

Irving Park Elementary PTA Meeting Minutes

January 25, 2022 2:30 PM

Welcome and introductions - Jenny Sherouse, PTA President

- Laura Collie, PTA Vice President & Events
- Elizabeth Paul, Treasurer
- Julia Wehmeyer, PTA Secretary & Grounds Committee

Approval Of Minutes

• No minutes to approve

Budget - Elizabeth Paul

- Elizabeth shared the budget highlights below you can always request a current budget by emailing Elizabeth.
- Principal Curry has been diligent about making sure teachers and the school have access to and spend all the allotted Title 1 and state money.
- \$37,000 in account
 - \$4K for mini grants currently issuing the funds to the teachers that applied.
 - Significant amount still left for curriculum
 - Discretionary budget of \$100 if you are a parent buddy, please check in and make sure your teacher has requested or plans to request their \$100.

Meeting Schedule

• Meetings for February and March will be at 2:30 PM. Stay tuned for April and May

Staff Reports

• None

Recent Events

- Holiday treats and coffees for teachers
- PJs in the park in December
 - \circ $\,$ Plan to have those again when the weather warms up



Committee Updates

- Grounds
 - Spring clean-up day coming
 - Remind your kids to use trashcans at school. If you have time on the weekends or after school, please help with litter pick up.

• Teacher Appreciation

- Lunch this Friday, 1/28/22
- Trying to do something once/month
- Mini Grants
 - Elizabeth covered above
- Yearbooks
 - Candid photos are needed. Dropbox info to come. If you have any from Dojo or PTA events, please upload to dropbox when link is ready

Volunteer Needs

- Week of Love
- Open House
- Spring fundraiser
- Fun Day

Upcoming Events - Save the Date

- Teacher Appreciation Lunch: January 28, 2022
- Week of Love: February 7-11, 2022
- School Store: will open the month of February
- ALL HANDS ON DECK: April 4-8 2022
- Fun Day: May 7, 2022
- Kindergarten Open House: TBD
- Spring Clean Up Day: TBD

NEXT MEETING: FEBRUARY 15, 2022 at 2:30 PM

Discussion/Questions

- Principal Curry will get in touch with the Boy Scouts to talk about their truck in the parking lot
- Thank you to all parent volunteers who helped with the book fair!
- If you'd like to be involved on the PTA board, please let Jenny Sherouse know. We will be looking for folks to transition in and take a bigger role for the next school year.