



*The purpose of the Ferson Creek Elementary PTO is to enhance the curricular and extracurricular educational experience of all children and to support programs which would otherwise not be offered by providing necessary funding, volunteers and materials to teachers, students and the school.*

## **Ferson Creek Elementary PTO Minutes**

**Date, Time, and Location:** Tuesday, April 9, 2018, 1:30 PM in the faculty lounge

**Meeting Called to Order by** President Shannon Puri at 1:30 PM

### **Attendance:**

Kathy Murry, Shannon Puri, Pam Rancour, Annie Wilson, Karen Kurbyn, Keri Bardouniotis, Kerrie Martin, Jenny Kesner – There were 8 members in attendance

Minutes are approved

### **Treasurer**

Some transactions

Restaurant nights brought in 700+, will make up the 1000 gap between WAC

A lot of work to do for Spring Bingo

### **Committee Reports**

Teacher appreciation week – Karen Kurbyn

- Has done for last 8 years, passing it on this year and helping out
- May 7-11
- Talking to Dr Sculles about flowers, each teacher gets a flower and makes a bouquet
- Breakfast, lunch, raffle,
- AVIC – can they create a project with the kids to present to their teachers – will talk to Lisa Sommer
- May 4<sup>th</sup> is 3-5 May 7<sup>th</sup> K-2 next AVIC dates – hopefully focus is for this

5<sup>th</sup> grade breakfast – Keri Bardouniotis

- Wants to involve some 5<sup>th</sup> grade parents
- Lisa Sommer will help
- Kids want to do the baby pictures
- May 5<sup>th</sup> – date for breakfast (last day of school)
- Email going out to teachers to gather photos (room parents can help too)
- Will use Signup Genius for volunteers for food

Spring Bingo – Shannon Puri

- Rolling, a week from Friday
- Teachers are signing up to be bingo callers
- Awesome donations
- Preorder packets have gone home – they are due Monday
  - o Pre-printed labels available with pre-ordering
- New Shaw Jersey (signed) being added to featured raffle
- Class baskets look great

- Going forward, if we can communicate class baskets better next year, that would help
- Basket making party on Thursday during the day
- Sign-up Genius going out today
- Looking for gift card donations
- Representative from Gray Willows coming to Spring Bingo
  - o We adopted them as our park
    - Raising money for seeds
    - Student advisory board will be selling seeds for the pencils for gray willows

#### Barnes and Noble night – Shannon Puri

- Mandi will be sending out sign-up to teachers to read at the event
- Was originally 5/9, 5/16 is the new B&N night
- Was conflicting with new student moving night

#### Yearbook – Shannon Puri

- Book is submitted
- 371 ordered
- books will be distributed last week of school

#### Spirit Wear

- New store is opening on Monday 4/15 and will remain open until 5/11
- This allows families transferring to Ferson to purchase Spirit Wear

#### Restaurant Nights

- Panera on 4/18, Open to Close
- Jimmy Johns 4/30, 4- close
- Proceeds from April Restaurant Nights will support Gray Willows

#### School Tool Box

- Dr. Sculles is finalizing supply lists with teachers for vendor to provide final pricing

#### **Principals Report** – Delivered by Shannon Puri on behalf of Dr. Sculles

- Lemonade War – each classroom is receiving this book donated and all will be reading it
- Field day 5/31, AM and PM session. Mixed group of ages like last year, rain date is 6/1
- Cals angels walk is same day as 5<sup>th</sup> grade breakfast in the afternoon

#### New Business

- PTO recruitment
- Handful of positions available including VP
- Online nomination system
  - o Going out to entire school,
  - o Kerrie to update intro paragraph
  - o Online ballot will go out in May after nominations are in
- Election will close may 8
- Started at 8:45 volunteer breakfast then 9:30 meeting

#### Facebook page – Ferson Creek PTO

- Want to get more parents to like it, invite Ferson families to like the page
- Add to homepage of pto website

**Adjourned 2:22pm**

**Next Meeting: Tuesday May 8<sup>th</sup> at 9:30 am**

**Upcoming Events:**

- Spring Bingo – 4/20
- Restaurant Night Jimmy Johns 4/30