

Southland Elementary PTO Meeting Minutes

Date: Wednesday, October 27th

Time: 7:00 PM

Location: ZOOM

1. **Call to Order** – Called to Order by Chrissy at 7:03pm
 - a. **Those in attendance:** Brian S. – Hilary S. – Alisha G. – Julie L. – Melissa D. – Laura S. – Ann P. – Lesley H. – Kara G. – Chrissy W.
 - b. **Review and Approve 2021-2022 Budget** – Approved by voting members 10.28
2. **Treasure's Report:** Our balance as of 9/22 was \$17,388.14 (some of that is Angel fund and robotics)--let me know if you want those amounts subtracted.
I deposited exactly \$1,000 from PTO donations. A few more have trickled in that I need to deposit.
3. **Principal's Report:**
 - a. Rebel Talk has been mailed out to families. Please check it out – there is a section in there about the PTO!
 - b. Enrollment has been up this year – so that has been good to see. Roughly 160 Elementary students
 - c. PBIS is in full swing and continuing for this year. We just had our 2nd in person event to highlight those kids and it was a great thing to see.
 - d. New Rebels Gear – if you want to order some new gear talk with Katie in the office. The new shirts are awesome and kids love to wear them!
 - e. Fire Prevention Week – this is coming up and we have exciting things planned for the kids. Our K-1st will have the RC Fire Department come and visit them and the 2nd – 5th will have the Adams Fire Department Visit them! Kids love this week and we are excited for it.
 - f. Veterans Program – Will be on Nov 11th – If you have a veteran to honor please send that info in (per the email sent last week).
 - g. Comm. Service Class – I will check in with this class to see if they can assist the PTO in organizing the closet that houses all the items for the PTO.
4. **Early Childhood Report:**
 - a. Enrollment – Roughly 60 kids enrolled in EFCE
 - b. PS Screenings have been completed. There were a lot to do since last year so it was good to get these completed.
 - c. Fire Prevention – kids were able to get an up close and personal look at the fire truck here in Adams. They really enjoyed the day!
 - d. Halloween Party: Kids will be trick-or-treating at school on Friday.
 - e. Community Service Class – the MS/HS have new black classes and they come to the ECCE to read to students. The kids really enjoy seeing the older kids and have a great time with them. They are also looking forward to going over to the school soon to get acquainted with the kindergarten classroom in prep for next year.
5. **Old Business:** None

6. New Business:

a. Election of Officers:

- i. **President:** Chrissy Weis
- ii. **Vice President:** Missy Felten
- iii. **Secretary:** Vacant-this position entails taking notes during the meeting and submitting to President after meeting.
- iv. **Treasurer:** Hilary Schotanus
- v. **Voting Members** – Julie Lowe, Melissa Deters, Lesley Heimer

7. PTO Sponsored Events:

a. Ideas/Events from Previous years:

- i. **A Night to Craft** – Will happen in March – Stay Tuned for more details
- ii. **Spring Family Photo Sessions** – Will be done with A Night to Craft
- iii. **Santa's Workshop** – BACK ON!!! – Dec 6th – 10th – See Attachment
- iv. **Movie Night** – Will happen in Jan – More to Come! If anyone has movie ideas please send to Chrissy
- v. **Bingo Night** – Will happen in Feb – More to come!
- vi. **Art Show** – Will happen in April!! So let's see those projects!
- vii. **Book Fair** – We will look into an online option as well as an in-person option. Hilary will check into this and we will send more info as we find it out.
- viii. **Teacher Appreciation Week** – May 2nd – May 6th - Stay tuned for a sign up to bring in treats for staff
- ix. **Pancake Breakfast** – Not happening in 2021 – We will look into this for Oct 2022
- x. **Carnival** – Checking with school calendar – Event will be May 13th or 20th MARK YOUR CALENDARS – I will send an update on the exact date once it is finalized.
- xi. **ANY OTHER IDEAS?** If you have ANY ideas please send them to Chrissy! We are willing to add or adjust fundraisers if we have other ideas!

8. Elementary Yearbook: Email sent to admin to add to the Parent Link to see if we can get any volunteers.

9. Any Other Business: None

Next Meeting: December 1st – 7pm – ZOOM

Meeting Adjourned: 8:05pm

Minutes Respectively Submitted by Chrissy Weis