

10/19/2021 PTO MEETING

12 Participants at 6:30 pm Including Following PTO Executive Board and Wattles Staff:

- President-Syed Hussainy
- First Vice President, Lisa Goodenough
- Second Vice President, Steve Henry, Becky Henry
- Treasurer, Mandy Kostrzewski
- Secretary, Robert Chambers
- Dr. Brasington, Principal
- Mrs. Maiuri, Teacher Representative
- Mrs. Wallace, Ms Pellosmaa Literacy Coaches

6:30pm-6:32pm

1. Welcome and Introductions

- Welcome - Syed Hussainy
- Introductions

6:32pm-6:42pm

2. Treasury Report - Mandy Kostrzewski

- Update on Budget.

6:41pm

- Question on the budget from parents. .

6:42pm

- Motion to accept 2021-2022 proposed budget - President Syed
- Seconded - Elizabeth Lyons
- Budget passed

6:43pm-6:58pm

3. Supporting Literacy - Ms. Pellosmaa and Mrs. Wallace.

- Welcome and Introduction from Dr. Brasington
- "Reading Recovery" explanation/purposes
- Tips for parents
- Support reading at home
- Writing Tips
- Communication on Apps that students have on ipads
- President Syed suggested an email recap with video be sent out

6:58pm-7:06pm 14 Participants

4. Fun Run Update - Elizabeth Lyons and Soyoon Kim

- Recap for Prizes and winners
- Zoyo, Superstar Lunch, Tee Shirts, Pizza all donated by local businesses.

7:07pm-7:15pm

5. New Business - Dr. Brasington

- Generating ideas on how to spend profit from the Fun Run
- Brainstorm ideas with staff
- Involve students
- Will be discussion item at next PTO meeting

6. Staff Report - Ms. Maiuri

- Could make it a persuasive writing contest to decide how to spend some money
- Virtual Field Trip to Lansing
- Anchor Mates started
- Fall Conferences

7:15pm-7:20pm

7. Principal Report - Dr. Brasington

- Parent Teacher Conferences October 27 and October 28
- Expectation is 100% participation
- Please look for things on school property after hours
- Issue on field with motor bikes
- COVID-19 cases leveling off
- Her focus is on health and wellness of staff and children

. Open Discussion

- Mr. Chambers recognized 5th grader George George Binu who assisted his preschool child when the child was separated from mom during pick-up time

7:25pm

8. Adjournment