

## ISD PTA Meeting Minutes

March 5, 2018

Submitted by Jill Boen

Meeting Attended By: Carin Gulstrand, Agne Smith, Marcela Perez-Abreu, Greg Gailen, Mila Horak, Brooke Youngdahl, Andrea Orest, Melissa Dressley, Bill DeWitt, Emily Marshall, Jackie Dillenbeck

### Meetings

- Monthly meetings this year
  - Meet at 6 p.m. at School (ECFE Room): April 9
  - Meet at 4 p.m. at School (ECFE Room): May 7

### Reading Olympics

- A bit hit! Over 150,000 minutes were read by grades K-5, 9, and staff. Prizes cost on average \$30 per grade and \$30 to staff.

### Fundraising

- Tiny Lights was a great success. We raised over \$900. Thank you to all who helped. Let's do this again next year.

### Book Fair – Paws for Books Theme

- Pk-8<sup>th</sup> grade material
- During week of conferences. Tuesday-Thursday, March 6-8 from 3:30-6:30 p.m.
- Amanda trained in book fair volunteers during today's meeting.

### Food for Teachers during Conferences

- Taco bar will be set up this week for teachers during conferences. Thank you to all the volunteers for helping to make this happen.

### Special Lunches

- Fifth grade lunch will be on March 13. Last one for this year.
- Thank you to Agne for coordinating the lunches this year!!

### Balances

- Checking \$3,304.12
- Savings \$2952.47

### Checking

- Looking to go to a single signer with two people having access to monthly accounts. Get a debit card to help with ease of transactions. More discussion needed on this. Agne will be talking to the bank.
- After the meeting she updated saying an individual would need to use their credit score to be able to get a PTA credit card. Discuss more at next meeting.

### Project Fair

- Thursday, May 3<sup>rd</sup> (note date change).
- Karen and Melissa will get packets ready to out before spring break. Karen is going to coordinate to see if student council can go to talk with the younger grades.
- Volunteers needed to help set up the night before, checking in the morning, monitoring through the day, and clean up after school.
- Marcela will help check in the morning. Need another person.

- Melissa will make the certificates
- Ribbons cost around \$120.
- For 2018-2019 School year we will need a new Project Fair Coordinator. If you know of anyone please have them contact the PTA @ [pta@isd166.org](mailto:pta@isd166.org)

#### **Yearbook**

- Orders are due March 15. PTA has purchased yearbooks for teachers, library and historical society in the past. Marcela is emailing teachers to see if they are still interested in this before we purchase.

#### **Early Childhood**

- Preschool toy request - \$435 - Approved.
- ECFE 12" table request – Requesting \$250 – Approved

#### **Movelt2018**

- Carin suggested a Movelt in April for Staff. She will put together some information and give to Bill to present to staff.
- Incentive prize to offer?

#### **Community Education**

- Emily Marshall talked about the CCYAC programs and upcoming Healthy Kids event at the YMCA.
- Discussion on whether Community Education should be under PTA. Discuss at next meeting.

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