

Soaring Hawk Elementary School  
**PTO Meeting Minutes**  
Wednesday, February 7, 2018



### Welcome, Dixie Payne

Meeting called to order at 1:47pm

Number present: 10; board members absent: 1 (Monica Allen)

### Principal's Report

Light the Night

- Legacy Tile Wall Update - The theme for the tile wall will be "stars." The tiles will be designed as an art project in art class beginning mid-February, and the sheets will be sent home with the students with order forms. Order forms need to be clearly stated as to the purpose of the tile wall as a fundraiser and a permanent art piece in the school.
- Carnival Update - researching new ideas; nerf battle zone will be added; need help gathering stuffed animals. The Bieber family will be providing a sound system with light and fog show
- Food - We will be selling pizza.
- Auction Update- Monica has been working on the online auction items and getting it on the website with thank you's to companies who have donated. We will be working on a Thursday Folder insert requesting donation items.
- Teacher Grants
  - \$286 for supplies for OG training (reading intervention) for Ryan Stitt (approved)
  - \$350 for math intervention for Janelle Ranford and Monica Allen (approved)
  - \$340 for Math Pentathlon program (approved)
  - \$149 to start Math Olympiad (approved)

### Secretary's Report

- **Motion** to approve December 7, 2018 minutes made by Holly Rodin.
- Weekend Backpack Program needs sign-ups. At this point, we will attempt to request sign-ups via front office school-wide email and PTO Facebook page.

### Vice Principal's Report, Mr. Roberson

Administration has started looking at the budget for the 2018-2019 school year. Administration and SAC team have begun to look at how teachers and class sizes will be organized. The largest number of students are in the current Kindergarten, 1st, and 3rd grades. The school is not losing large numbers of students in enrollment, and we have a good record for retention. We are continuing to grow the welcome committee to bring in families. Parent volunteers in classrooms are a great way to help motivate our students in learning.

### Treasurer's Report

- We have received checks from 3 spirit nights, boxtops, and holiday gift shop.
- Expenses that have been paid are teacher snack cart, teacher Christmas gifts, 6th grade thank you lunch, Nerf Battle Zone, and holiday shop.

### SAC

Budgeting for 2018-2019 school year

### Committee Reports

- Book Fair- sign up will be coming and set up will be on March 6
- Chipotle Spirit night is March 9

- BoxTops- Aurora will do BoxTops for Spring
- Parent Teacher Conference dinner sign ups will be coming
- Welcome Committee has been meeting to discuss ideas for next school year- input and feedback is helpful

Meeting moved to adjourn by Holly Rodin, 2nd by Jillian Just

### Upcoming Events

Teacher Appreciation is coming up- start coming up with ideas on how to make sure we

February 15: Rink at the Rock Ice Skating Spirit Night: 4:00pm-8:00pm

February 16/ February 19: No School - Professional Development Day/ President's Day

February 23: Donuts with Dad: 7:45am - 8:30am

March 7-9 & 12-13: Book Fair (varying hours)

March 8 & 13: Parent-teacher Conferences

March 9: Chipotle Spirit Night

March 19-23: No School - Spring Break

March 27: Smart Cow Spirit Night: 12:00pm-9:00pm