

PTA Meeting September 20, 2023 7:30am

Welcome - PTA President Laura Collie

PTA overview -PTA is an organization of parents that support teachers and staff and promote community at IPE.

Ways the PTA supports IPE:

- -Teacher appreciation: mini grants of \$100 for teachers (must join pta for reimbursement!)
- -School beautification: grounds days, storage in gym, lobby refresh
- -Community building events: dance, fun night
- -Fundraising: Walk the Plank (Our largest fundraiser that is held in the spring, all student receive a t-shirt, raise about \$20,000 that is the bulk of our budget), give back spirit nights and spirit wear

Board intros

Laura Collie- President

Ashley Bender- Vice President

Julie Wehmeyer- Treasurer

Stephanie Rookwood- Secretary



Admin intro

Principal Leighty- Reminder for Curriculum showcase Sept 21, please RSVP, pizza will be provided to families

Reminder to update contact information in PowerSchool

Staff updates

Ms.Downing-PE teacher

- Walk and Roll to school will be on Oct.4. Students and parents meet at Kirkwood park in the morning and walk to school. If you are interested in providing snacks please contact Ms. Downing.

Ms. Troxler-School Counselor- Partners with families and staff to ensure social and emotional development.

Ms. Woodall- School Social Worker

-Adopt a student for Christmas, please contact Ms.Woodall if you are interested. Please donate pants and coats no longer needed to the school.

Mr. Hadas, Art Teacher

Mr. Drye, Music Teacher- Plans to have a December and spring production.

Ms. Doty, STEAM teacher- Planning a STEAM family night in April. Requesting parents drop off recyclables.

Budget overview

100 year celebration of IPE - Please come out Saturday, October 7, 2-5pm

Spread the word!

T-shirts on sale until Sept 22

We are asking parents and the community to donate \$100 to honor 100 years of IPE. Those who donate \$100 or more will be entered into a raffle to win a \$100 gift card to Lawn Service. Funds raised will go towards the purchase of a new kiln for the art program!

Volunteers are needed and a sign-up will be sent out soon.