

Meadow Ridge Elementary
Meeting minutes for PTO General Meeting

January 9, 2024

Attendees: Zach Proett, Nicole Varnell, Nichole Kerns, Mary Lawson, Renee Wahl, Jennifer Reed, Erin O'Connor, Holly White, Joy Miller, Amanda McDaniel, Teresa Wood,

- I. Call to Order at 6:30 pm**
- II. Approval of December Minutes – Nichole makes motion Nicole second all approved.**
- III. Treasury Update: Nicole Varnell**
 - a. Transfer to savings**
 - b. \$353.66 fundraising event from Chuck E Cheeses**
 - c. Mom's Soda Shop – interested in an joining our events for purchase. They would be available for Jag Jam in June.**
 - d. Lost and found – discussion to reduce amount of items. Continue to display items and move them to entrance during events and conference times. Would rather not focus too much energy on items and rather helping students learn.**
- IV. New Business:**
 - a. Principal's Report: Erin O'Connor. MAP testing, Science of Learning staff book study – a book study for all staff to focus on ways to teach children to read.**
 - b. Teacher requests: Zach Proett – Mrs. Hocutt \$61 for recorder cases for 4th grader team. Nichole made motion; Renee moved. All approved.**
 - c. BoosterThon: Discussion – A new fundraising platform like APEX. We are looking for a change. This change will move PTO fundraising event to March 10-21, 2025, before Spring Break. Cost of BoosterThon program is 25% versus APEX of almost half of proceeds go to school.**

- d. Office Furniture – front office is interested in furniture that is not upholstered. Admins will be finding items they want to order and will submit a request.**
- e. Movie Tickets – Front office will help to sell, Zach can have Venmo available.**
- f. January Movie Night (1/12 6-8)**
 - a. Nichole calling to order popcorn, Zach is working the movie, Mrs Miller will be helping set up projector. Renee can help.**
- g. Hockey Night 2/23 – 100 tickets will be available**
- h. Indians family night May 3rd**
- i. Crave cookie fundraiser set for February. We receive 10% of proceeds. Event will be from 3:30-10pm**
- j. March Bingo Night 3/19**
 - a. Need a committee (Zach will ask Krista to be Chair)**
 - b. Mystery bags for prizes to purchase bingo boards.**
 - c. Ask if Mom’s Pop Shop would be interested in selling drinks.**