

Wyandot Elementary PTO Meeting Minutes

March 3, 2022 at 7:00 pm

Meeting held via Zoom

- I. Welcome
- II. Principal's Report
 - A. Events are once again being planned with the school beginning to reopen to a minimal number of volunteers. Events and Field Trips are teacher / grade directed at this time.
 - B. Mrs. Schwartz and Mrs. Brundrett have enjoyed reading stories to each class chosen by the classroom teacher for Read Across America week.
 - C. The 4th graders have completed a Kindness Challenge during the month of February, including Kindness Bingo, with participation from students in all grades at Wyandot.
 - D. Events for the outgoing 5th graders are currently being planned with the 5th grade team, and planning for next school year has already begun.
 - E. The district Dodgeball Tournament will take place on May 13th. Student teams will be formed in the coming weeks and 22 Wyandot staff members have signed up to participate this year.
 - F. State testing will begin in April.
- III. President's Report
 - A. Upcoming Events
 1. Field Day
 - a) Once the schedule is established, we will need a Sign Up Genius to have 2 volunteers at each station for each group. We will continue to promote that all volunteers must have a completed background check.
 - b) Discuss the idea of popsicles or other treats - It was discussed that popsicles will be easier to pass out this year. Sugar free popsicles will also be provided.
 2. Movie Night on Friday May 20th
 - a) Need to obtain a movie license, costing \$516 for unlimited movies (including outdoors) for one year or \$395 for one showing - It was decided that purchasing a movie license for unlimited movies for one year would be ideal. The license can then be used for any events in the school for one calendar year.
 - b) Food if an event is held - We will not sell any food at this event. We will ask families to bring a picnic prior to the movie and enjoy time outside before the movie begins.
 3. Fifth Grade Event
 - a) Quotes from various businesses
 - (1) Skate Zone 71
 - (a) \$7/student for skating
 - (b) \$9/student for skating, slice of pizza, and drink
 - (c) \$12.50/student for skating, pizza, drink, Laser Tag
 - (d) \$15.50/student for skating, unlimited pizza and drinks, and Laser Tag
 - (2) Urban Air
 - (a) \$20/student for Ultimate Attractions and socks

- (3) Rockin' Jump - \$16/student + \$3.99 for fruit and pizza
 - (4) Supergames roller skating rink - \$3500
 - (a) The students will vote via Google Form on which location they would like to hold this event. Buses will be reserved once this is decided. If Urban Air is chosen, we will have a pizza party at Wyandot.
 - (5) PTO will begin collecting baby pictures for the 5th grade slideshow. We will work with the 5th grade team to determine the easiest way to import the pictures and maximize compatibility.
 - b) Legacy gift - Mrs. Clark has been speaking with the 5th graders as to what they would like the Legacy Gift to be. At this time, they are looking at cement benches and a plaque for the front of the school, in addition to purchasing flowers for the flower beds. These will compliment the 3 trees that were planted in honor of September 11th 20 years ago. Mrs. Clark is awaiting information from the district as to what benches will be allowed.
 4. Staff Appreciation Week
 - a) Mrs. Schwartz and Mrs. Brundrett have plans for May 2nd and 5th. PTO will plan lunch and perhaps gift cards for May 3rd and 4th. Field Day is May 6th and we will not plan anything significant for that day.
 5. Grants
 - a) Mrs. Davis has requested a grant for ukuleles, which was approved on February 14th. This grant was approved in conjunction with Scottish Corners PTO in order to obtain a discount on the ukuleles. We are awaiting to hear from Scottish Corners as to how the purchase will be made.
 6. Scholarships
 - a) Wyandot is one of the schools to choose PTO scholarships this year - We are awaiting the applications, which should be available in the coming days.
 7. Miscellaneous
 - a) Publishing Shop - start this year or wait until next school year - **Wait until 2022-23**
 - b) School Supplies
 - (1) Discount was increased from 10% to 13%. School Kidz is looking for 2 more schools to join to receive a district discount of 15% - Teachers are currently choosing the supplies to be included in the boxes.
 8. Meetings to remain virtual or in-person - Meetings will remain virtual for the remainder of the year.
- IV. Treasurer's Report - No significant expenses in February with the exception of conference dinners, and several teachers requesting reimbursement from the allotted classroom funds.

Next PTO meeting scheduled to take place on April 7, 2022 at 7:00 pm