

Veterans Park Elementary



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PTA Meeting Minutes

Date: May 9, 2024

Location: VPE Library and Zoom

I. Call to Order

President Kim Lucas called the meeting to order at 7:50 am

II. Approval of Previous Meeting Minutes

April 2024 minutes approved by Sontina Hogston and Sheree

III. Principal’s Report: Molly Dabney

May Updates

- KSA testing kicks off tomorrow
• New Parent Orientation May 9 at 6 pm in the gym
• Rising 6th graders going to SMS, looking for SBDM members. Summer ignite will be available for incoming 6th graders
• Election day, May 21 is a no school day, also spirit theme week
• Move up day is last day of school
• Class placements finalized by August 1, this is when letters will be mailed
• Library books due back
• Report card on last day of school will include lots of information about next school year
• Fifth graders promote on the last day of school. Fourth graders to go watch. Siblings in other classrooms not permitted to attend. Family members welcome to attend including grandparents.

IV. Officers’ Reports

Treasurer – Liz Dodd – all emails should be sent to eadodd12@gmail.com

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Rows include PTA Operating Account, Statement Opening Balance (\$53,481.65), Plus: 12 cleared deposits (\$14,404.59), Minus: 9 cleared withdrawals (-\$24,063.98), Bank Statement Ending Balance (\$43,822.26), Plus: 0 uncleared deposit (\$0.00), Minus: 6 uncleared withdrawals (-\$2,603.39), Ending balance (\$41,218.87), Gaming Account Balance (\$100), Petty Cash Balance (\$100).

- Deposit paid for sound equipment
• Art Night raised \$4,888
• Budget meeting with Liz Dodd, Kim Lucas, Lisa Amick then budget meeting will be called.

President – Kim Lucas

- Nominations for PTA officer positions
o Recording Secretary
▪ Lindsay Blodgett, accepted and elected

Fundraising – Ashley DeLucia

- Fundraising complete for the school year

Membership – Katy Gilliam

- Looking for ideas to ramp up membership

1st Vice President – Heather Robbins

- Needs volunteers for fifth grade graduation
- Family Focus Night, May 15 at Freshies, 5-8 pm

V. Committee Reports

- Spiritwear sales, made more money than in years past.
- Staff appreciation, thanks to everyone who contributed

VI. Announcements

- Upcoming events
 - New Parent Orientation, May 9, 6 pm
 - Family Focus Night, May 15, 5-8 pm
 - Fun Day
 - 20 day park celebration
 - Fifth grade promotion

VII. New Business

- Looking for committee help for next year to help with Boosterthon, Back to School Bash, and Kindergarten playdate
- Congratulations to new SBDM committee members, Jeff Lowe and Randa Remer Eskridge

VIII. Adjourn

- The meeting was adjourned at 8:18 am by Kim Lucas.

These meeting minutes respectfully submitted by: Jennifer Soltis, Recording Secretary