## East Olympia Elementary PTO Meeting Minutes March 18, 2024 EOE Library

Liz, Tamara, Johnson, Smith, Anderson, K. Crawford, Mettler, Maggie, Diane, Samantha, Board

Sarah Johnson: talking about STEAM

If a child can't be present they can still leave a project. Maybe have a photo with their board.

Spend: prizes total around \$500, w/o gift cards. Materials about \$200.

Maybe make videos for hyping up? Bringing in 5<sup>th</sup> graders to create

Using available funds for an additional makers space day

## **Reading Rally**

Smith asking why we're doing it different from last year

Feedback for how to do it next year

Eric Ode books to sell

Treasurer's report: Pam motioned, Adrienne seconded

Staff Appreciation – teacher worksheet with all about them so they could be treated with items they like. Prefer breakfast bar? Items to take? Samantha and Maggie willing to lead. One teacher has celiac.

Reviewing the bylaws. Send updates from last year. Need to update the term which positions are held. If a position is run unopposed, allow the position to remain with the previous holder. Next meeting to rewrite and vote. Create a new position as a teacher rep or liaison. Representative as opposed to a board member. Liz: could be a stipend position.

PTO positions vote in May.

Kinder orientation – May 10<sup>th</sup>, 2:45

Sock fundraiser – for an EOE family in need. Partner with Bush. Maybe something we do every year for a particular family. Include a code for just donations without purchase. Order them to have for sale at the STEAM fair.

Future dates: OJP, STEAM, Humble Cow fundraiser – April 29<sup>th</sup>. 4-7pm. Raffle for the fundraiser? Liz/Tamara being a guest scooper? Volunteers for the event.

3 scholarships available. Career center at high schools, post on Facebook.

Survey to families about keeping yearbook. Ask for volunteering – pictures, coordinating, page assembly.

Adjourned at 5:12.