

PTA Meeting Minutes

Friday, September 16, 2016 9:00a.m.

@ Coral Canyon Elementary

Call to Order: Heather Turner – President

Pledge: led by Heather Turner

Reverence: presented by Trista O'Connor

Minutes: Emily Phillips – Secretary

Financial Report: Trista O'Connor – Treasurer

9/1/16 Balance: \$9,664.80, Income: \$513, Expenses: \$3,814.04

9/16/16 Balance: \$6,363.76

Thank you so much for all of the volunteers that helped with Vision Checks and Picture Day!

And a HUGE thank you to our NEW Committee chairmen!!

- Welcome
 - *In attendance: Natalie Bennion, Kennyn Roybal, Ben Watkins, Mrs. Eggleston, Erin Terry, Mrs. Bluemel, Emily Phillips, Trista O'Connor, Heather Turner, Mrs. King joined mid-meeting.*
- Upcoming Events/Committees Needed:
 - Yearbook – All Year Long
 - Chairman: Lindy Cox
 - What needs to be done?
 - Red Ribbon Week – October 24-28th
 - Chairman: Tammy Himelright
 - What needs to be done? *Tammy has the green light to spend \$500 budget set aside. We will find out what else she needs*
 - Reflections Theme: “What is Your Story?”
 - Danielle Jones is heading – she needs helpers!
 - What needs to be done?
 - *Due to Region by November 4th*
 - National Custodial Workers Day
 - Teacher Appreciate Committee
 - Volunteer Information Sheet
 - Was compiled into an Excel Spreadsheet by Emily Phillips
 - Can be distributed to event chairmen – contact Emily for that: emily.phillips07@gmail.com
- **Note to Calendar – Maturation Date has been changed to March 10, 2017 @12:15p.m.**
Natalie Bennion says we have kits from last year – her and Heather will look into it.
- **FUNDRAISING:**
 - Starving Student Cards
 - We need a chairman to start selling ASAP
 - There is a Hurricane card and a St. George card we can offer for sale
 - We need to fold all the cards and have them ready for the teachers to send home
 - Pre-order possibility??
 - Blast e-mail through Dawn Rotert, Secretary
 - Class Dojo – Mrs. Bluemel can help
 - Chocolate Bars
 - Chairman: Erin Terry
 - When do we want to start selling?
 - ****Student Council sells chocolate around Valentine’s Day****
 - Penny Wars

- This is fun for the kids and we can challenge another school to it.
 - Should we do it? When? *Vote was taken, unanimously approved YES that we want to do Penny Wars.*
 - Zagg (Phone and Tablet Accessories Store) *Off the Blvd. by Smith's/Great Harvest Bread*
 - They donate 20% of the purchase if told "Coral Canyon Elementary"
 - Our school could get a check quarterly
 - We need to do e-mail blasts, Facebook reminders
 - *Vote was taken, unanimous YES we want to publicize this*
 - *Zagg is making a flyer for us to distribute*
 - Pizza Pie Café
 - When do we want to do this?
 - *25% of sales go to our school, which is up from the 10% we believe we received last year.*
 - *Is this just "one more thing"?*
 - *But it is easy to do – may be worth it!*
 - *Decided to table this for January/February 2017, we'll readdress it then and take a vote if we want to do it as a late winter/early spring fundraising effort.*
 - **What are we fundraising for?**
 - IDEAS: *Marquee (\$13K), Take Home Library (\$5K), Before School helper (\$??) – logistics of how to pay this person with PTA funds, Any other ideas??*
 - Does this benefit the children?
 - What is the cost?
 - Do we want to set aside funds for the next few years to help purchase a big item for the school?
 - *Keep thinking and we'll discuss at the next meeting.*
- T-shirt Design Contest
 - We have a winner!
 - We have ordered new shirts/sizes with the new design!
 - They will be ready to sell at Family Fitness Night - September 22, 2017
 - We need volunteers to help sell shirts this night from 5-7p.m.
- Popcorn Machine
 - Should our PTA purchase a popcorn machine to stay at the school and be used for different events throughout the year?
 - In the past we have borrowed or rented a machine, sometimes even being loaned a machine for certain events.
 - Taken to vote by PTA Members
 - *We are going to look into pricing and come prepared with quotes and real numbers so we can make a decision on if it's worth it.*
- Upcoming Events:
 - September 22: Family Fitness Night at the school 5-7:00p.m.
 - New t-shirts will be available for sale this night
 - October 3: National Custodial Workers Day
- Open Forum
 - Questions/Comments/Concerns?

Meeting Adjourned

Next Meeting: Friday, October 7, 2016 9:00a.m. in the gym