

Warrior Run PTA Meeting Minutes

January 2nd, 2020

1. Welcome- meeting came to order at 6:32pm by Lindsay Maxwell and second by Kellie Bates.
2. Meeting Minutes Approval by Brittany Lynch and second by Lauren Marziale. Passed thank you cards from teachers regarding their teacher gifts and Mary on her retirement.
3. Treasurer's Report
 - a. checking- \$1,2043.52
 - b. savings- \$7,803.99 (received a \$300 donation from the legion that needs deposited).
4. Art and Literacy Night with Ms. Pittenger and Ms. Munyat- Friday March 20th from 5:15-6:30. Theme to be Peter Pan and plan to have 7 stations.
5. Ms. Munyat reported on current curriculum with her students.
 - a. K- working on 7 different parts of a book and how to take care of them
 - b. 1st- reviewing book awards around the world
 - c. 2nd- Genres and RTII is working on research on creatures and will write a story.
 - d. 3rd & 4th- working on research projects with credible and non-credible information
6. Ms. Pittenger reported on current Art curriculum with her students.
 - a. K- line units and moving onto shapes
 - b. 1st- Fiber arts (weaving, sewing.... etc)
 - c. 2nd- Creature unit
 - d. 3rd & 4th- weaving

OLD BUSINESS

7. Holiday Shop Report- kids seemed pleased with items. Maybe skip the wrapping next year due to time, We profited roughly \$1,200. We plan to start earlier on vending picking and purchasing.
8. Mitten Tree Report- some smaller sizes underwear, socks, hats and gloves went to the CSIU in Watsontown for donation. Donations not taken by school nurse will be sent to Janet Weis Children's Hospital.
9. Classroom Gifts were very much appreciated and the remaining scholastic orders have arrived and will be disbursed.

NEW BUSINESS

10. Book Bingo-Stef Ditty
 - a. scheduled for 1-16-20 at 6:30 pm
 - b. need a few volunteers to check cards and call Bingo.
11. February FFN 2/21 (Science Night)-Lauren Marziale will chair and it will be held at the Turbotville Elementary school. Time to be announced and checking with other colleges instead of Bloomsburg.
12. Talent Show April 16th and will be held at the elementary school. Grades K-4. Will be sending flyers home next week for students to start planning.
13. Read Across America March 2nd and flyers will be sent home next week to allow plenty of time for Reading volunteers to get their clearances. REMEMBER: ONLY CLEARANCED VOLUNTEERS ARE PERMITTED TO COME INTO CLASSROOMS FOR THEIR READINGS DURING THIS WEEK. To start the process go to <https://www.wrsd.org/Content2/608> and click on How to Become a Volunteer.

14. Spring Fundraiser- 5K & ½ mile Flash Dash will remain Superhero theme and date to be announced
 - a. Volunteers will be needed
 - b. Reaching out to local businesses for donations
15. School Fair will be same day as Spring Fundraiser and will need volunteers.
 - a. Food trucks and will check with bringing back Exchange Pool
16. Snack pack program will be packing next on Sunday 1/12. For next year trying to make it more of a community effort vs PTA and coming up with different scenarios such as sponsoring a child option.
17. Principal's Report
 - a. 9 days left in the 2nd marking period with January 15th being the last day and teachers will be doing assessments over the next 2 weeks to prepare for report cards.
 - b. Students in all grades will be given mid-year DIBELS benchmark assessments during the week of January 13th. This will monitor progress in reading and help determine students needs to intervention support.
 - c. Report cards will be posted to Sapphire on January 23rd. Paper copies will not be sent home again until the end of the year. Parents may print or save on their own.
 - d. 100th day of school will be January 30th. (pending weather related closings)
 - e. Kindergarten registration for the next school year will be going out to the newspaper and social media in the next week or two.
18. Meeting adjourned at 7:50pm by Angie Walburn and second by Lindsay Maxwell.