

PTO Meeting minutes – December 9, 2014

The meeting was called to order at 6:00 pm.

Present: Jill Priestley, Leigh Sanderson, Jenn Carlson, Anthony Lauer, JoAnn Parkus, Carol Shakarian, Lindsey Wolfe, Samina Barritt, Teresa Maldonado, Tina Gould, Suzy Tibbetts, Marquita Casey-Oden, Anne Wizauer, Kerri Mose

Principal's Report

- Morning Messages w/Academics
- 70th Anniversary pictures available to parents?
- Next Monday Tech Rollout 6-7:30 K-2 families
- Mid-January NWEA assessments “dipstick” progress
- SRI – tool for Reading 180 in middle school
- Goal is 800, 5x year
- MStep (new MEAP) on horizon, 3-5 grades
 - In spring, mid-April, June
 - Won't count against school
 - Content – ELA, Math, Science (4th), Social Studies (5th)
 - 3 parts, 2/3 online, 2 hours each
 - Don't be absent as classroom has to go in order
 - Writing throughout, assumes typing skill

President's report

- WESO – Nicky Geyer & Stacy Schwartz
 - Co-Head Coaches/Supervisors
 - Deadline is Friday Dec. 12th for coaches
- Restaurant Night – Dec. 17th California Pizza Kitchen
- Winter Dance – Jan. 30th – Lindsay Wolfe chair
- May 29th – Ice Cream Social
- May 30th – WESO
- Jazzistry Dec 18th 2pm
 - Bring history alive with Jazz music
- Motion Leigh, second Lindsay

Treasurer's Report – Anthony Lauer

- \$1000 5th grade payments
- 37% of teacher grants used
- Kindles – acct Amazon - \$100 (6) Kindles loaded gift card

PTOC – Anthony Lauer

- STEAM Singapore Hour of Code Tutorials
- Virtual Academy presentation
- A2Virtual.org
- Online courses/resource ready rubric
- 636 students taking online courses

- A2 schools, blended curriculum more successful
- Fix roads, 3rd grade retained reading

Fundraising

- \$2500 ordersheets/\$1000 online
- Ellie, David, Xander top 3 sellers
- Gengler, Merante top classes
- \$1463 raised

Meeting adjourned at 8:01 pm