

WOOD OAKS PTA MEETING
Monday, February 8, 2021

AGENDA

1. Welcome

The meeting began at 1:03 pm.

Attendees: Dr. McElligott, Mrs. Beake, Anna Harris, Debbie Salzer Rothschild, Marlyse Serlin, Stacy Freel, Lynn Howard, Karen Frum and Shawna Schwalb

Minutes from the January 2021 meeting were approved.

2. Principal Report

Dr. McElligott reported:

- a. The shift back from the adaptive pause to hybrid learning was successful. 11 students who were fully remote are now participating remotely. 85-90 students remain fully remote.
- b. Conferences went well. Both the teachers and parents said the Zoom meetings went smoothly. Discussions in the future as to whether conferences should continue to be virtual.
- c. Finals of school-wide spelling bee. Isaac M., a 6th grader, was the champion of the school-wide spelling bee. The semi-finalist was 7th grader.
- d. Terra Nova testing is going on this week. It is an on-line test. Although it is a shorter test, it will provide data that can be compared to past years. The test will be given in person Wednesday and Thursday. Fully remote students are invited to come in on Friday (a non-student attendance day) to take the test.
- e. PBIS: All ROARS are electronic. All students and staff can go to the website and deliver an e-ROAR. In January, there was a push for teachers to put out additional ROARs. In last announcement, the students were encouraged to send to each other.
- f. Yearbook photos are still being collected and should be sent to Ms. Reap or Ms. Olesuk by March 15. We are looking for a blend of in-school and at home school photos.

3. Committee Reports

New Board Nominations: Still looking for a new Board.

Welcome Wagon (Shawna Schwalb): No new students. Shirts were distributed to new families.

Directory (Lynn Howard): A meeting is scheduled for February 11 to talk about transitioning to an electronic directory. The Boards of all 3 PTAs were invited to participate.

Book Fair (Andrea Dalinka / Deborah Rothschild): The Fair is going until February 14. The Fair is being advertised on social media and on the morning announcements.

D27 Race / Club 27 (Mileen Zucker): No update.

Teacher Appreciation (Mileen Zucker): Mileen is looking into providing a treat this Friday, February 12.

Spiritwear (Deborah Rothschild): The committee will decide whether to do another sale before or after spring break.

Events/Fundraising (Anna Harris): The fundraiser with SuperDog went well. Waiting for the final result. Anna is looking into doing something sweet from a local source.

8th Grade party (Mileen Zucker): The shirts were sent to be printed. They will be distributed during lunch. For those who are fully remove, the shirts will be added to their next packet pick up. The committee will look into doing something outside if Whirlyball doesn't work out.

Environmental (Adrienne Felder Mittelman): On hold.

4. **New Business:** None.

Next month's meeting: March 15, 2021 at 1 p.m.

The meeting concluded at 1:50.