

## **Spring Road School PTO Meeting Minutes**

### **Tuesday, January 26, 2021**

Attendees via Zoom Meeting: Laura Taylor, Latham Linstedt, Jene Fulcer, Diane Luft, Alanna Smith, Noelle Peterson, Rich Churchill, Jessica DeDeker, Jenni Oeftger, Jill Weyer, Michele Martin,

- Meeting was called to order at 4:32 pm.
- Latham motioned to approve November minutes and Diane seconded.
  
- Principal Report:
  - In January, the school held their end of quarter PBIS celebration. Had a theme of Camp Roadrunner winter style. Each class made winter themed window displays and are having a contest to see who wins. The class that wins the contest will get a yummy breakfast snack.
  - Mrs Luft provided a PBIS update to the PTO. From Sept- December, there have only been 9 minor and 2 major ODRS. In comparison, last year December alone had 11 minors and 18 majors. December this year there were 2 minors and 1 major so there has been quite a decline over the last year.
  - Report cards come home on Thursday January 28th for students. Virtual students will be able to see them on Wednesday January 27th.
  
- Treasurer report
  - Account Balances (as of 1/26/21)
    - Savings: \$7031.95
    - Checking: \$9518.61
    - Project: \$13,280.20
  - Deposits
    - \$215 Donations for Parent Teacher Conference Meals
    - \$1,159.06 Square 1 Art fundraiser profit
  - Expenses
    - \$21.90 Richard Churchill (Mulch for trees)
    - \$2225.00 Trees by Brady (5 trees for playground)
  
- Boys Scout Update
  - Virtual meetings and ice fishing outing planned for next month. Not much else going on since weather has forced stuff inside and limitations due to the pandemic.
  
- Social Update
  - We had about 50-60 families participate in the holiday scavenger hunt. Winners were drawn and announced at school on Friday Jan 15th.
  - Nothing is planned immediately. They wanted to have a snowman building contest in January but we haven't had the snow to do that.
  - Girls Scouts are hosting the February event and Jene and Michelle will look into getting something planned for March or April.
  
- Conference Meals
  - Laura and Jenni shared that they are in the beginning stages of planning for teacher conference meals for the spring. They have asked Diane to set up an online donation again for families to help contribute.

- Feedback was provided on meal ideas. Fazolis went over really well in the fall. It was easy to grab and reheat if necessary. Stucs was good but it was a lot of food and did cause some confusion with ordering.
  - It worked well to open up that fridges to allow for teachers to grab a drink of their choice. The PTO can reimburse or restock the fridge after spring conferences as needed.
  - Information will be going out to parents to request donations and any ideas for places to cater in are welcome and can be directed to Jenni and Laura.
- Eatons Pizza
    - Jill Weyer said Eatons was so well received in prior years and seems to really be enjoyed by the students, she would love if we could do it this year.
    - Diane informed that the district said we can do Eatons as long as parents aren't coming into the school to pick up (can do a drive thru pick up) and students aren't going door to door to solicit.
    - Jill will be contacting Eatons to see what type of timeline he needs but we are hoping to have order forms to families by Feb 5th with a due date around Feb 22nd and a targeted delivery date of March 17th.
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  - Additional Business
    - March Music in our Schools Month: Jessica DeDecker shared she is trying to come up with ideas of how to celebrate music in our schools. Some ideas she would like to implement is teachers sharing music/instruments they play/how music is special to them. She would like to encourage some type of dress up days that are music themed and maybe create some type of announcements that the schools can use. She is working on developing this and will be contacting Mrs. Luft, Mrs. Rahmlow, and Mrs. Shebesta.
    - Alanna gave an update for Square 1. Order dates for families will be April 5th-16th with a targeted delivery date of May 7th. Alanna and Jessica are hoping to be able to get something organized so they can get them out to families to have before Mother's Day.
  - Meeting was adjourned at 5:21 pm.