

Hillside PTO Meeting Minutes

May 18, 2016

In Attendance: Brendan McCafferty, Stephanie Spencer, Maureen Hamel, Kim Gilroy, Tanya Robinson, Pam Murphy, Mike Dupre, Jim O'Connell

Meeting Began: 7:10 pm

Minutes: Reviewed and accepted April's PTO minutes

Treasurers Report: Reviewed by Mike Dupre. Operating Statement: Current Balance \$5,003.45, Auction Account Balance \$36,647.56. There are some outstanding pledges from the auction still expected (\$1000, \$250, \$150 and \$3000). Mike implementing a "Check Request Form" to be filled out when anyone is in need of the Treasurer to issue a check from the PTO accounts. Maureen motioned to accept this change, Pam seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously. Also learned HAMS using PTO TaxID – Pam to get Bank Statement to Mike.

Principal's Report: Thank you to the PTO and especially Tanya Robinson for a terrific Teacher's Appreciation Week! Mr. McCafferty also discussed his plans to work on collaborations with local companies (Dyn, Cummings Printing, SNHU, etc.) as Business Partners over the summer to move forward with plans on the Media Center. More to report in September. Mr. McCafferty also implementing some new School wide committees in the fall with the goal to further engage our Hillside School community.

Upcoming Events: (More information and Dates on Hillside Website)

May 19 Open House for parents of incoming 6th Graders 6:30pm

May 24th Field Day (Most likely will be held on RAIN DATE of May 25th) DJ, games, BBQ - \$ donations accepted to help purchase 911 pizza, etc. Mr. O'Neil will also pick up ping pong tables or other yard games for use or donation if anyone has items in their basement they are looking to part with!

May 27th Memorial Day Assembly (10:00) and Walk Against Hunger (12:30)

June 3rd 8th grade dance- Get the word out that our students don't need a date. This is a fun evening out with friends. 6:30-9pm

June 8th 8th grade Morning Award Ceremony 9am – 10:30 (Justine? calling parents of award recipients by June 1st) ; Evening 8th Grade promotion ceremony 6:30pm

June 9th Last Day of School

Mr. McCafferty had a request for the PTO to purchase a SawStop for Mr. Leblanc and his classes (similar to how PTO purchased Kiln for the Art Department a couple of years ago.) The SawStop has safety features for fingers and hands and costs \$2865 but with delivery would be a total of \$3300 requested from the PTO Operating Account. After discussion, Brendan made the motion, Pam seconded and motion passed unanimously.

Auction: Mike reported that Thank you Letters are on hold until we have final numbers.

New Business: Replacement needed for Sherry Nannis who currently updates website, updates Facebook and manages the Hillside Apparel for sale (Tshirts) as her son is graduating.

NEXT PTO MEETING WILL BE announced in the Fall 7PM- Media Center

Meeting Adjourned: Mr. McCafferty made motion to end; Stephanie seconded the motion @ 8:15pm