



Pine Ridge PTO General Meeting

Thursday, May 20, 2021

Meeting Minutes

In Attendance

- Amy Faulkner
- Nicole Gill
- Mary Scripps
- Tammy Morris
- Marissa Andersen
- Sarah O'Donnell
- Jeni Stamas
- Katie Rieffenberger
- Kalani Anderson
- Britt Metzger
- Tamasha James

Teacher Representative Report - Tammy Morris

- Really looking forward to having parents back in the building
- Grateful for everything we were able to do despite the crazy year

Principal's Report - Tamasha James

- Looking forward to continuing the family feel at Pine Ridge
- Having support was what was needed to get through this year
- Everything we did made a difference
- Thankful for all the flexibility in making ideas happen
- Proud of staff for never giving up on education
- Specifically thank the HRPs for their work in helping teachers out
- Thank you for the group of parents who helped donate culturally diverse books
- Continuing to interview for new principal, may have parents come in to help with the process, looking to make final decision by the end of the school year

Committee Reports

- Fourth grade fun day – Jeni Stamas
 - Lots of minute to win it games – June 4 @ 9am
 - Ice cream
 - Video time capsule
 - Special present from Mrs. James

- Book fair – Amy Faulkner
 - Leaning towards moving back to Scholastic next year
 - Parents really enjoy the BOGO in the spring
 - Ease of replenishing because of warehouse being close
 - Looking to schedule for the week of parent teacher conference or week of musicals

President's Report – Sarah O'Donnell and Britt Metzger

- General updates
 - Huge thank you for all of our volunteers
- Upcoming events
 - Koetsier's Greenhouse – 5/28-29
 - Read outside celebration – 5/28
 - Everyone in the school heading outside to read together as a family
 - Popsicles to celebrate
 - Final PBIS reward
 - Ranger Rally Remix
 - All classes walking throughout the day
 - Families invited back in the evening to participate as well
- Presentation of the Mike Larue Reading Grant – Kacie Johnson
- Mr. Mainero retirement gift
 - Wind chimes to hang outside the music room
- Thank yous
 - Jeni Stamas – all of the committees she participated in this year
 - Amy Faulkner
 - Katie Rieffenberger
- Volunteer opportunities
 - Still a lot of availability for committees

Introduction and Approval of PTO Board for 2021-22

- Sarah O'Donnell (president)
- Marissa Andersen (vice president)
- Savana Beal (secretary)
- Nicole Gill (treasurer)
- Mary Scripps (assistant treasurer)
- Katie Rieffenberger (parliamentarian)
- Ben Rapin (web master)

Treasurer's Report

- PTO Spending Report
 - Made just over \$2000 in restaurant fundraisers
 - Summary of some expenses
 - 20 wobble cushions purchased for Mrs. Sherrington
 - Reading grant for Ms. Johnson

- \$1100 to bring in illustrator Ebony Glenn in for a virtual presentation
- Approval of the 2021-2022 Budget
 - Increase the Cultural Arts budget to \$3500
 - Sarah O'Donnell motions to approve the 2021-2022 PTO budget. Mary Scripps seconds and the PTO approves.