

Farmingdale PTC Meeting

Minutes for approval

August 23, 2022

Elementary School Cafeteria

Attending: Rachel Price, Courtney Krohe, Kim Deters, Erin Vaughn, Ashley Welch, Melissa Luxmore, Jenny Canny, Ann Gemberling, Jen Cicci, Lara Donovan, Kim Diveley, Ashley Euler, Autumn Devos, Abby Brokaw, Kristen Flinn, Andrea Stribling, Cali Welch, Brooke Wallner, Ed Harter, Sarah Iaiennaro, Stacey Cantrell, Marissa Hennessy, Stephanie Solomon, Michele Stehling, Marissa Ashbaugh, Wendi Schutte, Kayci LeFlore, Jill Henry, Jamie Yates

- I. Call to order @ 7:40pm by Rachel Price
- II. Officer Reports
 - A. **Secretary:** Approve minutes from last two meetings on May 17, 2022 and May 24, 2022 – 1st Ann Gemberling, 2nd Ashley Welch.
 - B. **Treasurer** – Ashley Welch – Total Assets \$58,032.68 (savings and checking). We have funded some additional items including giving \$9000 to the district to upgrade bathrooms in the building. We also purchased some STEM robots for Mrs. Monke. Approve treasurer report: 1st Melissa Luxmore, 2nd Jenny Canny.
 - C. **1st VP** – Michele Stehling – See below.
 - D. **2nd VP** – Melissa Luxmore – See below.
 - E. **Corresponding Secretary** – Jenny Canny – Starting to work on newsletter. Planning on sending out in September after Labor Day.
- III. Program/Event/Committee Reports
 - A. **Open House** (Erin Vaughn): Overall went really well. The theme was “Thanks for popping in” and Blow Pops were handed out to the kids. Thanks for the good number of committee volunteers.
 - B. **Teacher Appreciation** (Rachel Price and Melissa Luxmore): We are going to get a committee together for this. We provided breakfast on the in-service day prior to school starting. We will continue to do things throughout the year. Thinking a trail mix bar in September.
 - C. **Summer Reading** (Melissa Luxmore): Forms are due this coming Friday, August 26, 2022. We have had 76 forms turned in thus far.
 - D. **Fall Fundraiser** (Rachel Price): Starts September 9th and runs through September 23rd. We are using the same company again this year. Rachel needs a co-chair to help with the fundraiser. Items will come in in November. The top 5 sellers will get to attend a lunch and afternoon at Bounce Tag with Mr. Yates.
 - E. **Fall Carnival** (Erin Vaughn): Date is October 1, 2022. Will be an outside/inside event that runs from 11am-3pm. We have secured games, food truck (Skipper’s Island), and bounce houses for the event. We will need some help with volunteers the day of the event. We are also looking for some sponsorships for the carnival as well.
 - F. **Trunk or Treat** (Alyssa Tusek- absent and Lara Donovan): Date is October 30, 2022. Alyssa and Lara are planning on sending out a flyer mid to late September.
 - G. **Family Fun Nights:** These will take place on few Friday nights throughout the year. Bomke’s Patch will be the event this Fall – date is still to be determined. We need a chair to coordinate these events. We have money budgeted for Family Fun Nights this year.

- IV. Old Business:
 - A. Playground updates: The playground hoops have been installed. We have budgeted for 2 mature maple trees for the playground as well as paint for the playground. The paint will be used to make lanes for the basketball hoops as well as possible four square.
 - B. Bathroom "Beautification:" The partitions have been purchased and installed. We are looking for decals or inspirational sayings to put up in the bathrooms. Jenny Canny is going to get some ideas for the bathrooms and bring them to the next meeting.
- V. New Business:
 - A. **UIS Class Acts:** These will be done in January-March of 2023. Each of the grades have decided and reservations have been made for which plays they are going to go to.
 - B. Committee/Volunteer Openings: Autumn Devos is going to Chair the Auction this year. Jaimie Doering is also going to help. They are going to need help with a planning committee for the auction. We also need people to chair or co-chair the following committees: Fall Fundraiser, School Store, Texas Roadhouse Fundraiser Liaison, Fall Carnival, Family Fun nights, Young Authors, and Family Reading night. Please let Rachel Price know if you are interested in helping with any of the above openings.
- VI. Teacher Representative (Jenny Leinberger - absent): Nothing to report.
- VI. Principal comments (Mr. Yates): School is off to a great start! Thanks for the open house breakfast! Safety is a big concern and priority for this school year. A new buzzing system is getting installed on the office door. The film/glass in the vestibule is "shatterproof." We are also in major need for individual aides, substitute teachers, and bus drivers!!
- VII. Open Forum/discussion/announcements: Nothing.
- VIII. Adjourn – motion to adjourn meeting. 1st Ashley Welch, 2nd Lara Donovan. Approved. Meeting adjourned @ 8:16pm.