

PJHS PTO Minutes

May 3, 2018

Members in Attendance

President: Angela DeJaynes

Vice President: Melissa Beaver

Secretary: Connie Kelly

Treasurer: Angela Rachel

Incoming Principal: Darrin Cooper

Incoming Parent: Jodi

Approval of Minutes

Minutes of the April, 2018 meeting were approved.

Treasurer's Report

- Angela reported a balance of over \$6,000 in the PTO bank account, though outstanding receipts from Angela D were yet to be subtracted.
- She was told there are no popcorn expenses for this school year.
- Last year the PTO paid Reinhart \$1670 for beautification and they submitted a proposal of \$76 per month to maintain the existing flower beds (deweed).
 - Angela sent out information requests from other Unit 5 schools on how they handle such work. The consensus was that they have volunteers and do not pay a service for weeding/landscaping. A garden club was suggested.
 - There is discussion from 2 or 3 schools that are urging the district to pay for such work.
 - All those present were in agreement to reject the Reinhart proposal.
- Angela also asked the other schools how much they paid for insurance. They ranged from a low of \$225 at Kingsley to the average of \$600 or \$700 similar to what PJHS pays Country Financial. Evans paid Diamond Brothers \$316, Praireland uses Van Gundy.
- Angela asked if the refrigerator request for the teachers' lounge was a want or a need as it seemed to be in similar shape to the used refrigerators available at the ReStore in her research for @\$200
 - New refrigerators, freezer on top, lowest price was around \$400 in her research
 - Darrin Cooper received text confirmation Mr. Lamboley felt it was a need, not want.

Principal's Report

- Mr. Lamboley was not able to attend, but sent an email with dates of upcoming events the PTO would help with.
 - 8th grade Awards Night May 14th
 - 8th grade picnic Tuesday May 22nd- need Sign up Genius access to solicit volunteers from 8th grade parents
 - Teacher Appreciation Week- May 7-11th
 - Angela planned a "Best Teachers Bar None" theme, candy bar one day, taco bar, etc
 - Retirees Mrs Basting, Mrs Parmley, Mr Shipman, Mr Monson
 - Angela had 3 \$25 gift cards purchased, will purchase one more
 - Angela will purchase retirement cards and put in PTO mailbox for officers to sign

President's Report

- Michelle Whitwood will be the Pack the Place coordinator next year
 - Mrs. McCoy will have dates at the beginning of the year for her
 - 3k revenue lost this year due to no pack the place fundraising
 - Michelle has an idea to explore including outdoor sports by selling meal tickets
- Dates for next year's PTO meetings need to be finalized
 - Darrin Cooper said Thursday may be difficult for him

- Angela will type up some dates for him to consider
- Angela wants to compile known dates of PTO events for better planning next year
 - Connie will go through minutes and send her findings to Angela D
- A June meeting was set for June 7th at Fiesta Ranchera
- All officers will remain as needed for next year except VP Melissa is leaving, but is not required for the charter.

Adjourn