

Ledgeview Elementary PTA

General Membership Meeting
March 8, 2017

Meeting Minutes

Call to Order: 6:33pm

Attendees: Julie Moran (President), Kristen Cottrell (Principal/2nd VP), Staci Szugye (Recording Secretary), Laura Ralls (Corresponding Secretary), Nicole Morgan (Treasurer), Sherry Atha (Council Delegate), Kelly Toth (Council Alternate), Cathy Bonanno, Katrina Jackson, Melinda Varian, Cindy Maher, Cathy Fahey-Hunt, Lisa Purcell, Candy Forrer, Melissa Parker

Absent officers: Leah Yax (Vice President)

GUESTS/COMMUNITY FORUM: (none)

OFFICER REPORTS:

Recording Secretary – Staci Szugye

1. Approval of minutes from February 7, 2017 meeting
 - a. motion (Toth), 2nd (Atha) – approved

Treasurer – Nicole Morgan (absent)

1. Bank reconciliation/Expenses

Vice President – Leah Yax

1. Mini Grants
 - a. Mrs Stone – Northeast Ohio Rocks project - \$210 for oil based paint markers (7 sets), mod podge (6) to do the rocks with all grade levels
 - i. Motion (Bonanno), second (Parker) - approved
 - b. Mrs Occhionero – guided reading books
 - i. Presented to the Nordonia Foundation and Todd Stuart to see if they can cover cost
 1. Todd Stuart said they can use Raz-kids but also looking into providing something toward this
 2. For now, we will not be funding this project.

2nd Vice President/Principal – Kristen Cottrell

1. Thank you for the funds for the library book sale. Also purchased 1000 books with principal fund from Scholastic for the book swap as well.
2. Right To Read Week (May 22-26, 2017)
 - a. Committee has met and is planning. Tents outside, decorations in different areas of the school to learn about different parks, giant tree in the lobby, and much more.
3. 4th Grade has asked for a Nature Club. Kelly Toth to head up in place of Science Club this year. Will be meeting to plan and coordinate activities. The 4th grade students will take the lead on the activities and events they do.

Corresponding Secretary – Laura Ralls

1. Correspondence/Thank you's
 - a. Thank you from Mrs Schlund and all kids for book bins for the library

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Council Delegate – Sherry Atha

1. Installation dinner – no longer 4/26/17. Date TBA
2. Fun-n-Stuff – move our event to March instead of February since it conflicts with Polar Blast the last two years.
3. Council LOVED the idea of a holiday shop to benefit Council financially rather than one at each school.
 - a. Council wants to borrow our budget to reimburse after the event once money is replenished.
 - b. Will be at Winter Festival along with concerts and activities

President – Julie Moran

1. Thank you to Lisa Purcell and Candy Forrer for making the calendar fundraiser happen
 - a. Profit to date is approximately \$2600
2. Board positions for 2017-2018 – proposed slate, will vote to approve at the April meeting
 - a. President – Katrina Jackson
 - b. Vice President – Kelly Toth
 - c. Treasurer – Nicole Morgan
 - d. Recording Secretary – Staci Szugye
 - e. Corresponding Secretary – Melissa Parker
 - f. Council Delegate – Sherry Atha
 - g. Council Delegate Alternate – Leah Yax
3. Books for Library - \$175 purchased 419 books for the summer book swap headed by Mrs Schlund
4. 3rd and 4th Grade Testing – PTA to give out peppermints and water for all test dates
 - a. March 22-23 – 3rd grade ELA test
 - b. April 5-6 – 4th grade ELA test
 - c. April 25&28 – 4th grade social studies test
 - d. April 26-27 – 3rd grade math test
 - e. May 3-4 – 4th grade math test
 - f. All start at 9am – will need delivered first thing in the AM or end of the day the day prior
5. Field Day
 - a. Water bottles - Cost last year was just under \$500, will do again this year
 - b. Popsicles – push up style freezer pops will also be provided by PTA

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Box Tops (*Kelly Toth & Julia Henderson*):

1. February winners – Ryan Toth (Mrs Iskra), Ian Crutchley (Mrs Stanley)
2. March winners – Jenna Shriver (Mrs Iskra), Avrey Palinkas (Mrs Stagliano)
3. Currently 2nd grade is in the lead on the competition. Will end at the end of March. Remainder of the year will be one classroom that will win.

ANNOUNCEMENTS: (none)

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OLD BUSINESS: (none)

NEW BUSINESS: (none)

Meeting Adjourned: 7:04pm

Next Meeting: Tuesday, April 11, 2017, 6:30pm, Ledgeview Library

Submitted by: Staci Szugye

Upcoming Events Calendar

3.9.17 No School (Parent/Teacher Conferences)	4.11.17 PTA Meeting, 6:30 in the Library
3.10.17 No School (Teacher In-service)	4.14.17 No School (Good Friday)
3.24.17 Spirit Day	4.21.17 Volunteer Appreciation Tea
3.27.17 – 3.31.17 Spring Break	4.21.17 Spirit Day
4.3.17 Classes Resume	5.1.17 – 5.5.17 Staff Appreciation Week
4.4.17 Spring Picture Day	5.2.17 No School (Teacher In-service)