

Sandburg PTA Meeting Minutes
02/18/20 at 6 pm

In attendance:

Lara Stavridis, Evelyn Toreja Boutin, Suzanne Wilcox, Angela Bagdasarian, Wendee Reedy, Josh Navarro, Linda Fehrenbacher, Alison Dondlinger, Krista Nunemaker, Frank Dahlman, Renee Pas.

Meeting called to order by President Angela Bagdasarian. Pledge of Allegiance.

January Minutes. Change Fresh Start Breakfast paragraph to read “this year” instead of “this month.” Motion made by Evelyn Toreja Boutin to approve the January minutes with noted change. Second by Wendee Reedy. Minutes approved.

8th Grade Innovation Team – Frank Dahlman presented an update from the 8th Grade Innovation Team. Program has been extended into the second semester (originally planned for first semester only) and next year will include the entire 8th grade. The Innovation Expo will be April 4th from 1-3pm in the Sandburg cafeteria. PTA to include in weekly newsletter. Due to time constraints, video was not played. Video will be emailed to all attendees instead.

Principal Report – Linda Fehrenbacher

- 1) Thank you from the staff for the Valentines Day treats.
- 2) The Closet Elmhurst is a local business that rents dresses to students for the middle school dance classes. The Closet will donate 25% of sales back to the PTA. Evelyn Toreja Boutin strongly objected to the PTA promoting this business in the weekly newsletter on the basis that it unfairly targets girls and sends out the wrong message that they have to wear a new dress for each class. The majority of the attendees felt that this was a convenient and cost effective service for our families as well as a fundraising opportunity for the PTA. The PTA decided to move forward and include in the weekly newsletter.

Teacher Report – none

Fundraisers

- 1) Sip n Shop at Kie & Kate will be on March 5 from 6-9PM. Store will give 15% back to PTA.
- 2) Kindness Week is this week.

Treasurer Report – Evelyn Toreja Boutin

- PTA made \$7,340 fro Trivia Night; \$2,540 over budget.

Secretary Report – nothing to report

Membership Report – nothing to report

President Elect Report – nothing to report

President Report – Angela Bagdasarian

- PTA Scholarship fundraiser at Tannins was successful. Goal is to provide 10, \$1,000 scholarships to York seniors. Upcoming events include Lunching For Dukes on February 28 and an Eat n Earn at Livia all day on March 10.

Committee Reports:

- Dance class registration sent to chairs. 111 8th graders and 116 7th graders have signed up to date.

New Business:

- There has been some interest/inquiry regarding the Girls Who Code club but no one has committed. Continue to promote in weekly PTA newsletter.

Upcoming Events:

- February 21 – All School Dance
- February 28 – Lunching For Dukes
- March 5 – Sip n Shop at Kie & Kate
- March 6 – Dance lessons start

Meeting Adjourned 6:52 pm. Motion by Suzanne Wilcox; second by Alison Dondlinger.

Minutes compiled by Lara Stavridis, Co-Secretary