

Washington PTO Meeting Minutes

Tuesday, April 9, 2019

Meeting called to order @ 7:04 PM by Kim Shovlain

12 Attendees

Samantha Althouse
Heather Buck
Jill Kolb
Kelly Riley
Marcy Pelecky
Kimberly Turner
Melanie Gromer
Angie Whitaker
Tiffany Kuck
Maureen Schimmoeller
Jennica Nigh
Kim Shovlain

Welcome and Introductions

Principal: Samantha Althouse
President: Kim Turner
Vice President: Kim Shovlain
Treasurer: Jill Kolb
Assistant Treasurer: Heather Buck
Secretary: Julie Benner

Principal's Update

- Testing-encourage your kids to do best
 - ELA
 - 3rd-Fall bc of reading guarantee and Spring (April 16/17)
 - 4th/5th
 - Math-3-5-April 29/30
 - Science-5th-May 2/3
- Mrs. Althouse is meeting with architect on Friday to discuss build out of Tech Room

Presidents Update

- TEXT

Treasurer's Report

- Modified Budget due to computer crashing

Kelly Riley moved to approve the treasurer's report, Marcy Pelecky second. Approved

Approval of March PTO Meeting Minutes

Jill Kolb moved to approve 3/2019 PTO meeting minutes, Kelly Riley second. Approved

Committee & Calendar Updates

ISPTO – Kelly Riley-see below. Both Kelly and Kim Turner can not attend so there is room available.

The last ISPTO meeting of this school year will be on **Tuesday, April 16th at 6:30 pm**. We will have a brief meeting at Central Office followed by a bus tour of the school district.

To ensure there is a seat for everyone, we ask you to sign up in advance for the bus tour. Please sign up with your name, school, and PTO position (ISPTO rep, President, etc.) by Friday, 4/12 at this link: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/409044BA4AF29A75-ispto>

Please arrive promptly at 6:30 pm for the meeting. The tour will depart Central Office by 6:40 pm and return around 8:15 pm. Please note we are unable to accommodate children on this tour. The meeting will be in the Board Conference Room and the tour will start/finish from Central Office, 2140 Atlas Street, Columbus 43228.

ISPTO Officers for next year

Positions of ISPTO President, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer are all open for the 2019-2020 school year. Officers are responsible for planning ISPTO meetings including determining topics, scheduling presenters and confirming other meeting arrangements. If you are interested in serving as an officer for ISPTO, please email ISPTOHilliard@gmail.com with your interest or any questions. Elections will occur at the April meeting.

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Spirit Night

- Ten Pin Alley?
- Need Erin feedback
- Art Place-for Mother's Day?

Wellness

- Has been going well

Pub Shop

- Plans to fill shelves etc.
- Melanie needs help from a few individuals-Mrs. Althouse will put in Friday email
- Mr. Stevens can remake the wolfie sticker-Melanie to reach out to him

End of Year Parties

- Themes

Teacher Appreciation Week

- Kelly Riley-Volunteers needed. Sign up Genius recommended
- Theme is The Greatest Teachers

Movie Night – Meggan LaPlace

- Check-in will be done by Last name not grade
- Prepaid vs Not separate lines
- Volunteers are welcome for either working check-in or dinner donations

Fun 4 All – Marcy Pelecky

- Photo Booth-\$470-only made \$125.
- Food-Recommend-Water only, or overbuy pop and return?
- Food-not having options is fine.
- Volunteer Food-\$72 spent on vs selling.
- Presale-they had almost double last year for Food
- Kona Ice-No. Too Messy
- Tattoos-No
- Games need updated
- Volunteers-More Adults needed.
- Committees recommended for better oversight
- Pass on numbers for better documentation and forecasting. Document how to run games
- Bakery/Grocery-No Kids to run this.
- 8pm estimated over time
- Separate cash boxes
- Empty room usage
- Are we ok selling out on pizza
- Ordering prizes-keep separate? Pencils one room, etc.
- Veterans
- Fri night vs Sat?
- Make shifts longer
- Places to bring their own games? Gold Fish, Travel Partners
- Reciprocal Volunteering?

Silent Auction

- Golf Club vs Carnival-Bidding higher but we had teachers bidding
- 100 more baskets/boards-bidding per was way cheaper this year
- Committees recommended
- Kid raffle was well received-costly.
- Experiences
- Creative-Boards/Baskets
- Door to Door person
- Recommend Less Quantities
- Checkout ideas for improvement
- Survey for Feedback?

New Business

- Elections in May – be thinking about what office you would like to run. Nominates Open. Mrs. Althouse will create a google doc
- 5th Grade-Should they plan for BizTown?-Feedback was Yes.
- Garden-In Progress

Marcy Pelecky moved to adjourn the meeting, Maureen Schimmoeller 2nd. Meeting adjourned at 8:06 PM.