



Dilworth PTA Board Meeting Minutes

Thursday August 17, 2023 7:30 PM

Welcome: Thanks to the new board for 2023-2024! We are looking forward to this year!

Business: We reviewed the changes to the budget that have been proposed. At our next meeting we will vote on its approval. The proposed budget will be sent out to all board members before our next meeting.

All PTA board members must pay \$5 to be registered members.

Contracts for Cary Berg and Nancy McClellan have been sent out.

There was a discussion on combining our general and art accounts into one. Past treasurers commented on the extra work having two accounts causes. Combining the accounts will simply the treasurer's job. There is no legal or Utah PTA reason for having two accounts. We will need to be careful with our wording when fundraising at Art Night so that its clear that funds are supporting the PTA, Art and Music programs. The decision was made to combine the accounts.

Instead of the \$50 per teacher fund that is rarely used Ashley

Burton proposed we start a new program that provides money for Teacher Grants. Details are still being worked out. This year we will start with \$3000 in the fund. We anticipate most grants will be for \$600 or less and we hope to give out 5 or so a year.

Welcome breakfast for teachers and staff will be Friday, August 25.

We will be having Linger on the Lawn again this year. Parents can join us to celebrate the new school year with bagels and beverages after kids go into school. Help us spread the word! We hope to have the school mascot out to welcome kids back to school and music playing so the day feels festive.

Emergency kits will no longer be put together by the pta. The school already has emergency supplies and the kits we have done in the past expire without being used.

Registration will be all online through MemberHub which is now called Givebacks.

Yearbooks can be ordered at the beginning of the year. We will provide yearbooks for all staff/teachers and students. There was a discussion about raising the price of yearbooks to help cover others who don't buy one and/or asking for a donation towards the yearbook fund.

Dianna will be putting together some options for T-shirts and Sweatshirts.

We are switching up the fall fundraiser. Stephanie Oblad and Codi Schreck have planned a Fun Run that will take place on Sept. 22. They will talk with teachers and administration to determine the time. A fundraising campaign will start Sept. 8 and go until the 22nd. Money will be collected that morning. Volunteers will be needed to get envelopes

ready to send home on the 8th and also at the fun run itself.

Picnic on the Playground will take place in Sept. They will have entertainment and food.

Reflections will be offered this year. Meg Arnold volunteered to be our board member over the program.

We discussed the best time for meetings this year. It was decided that afternoons (starting at 2:15 pm) work for most people. We will check with the Principal to see if the first Wednesday or Thursday is best. Zoom will also be provided for those that can't come in person.

Principal and Faculty Updates: We have a lot of new faces in the office this year. Jill Baillie is our new principal. We also have a new Vice Principal that will be shared with Indian Hills, a new counselor, and a part time social worker. Kathy Mayeda will be the PTA board teacher representative again.

Upcoming Events - MARK YOUR CALENDAR!

- Meet the Teacher – August 21 2-3 pm
- First day of school - August 22
- Back to school night - August 24 5:30-7:00 pm
- Fun Run – September 22nd
- Picnic on the Playground – September 14th