

Ripon Elementary Meeting Minutes

Monday, November 06, 2023

Meeting called to order at 4:01

Attendees: Kristin Okada, Meghan Ellis, Tara Gervase, Jenna Rodriguez, Rachel Henley, Sara Martinez, January Meems, Heather Stevenson, Punkin Legris, Pao Chhim, Amanda Teunissen, Janeth Matsuoka, Lauren Brown

Minutes read by Jenna Rodriguez

Punkin motioned to accept the minutes. Meghan seconded the motion.

Old Business

- Benches, outdoor seating** - not yet ordered
- Bike parking:** discussion to incorporate more bike parking on campus to encourage biking/scootering to school; Punkin suggested possible welding or Eagle Scout project for high school students (ag dept project?)
- Boo Yard Success**

New Business:

- Teacher's PE Cart + Materials** Funding Proposal
(1-3rd Grade)

*Kristin motioned to approve funding from PFC not to exceed \$750 for PE Cart.
Meghan seconded the motion.*

- Buddy Poppy:** VFW support that is passed onto scholarships

Tara motioned for PFC to provide supplemental funds to match donations, not to exceed \$500.

- Tribal Council**
 - Boo Grams raised >\$800
 - Random Acts of Kindness movement to foster a kind culture
 - Art Fundraiser

- Santa at Ripon El, Tribal Council will sell hot cocoa**
 - December 14, 5pm setup
 - 5:30-7:30 Doors Open
 - Cookies, hot chocolate will be sold by Tribal Council 6-7:30

Important Dates

- 11/8 Whole School Field Trip to Veterans Wall
- 11/8 Domino's Fundraiser
- 11/9 Family movie night
- **11/10 NO SCHOOL**
- 11/13-17 Parent-Teacher Conferences, 2PM Dismissal
- **11/17 NO SCHOOL**
- **11/20-24 Thanksgiving Break**

Treasurer's Report

- Meghan read Treasurer's Report
- Current balance \$77,114.27
- PFC insurance policy information provided, renewed in October as same provider (AIM) and amount of coverage as 2022-23 year.
- The topic of moving money from money market into a higher interest account was discussed

Principal's Report

- Cart Needs (no materials) - Quote in hand**
 - Recess Carts (9 total, combining TK+K)
 - \$110 each
 - Wheels, spacious, easy to move, stackable
 - Unfilled at the moment, stocking carts by parents + PFC contributions

Punkin motioned for PFC to order 9 (empty) carts not to exceed \$1500. Tara seconded the motion.

- Family movie night** coming up **Nov 9, 2023** ; Moana and \$5 hot dog meals will be served.
- TK Registration** coming up in March. TK is a full day program and RAP is also provided upon separate registration. Transportation is also provided if needed to registered TK students.
- Teacher Funding Proposals:**
 - **Honor Roll Field Trip**, \$1500 per trimester, \$4500 total.

Kristin motioned to provide honor roll field trip funding not to exceed \$4500 for the year. Meghan seconded the motion.

- **Science Camp support:** \$50 per 6th grade student to adjust science camp total to \$175 per student.

Kristin motioned to approve \$50 per child for science camp, to be provided by Recycling Center Funds. Meghan seconded the motion.

- **Science Camp Scholarship:** \$500 per year donated for Science Camp scholarships.

Kristin motioned to allow five students full scholarship support not to exceed 225 per child provided through the Recycling Center funds. Meghan seconded the motion.

Activities at Ripon El

- Arrowhead News, Spanish (5th-8th grade), Music (TK-4th), Art Class (3rd grade), Artist in Resident (TK-6th), Sports

Next meeting to be held **January 22 at 4pm in Room 15.**

CHILDCARE is PROVIDED 🎉

Meeting ended at 5:06pm.

Punkin motioned to adjourn the meeting. Kristin seconded the motion.