

Central School PTO Minutes

The second meeting of the 2019-2020 school year was held on Wednesday, October 23rd at 1:45 pm in the All-purpose room.

Executive board members in attendance: Lisa Slepokura/Erica Feldman Co-President, Carmela Phan - Treasurer, Daniela Rosa - VP of Membership, Heather Coon - VP of Fundraising, Catherine Zalepa - Secretary

1. Welcome - Lisa Slepokura
2. Approval of Minutes: (September 18, 2019)
 - Motion to Approve: Mee Eriksson
 - Second Motion: Laura Lofling
 - All in favor
3. Budget Review - Carmela Phan
 - Membership 1st Run/ @Budget
 - Food Days so far \$4,300 @Budget
 - Total income year to date, little over \$14,000
 - Year to date actual for expenses, \$9,523.39. The last 3yrs we made \$62,251. This year we would like to use these additional resources that we have raised throughout the years and go above and beyond for our children. We are working on two proposals that are being negotiated. \$20,000-\$25,000 would be used to make an amazing painted playground area (different areas of sport and game play) on our newly paved black top. Approx. 7-10 years of use before any maintenance is needed.
Mee Eriksson- made motion to approve, Lisa Cocuzza and Alisa Tuttle approve, 13 in favor/unanimous vote
4. PTO Updates
Thank you:
 - Ladies Night Out, 81 Ladies attended- Thank you to Jen McCarey & Committee
 - Guys Night Out, 30 people attended- Thank you to Fahd Agha & Committee
 - Family Outing, held at Meadow Brook Day Camp, around 1,000 families attended- Thank you Erica Feldman
5. Current Programs-
 - After School Programs- Heather Coon; We Little Arts, On the Court, Bricks for Kids, etc.- Heather Coon
 - Homeroom Parents, sent out reminder to those who have signed up for party treats, Update the grade google drive with pictures, Holiday memo; format will be sent out with dollar amount suggestion- Daniela Rosa

- Online Directory, was sent out through email on 10/07/19. Register to sign in, a new link will be emailed once expired- Daniela Rosa & Lisa Slepokura
- Food Days, raised \$4,328.18- Cathy Batista with Jen Nuzzi's assistance
- Box Tops- Pinki Antonio; new way to submit, Online/App
- Spirit Wear, Melissa Ulsaker is planning on doing another cycle with orders online, suggest adult sizes option
- Kid Stuff Books- a few more books out there.
- We have a new PTO page on Facebook, thank you to Kin Khiabani- Looking for a parent volunteer to build a PTO Web Page

6. Upcoming Events-

- First Night Kit- Thank you to all of those who have donated sox, toothbrush/paste etc. If you have not yet donated and plan to, we are still in need of sock/slippers, soap and shampoo. Drop off is in front of the office or bring to Trunk or Treat Jen McCarey and Ms. Pech
- Trunk or Treat- Friday, Oct. 25th 6:30-8:00- Sensory Sensitive from 6:15-6:30 (no lights, no music) NOTE: This is not a "drop-off" event TorT vehicle arrive @5:30- Pumpkin contest, one winner per grade. (Rain date- Sun Oct. 27th) Gina Theofanidis
- Halloween Class Parties- will start after the parade, parade begins 1:45
- Book Fair- Mon, Nov. 4th- Wed Nov. 6th- E-Wallet will be sent out soon, Laura Lofling & Catherine Zalepa

7. Principal's Report-Mrs.Tugya

Mrs. Tugya introduced Jessica Nathan- Instructional Specialist/ District Title 1 Coordinator. Jessica spoke about the Title 1 Extended Day Overview- Additional support outside of the school/Tutor

Students in grade 2 & 3 will be assessed based on teacher observation and GATES reading assessment also children in an ASAP program may qualify. Central School and Mt. Horeb School will be using this service that is funded by the state. Parents will be contact by teacher and child will be assigned a tutor once parent agrees and child will be given a specified time to work with said tutor. The Tutor will reach out to the parent on the progress, Tutor is seen approx. twice a week for 12 weeks.

More information is on the Warrentboe web site.

The Library renovation preparation is in full swing, Mrs. LaNeve and her team have boxed most of the books in the library. Books will still be available for checking in/out. Mrs. LaNeve will be going into classes during renovation.

8. Next Meeting- Wednesday, November 20th at 1:45pm

Meeting Adjourned 2:58