

Ryerson Executive Board Meeting Minutes

March 14, 2022 @ 6pm

Ryerson Main Office

1. Welcome

2. Reports:

- a. Principal: Read across America a success, return to the cafeteria and the tents will be back soon for Spring. Covid numbers are small and not spiking. Students are able to start working in small groups. K Registration is open and enrollment is happening- mini kindergarten day - 5/13- already announced to the public to save the date. Last day is June 17 as of now. Parent volunteer question- at the teacher and classroom comfort level and thinking of utilizing the warm weather and outside areas as well.
- b. Treasurer: Total revenue is 15, 180.56 so far this year. Still pending spirit wear and butterbraid fundraiser, Give to Grow, and the yearbook. Expenditures go to teacher appreciation and student activities and events. Still have Square 1 Art, current pizza fundraiser and other positive events going on.

3. Administrative:

- a. A treat for teachers and staff will be delivered to school on Thursday, 3/17, prior to noon. (Andy's Cookies) Erica dropping off seltzer as well.
- b. Art Show - can the PTO be of help? Checking with Mrs. Connel
- c. Book Fair - thoughts on the possibility of a Family Fun Night? Keep the Spring to a one time buying time and let the kids shop- keep a family fun night for the fall to connect it to Halloween. Spring schedule is being made by Mrs. Perry.
- d. Room Parents/Parent Volunteers - Is this an option that's resuming? I've heard from one Room Parent that their teacher said this was again being allowed: teachers are welcoming in visitors in person as comfortable with activities.
- e. Give to Grow - Art Project: looking at students creating individual parts that will be put together for a larger piece of artwork.
 - i. Potential Dates
 - ii. Could parents come in to volunteer with supervising the art project?
 - iii. If so, would coordination with individual classroom teachers be preferred or a school-wide coordination?

4. Upcoming Event Updates:

- a. Grand Apizza Fundraiser - 3/13 - 3/17
- b. Butterbraid Orders due on 3/15: online and paper forms by 3/17
- c. Variety Show Planning Meeting for Volunteers - 3/21: virtual/ volunteers are signing up
- d. Variety Show Student Sign-up Begins - 3/25- virtual signups
- e. Family Movie Outing - 3/26 @ 10:30am - Madison Cinemas Parent required/ The BFG
- f. Square1 Art Orders due - 3/28 - ordering going well- can get additional bonus money with order amounts.
- g. Give to Grow Planning Meeting for Volunteers - 4/4
- h. Butterbraid Delivery - 4/6- small amount ordered to date, will reassess this for future event.
- i. Book Fair - 4/26 - 4/29
- j. Variety Show Rehearsal - 5/11 and 5/12: will require parents to attend at least one rehearsal/ Mrs. Spooner will secure areas with after school care for our use.
- k. Variety Show on The Green - 5/14 (rain date 5/21)
- l. Unified Sports Pep Rally and event - 6/2
- m. Field Day - 6/3 (rain date 6/6): provide popsicles for students
- n. Give to Grow - 6/3
- o. Family Picnic @ Surf Club - 6/10: Jen Ryan Parent Coordinator
- p. 3rd Grade Celebration - 6/14 (rain date 6/15)

5. New Business:

- a. Are there any additional events planning by the school that the PTO should be aware of?
- b. First week of May is Teacher Appreciation- Exec will plan events
- c. Waiting on Jeffrey to work out 3rd grade gifts
 - i. Frames for the 3rd grade Square 1 Art
 - ii. Waiting to hear from Steady Photography on Spring photography