

Evergreen PTO September 2025 Minutes

Sept. 9th, 2025

In attendance: Klay, John, Kylie, Jenn, Lisa, Brenda, Ellen, Sara, Laura, Casse, Erica, Nanette, Jamie, Ryan, Andrea, Karin, Cassie, Amelia, Randa, Dennise, Amber, Dustin, Mike

Call Meeting to Order: 6:31 pm

*PTO video shown- who we are and what we do

Welcome/Introductions: Meet the Board and “For the good of the school...”

- All things Kindy
- Readerboard
- Photo backdrop
- Chalk the walk
- Open house/ice cream social

Share how voting works and who gets to vote.

June minutes review: motion to approve: Mike. 2nd; Brenda, all in favor

ASB: What is ASB? How are they connected to PTO?

5th graders apply and commit to be leaders. Will help at events, present at meetings, and lead by example.

Principal Report: Mr. Danford

- Last-minute staffing changes
- Beginning of the year PD and LID - planning, essential standard work, unit planning
- Hacking School Discipline Together and PBIS reboot (check out website)
- Smooth start for 1-5
- Great Kindergarten first day
- Connection with our students
- Assessing to set learning baselines and deliberate instruction
- Classroom visits are showing a good, positive start
- Look for job opportunities on the district website

Old Business:

- **Did you notice our new readerboard???**
 - On from 6am - 8pm

New Business:

- **Book Fair- open every day (9/15-9/19) until 4pm, parent shopping night is Tuesday, September 16th until 6pm**
- **Grandparents Day- 8:00-8:45 for treats, coffee, visit classrooms and check out the book fair.**
- **Red Robin dine out night, Newport Hwy. location, sales from this location benefit Evergreen all day with mentioning Evergreen Elementary.**
- **Living Classroom- What is it and why should I be involved?**
- **Art Attack- What is it and why should I be involved?**
- **Skate night @ Pattison's - 24th**

Treasurer Report: John Phillips

- **Discuss the new budget**
- **Answer questions**
- **Vote in the 2025/2026 budget** motion to approve: Jenn. 2nd; Mike, all in favor

Funds Requests:

- ~~**Klay McPeck - \$86.48 for math fact lab for 4th grade (some 3rd graders) from 4th grade budget.**~~ (no longer need)
- **Ari Swenson- \$197.98 for supplemental materials for 4th grade** 3rd-5th grade, project based math. In budget.
- **Jamie (Custodians)- \$150 ish for a mini fridge/freezer for their space. Be able to keep their food from being dumped and tossed out with everyone else's.** \$237.84 Student Support Budget. Motion: Klay, 2nd: Sara, all in favor
- **Karin Llyr- \$762.74 from music budget** In budget
- **Ciarra Kelsey- New mailboxes for her class. Read her information with the reasoning. \$95 +tax** In budget
- **Randa Brose- Kindy Plates (cost?)** In budget
- **Cindy Boldrick- Snacks for Title students, we got this request last June and opted to hold off until fall. Giving a buffer for students who would benefit from a snack in order to be able to focus on academic learning. \$200 is being asked (we would just order the snacks online).** Student Support Budget. Motion: Randa, 2nd: Sara, all in favor

Highlight Team: Kindy!

Closing Remarks: PTO Board

Gift Card Raffle: Andrea H.

Close Meeting: 7:57 pm