore for Treasurer
 - Majority vote for Kerin Corcoran, Sara Walker, Katie Brenneman, Jamie Reiber and Kristi Focht for Board Members

Parent/Teacher comments, questions, concerns:

-Earth Day walk to school with Mr. Bell- Monday, April 23.

Meeting adjourned 8:05 pm

Minutes compiled by Blythe Foreman