

Horizon Elementary PTA General Membership Meeting

June 2nd, 2016

Call To Order: 6:02pm.

Approval of Old Minutes: Updated minutes have been approved.

Teacher's Report:

- There is nothing to report or request at this time.
- Each class is developing a themed basket for the Auction at Carnival. We will store the baskets in Room 408.

Principal's Report:

- Future planning may need to involve setting up General Membership Meetings ahead of time and get them on the Horizon calendar to align them with events such as Success Night, Art Night, etc.
- Field Day/BBQ: June 16th @ 9:30am. We are using para educators to volunteer. Each teacher will be asked to recruit three parents to help with Field Day to help man the stations. Kids will self-select what stations they want to engage in.
- Traverse wall should be ready anytime now; they were working on it today. We will use it during Carnival.
- Camp Barakah will be here Monday, 6/6.
- Final round of interviews were done today for the Assistant Principal. Mr. Erdly made his recommendation for who would be a good fit for Horizon.
- Dr. Watts met with KSD leadership to outline changes and restructuring.
- Summer reading program will target 100 or so kids to keep them reading throughout the summer. We are also doing a book swap.
- Is there interest in running a Movie Night on a Wednesday in late July or first week of August?
- Looking for what to do with all the water that has a pull date in October. We may give each class a case of water for Field Day and then sell the remainder at Carnival.

New Business:

- Carnival Updates:
 - Flyers will be going out and posted at local businesses and community.
 - Posting to social media.

Budget Report:

- Balance on 5/31/16 is \$20,870.07.
- Balance on hand is \$35,922.76.
- Looking to determine how we can get a quorum for voting on the 2016-2017 PTA budget.
- Art Night made \$91. \$271 was donated to Teacher Appreciation.
- There were some minimal expenses for Walk-A-Thon.
- A motion was made by Brandy Galloway and seconded by Linnea Laffoon to amend the Standing Rules of having the budget meeting by May 30th to approve the budget; we will discuss the budget on this date of June 2nd, 2016. The motion was approved.
 - One question about the Yearbook line item to be adjusted.
 - Kent School District has mandated that no Pool Parties for school events (i.e. Sixth Grade Party). PTA can host any events that could be at the pool if it is separate from KSD insurance.
 - Change wording on line item from "Sixth Grade Party" to "Sixth Grade Celebration."
 - New line item: "Hawk Sponsorships" to get businesses.

Adjourned: 7:24pm.