

Pennell PTO Meeting Minutes
Tuesday, February 8th, 2022

Call Meeting to Order

Welcome Everyone / Introductions
Principal

Teresa Mai
Dr. Danielle Murray

- Thanked us for the library & recess volunteers who have pitched in last minute
- A new principal was appointed at the last School Board meeting, she starts in about 6 weeks

Teacher Representative:

Mrs. Samuelian

- Also thanked us for helping in the library, students are excited to be back
- Thanks for hosting CPR training for the Girls on the Run programs

Treasurer Report:

Jennifer Snook

- Bank Balance 12/31/21: \$16,542.42
- Bank Balance 1/31/22: \$11,759.87
- **Income**
 - Waddle: \$20
 - Pens Den: \$168.73
 - 5th Grade: \$357.20
 - Variety Show: \$90
 - Ice Skating: \$448.85
 - Box Tops: \$161.20
- **Expense**
 - Teacher supply vouchers: \$228.94
 - Print Shop: \$110.80
 - Ms. Newberg gift: \$25.93 (flowers for her & a book for the Pennell library)

Business:

1. Ice Skating Party - Teresa Mai
 - Huge success (over \$400 profit!)
2. Variety Show - Michele Dormer
 - New date is April 22
 - Lots of emails have been sent out (to "Act Parent" listed as contact for each act)
 - Dress rehearsal sign ups
 - Please send in your money if you ordered a tshirt
 - When to cut the music for each act
 - Volunteers needed (parents or high schoolers who need volunteer hours)
 - Program
 - Concessions
 - Candygrams
 - tshirts
 - Auditions for 5th grades to MC will be coming
 - 18 Acts, so a shorter show than in the past
3. Discount Cards - Teresa Mai
 - \$15 each
 - A few new businesses this year (Blue Tortoise yoga, Miller's Ale House, Tom's Pizza)
 - Flyer will be sent home soon, still in progress
4. Gertrude Hawk- Teresa Mai/Jenn Fisher
 - Flyers came home this week
 - Orders due March 7
 - Will be available for pick up week of April 4 (exact date TBD) or can be shipped direct
 - We earn 50% profit
5. Phillie Phanatic Game - Michelle Tinsley/Nicole Stephenson
 - Tentatively scheduled for May 22, waiting on confirmation

6. Yearbook - Steph Martin
 - FB Post went out, but flyers were delayed at Barksdale. They should be out in 2 weeks
 - 5th graders - please send in baby photos & shout outs by 2/25
 - Shout Out must be via google form
 - Personalization of yearbook is included as long as order is in on time (see flyer) so please make sure you spell their name correctly on form/online
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7. Fifth Grade Information/Bingo
 - Tentatively scheduled for 3/25 in the Sun Valley cafeteria with a limited capacity of 260 people
 - Looking at other options to be able to include more families
 - Use gym also? 2 nights, divided by grade? TBD
 - Will need raffle baskets
 - Super Bowl Blocks still available - see FB raffle group
8. Questions/Miscellaneous
 - We will be having elections for PTO Board this Spring
 - Tomorrow is PBIS Day (wear Pennell gear!)
 - Thursday is Pen's Den (can always use extra volunteers - see Michelle Tinsley)
 - Pretzel Friday!

SAVE THE DATES

2/10 Pen's Den

2/18 No School - Inservice

2/21 No School - Presidents' Day

3/7 Gertrude Hawk orders due

3/8 PTO Meeting

3/10 & 3/11 Half Day (Teacher In-Service)

3/17 Pen's Den

3/25 Bingo Night

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