

Edison PTO Meeting Minutes

March 21st, 2018

Meeting Attendees: Karen Walters, Michelle Heath, Phil Biteler, Nicole Osmundson, Tammi Soutar, Emilie Yu, Mr. Hieronimus, Melissa Nelson

Call to Order: Karen Walters called meeting to order with welcome and distribution of minutes from December meeting.

Motion made to approve Feb. 14th, 2018 minutes by Michelle Heath, seconded by Melissa Nelson

Principal's Report: Mr. Hieronimus discussed projections for 2018/2019 school year as follows: 1115 students expected, an increase of 65 students; 406 6th graders, 358 7th graders & 351 8th graders. Next year's 6th grade class will likely have 4 teams, with 1 being Spanish Immersion. 12 students were accepted for open enrollment to Edison and these students have a sibling currently enrolled at Edison. The new projector for the gym is on backorder and new install date of April 2nd planned.

Counselors Report: Fun Run - new date of May 23rd - city is allowing us to have the run off campus with a start in front of the building slightly later (4:10ish) to allow after school pickup to be completed. Mr. Biteler is looking for a parent volunteer to help collect donations for prizes and giveaways at this event. Please contact Mr. Biteler if interested! Sign up genius will go out asking for volunteers to help with this event. Food for this event is covered by funding from the Fuel Up to Play 60 program. April 19th & 23rd 6-8pm Surviving Middle School for incoming 6th graders June 18-21, June 25-28 & July 23-26 Running Start - morning & afternoon sessions online registration and sessions are filling up fast May 7-11 counselors visit elementary feeder schools into Edison. May 17th 5th grade students visit middle schools. May 23rd 8th graders visit high school.

Treasurer Report: Michelle Heath provided an overview of current budget with income/expense details. Initial payment made for the projector system upgrades in gymnasium. Funds still available for the the office update.

Motion to approve budget and projector purchase by Nicole Osmundson, seconded by Tammi Soutar

Old Business:

Officer Positions: Looking for Vice President and Newsletter/web site coordinator for next year. Contact a PTO officer with questions/interest.

Meeting Times: Discussed adjusting PTO meetings to include evening times for next school year but decided to keep meeting over lunch hour.

Conference Meals: Snow day on the Tuesday of conferences caused meal to be changed to Wednesday. Discussed food and quantities on other 2 days and will make adjustments for next year.

Staff Appreciation Week : May 7-11 Look for Sign up Genius coming out requesting volunteer and donations.

8th Grade Party: Planning is underway for the end of year party for 8th graders. Date changed to June 1st due to snow day. Donation envelopes sent home with 8th grade students with deadline of April 13th. Watch for more information coming out requesting volunteers/donations. Contact Joni Merkley to get involved!

Motion to adjourn by Nicole Osmundson, seconded by Emilie Yu

Meeting Adjourned at 1:01

Next Meeting April 18th at 12:00 pm in Edison office conference room

Minutes compiled by Melissa Nelson, Edison PTO Secretary