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PLEASANT GROVE ELEMENTARY PTO AGENDA

August 7, 2023 | 7:00pm | Location: PGES Cafeteria

Board Members:

Angela Vermilion, President | Lindsay Pennington, Vice President | Rayta Nelson, Secretary | Sara McMillan, Treasurer | Lydia Liguori, Co-Treasurer | Shawnie Barnett, Member At Large |

Old Business:

1. Introductions- principal Trael Kelly and board members introduced selves
2. Amendment to the by-laws- announced plan to add "Anyone considering a position on the Executive Board must either serve on a Committee and/or consistently attend PGES PTO meetings and volunteer at PTO sponsored events" to our PGES PTO Executive Board by-laws; will vote on this in September.

New Business:

1. Room Parents/ Background checks- this past Friday parents received a room parent survey link through Parent Square; plan to have room parents decided by this Friday 8/11; once room parents decided, a meeting for them will be planned. If you have any plans to volunteer for anything (field trips, fun run, room parties, etc.) throughout the year please fill out a background check (can take up to two weeks to go through). You can access this through the center grove website and they are good for two years.
2. Dad's Club- Andrew Prince, dad's club president, introduced self and discussed planned events for the year. So far these include movie on the lawn (9/22), trunk or treat 10/20, and tailgating at CGHS home football games. All meetings are the Thursday after the PTO meeting at 6:30pm at the school.
3. Committee Positions- three open positions: book fair co-chair and literacy night chair and co-chair. Please let us know if you are interested in any of these positions or would like more information.
4. Mother/Son Event- Indianapolis Indians game 9/10 at 1:35 kids eat free; \$10 total for mom and any sons that attend PGES. Flyers will be sent home with kids soon.
5. Back to School Swim Party Aug. 20- 6-8pm at Franklin Aquatic Center; no admission cost; concessions will be open and available at your own cost
6. Staff Breakfast Aug. 11- sign up genius was sent out in ParentSquare and is posted on the PGES PTO Facebook page. We will do more of these events throughout the year. Thank you to everyone who has signed up!
7. Spirit Wear- link shared via ParentSquare and Facebook. Deadline to order is August 15th.
8. School Picture Day- 9/15 more info to come
9. Boosterthon- Amanda Gettelfinger, fundraising chair, introduced self; last year this event raised \$62,000. This is the major fundraiser for the year- fun run will be on 9/21. Theme revolves around being a hero; program is computerized and includes character trait lessons for

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the kids; partnered with Dude Perfect this year. Links will be sent out to fundraise. Will need volunteers on run day (make sure to get background check complete)- signup link will be sent out. If you would like to help Amanda with fundraising, please reach out.

- 8/23 is the first dine to donate of the year- Papa John's (up to 25% will come back to the school)

10. Welcome Kindergarten Teachers and Heather Garvey, instructional coach- all introduced themselves along with Martha Andersen, assistant principal; discussed importance of establishing routines both at school and at home; work to make learning fun; this school year's theme based on Joanna Gaines' children's book- journey into learning

Celebrations:

Beginning Balance- \$59,911.54

Ending Balance- \$58,180.18

Mr. Kelly's Corner:

Planned discussion topics- social media/technology and your kids; feel free to share thoughts and ideas for future topics; the message at the school is for kids to be safe and loved. Kudos to our amazing teachers. Thank you so much for being here and being involved- it makes a difference in your kids lives. Thanks to the PTO for helping with the car lines these first three days. It has gone smoother than it ever has before. We are transparent with the PTO funds- if you have questions, please let us know. We try to spend as much of the funds possible for the kids in the classroom. Thanks to dads club president Andrew for all he does. We need to celebrate kids as much as possible- we need to talk about kindness and taking the time to appreciate others. The focus in August is building connections- teachers goal is to find something special about each and every kid. Reading to your kids is such an important thing you can do with them to give them an advantage. Build reading habits early. Mr. Kelly wants you to feel valued and heard- feel free to reach out.

Open Mic:

Adjournment. Next meeting scheduled for: **Tuesday, September 5th at 7pm**

Sign in Sheet for PGES PTO MEETINGS

Name (cell or email optional)

1. Amanda Gettelfinger
2. Rachel Cook
3. Heather Garvey
4. Megan Pienta
5. Lauren O'Neil
6. Heather Hale
7. Dana Kubicek
8. Kristin Hale
9. Marcy Szostak
10. Emily Yang
11. Whitney Hayden
12. Danielle Patten
13. Frederick & Casey Calderon
14. Cara Hoopes
15. Jenna Wilson
16. Amber Carey

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Name (cell or email optional)

1. Katie Taylor
2. Ashleigh Taylor
3. Amy Moran
4. Tresha Brown
5. Cassandra Wilbur
6. Cherice Ehlen
7. Courtney Boggs
8. Jen Groh
9. Wida Butts
10. Jessica Solomon
11. Trael Kelly
12. Emily Pendleton
13. Jordan Schonegg 317
14. _____
15. _____
16. _____

Pleasant Grove Elementary PTO

Balance Sheet

As of August 3, 2023

	TOTAL
ASSETS	
Current Assets	
Bank Accounts	
10100 CLOSED Old National Checking	0.00
10300 Dad's Club/Family Fun Night	0.00
10700 NEW Old National Bank	58,180.18
99999 DO NOT USE	0.00
Total Bank Accounts	\$58,180.18
Other Current Assets	
10500 PayPal	0.00
10800 Petty Cash Box	200.00
99010 DO NOT USE Cash Box	0.00
Total Other Current Assets	\$200.00
Total Current Assets	\$58,380.18
TOTAL ASSETS	\$58,380.18
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY	
Liabilities	
Current Liabilities	
Other Current Liabilities	
21000 Art to Remember	215.28
Total Other Current Liabilities	\$215.28
Total Current Liabilities	\$215.28
Total Liabilities	\$215.28
Total Fund Balance	
Fund Balance	59,896.26
Opening Balance Equity	0.00
Net Income	-1,731.36
Total Total Fund Balance	\$58,164.90
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY	\$58,380.18