



Location: Metropolitan Market
Meeting called to order at 958AM. Quorum Present.

Cultural Fair Closing Statement- Claudia Barbeyto

- Challenges this year included not having anyone to run the United States table until the last minute, no one was able to go outside due to weather conditions, and they ran out of stickers for passports, so they needed to use other stickers that were not of the correct country. Despite challenges, it was considered a success overall. There was a good turnout of families at the event and there were 21 country tables. Station hosts were more engaging this year. Music was a good addition to the event. Kids enjoyed the passport books so stamps will be purchased for next year instead of using stickers. There are enough craft materials left over to use again next year. The event went over budget by \$80 and the budget will be increased to \$450 for next year. Claudia is interested in knowing which families might be interested in participating in the Cultural Fair for next year. Marissa will ask Tera Coyle if it is possible to get ethnic information of Creekside families for this purpose.

President's Report- Marissa Corona

- Schoolstore.com is a program like Amazon Smile where you can earn money by using a special number for schoolstore.com when you shop online at stores such as Target, Kohls, Best Buy, and Walmart. More information will be gathered about this program to possibly use for next year. This year's focus will be placed on passive fundraising already in place. Information will be put at the bottom of eNews to encourage parents to buy using the smile.amazon site and turn in volunteer hours to their employer for matching funds.
- Cultural Differences Presentation was a success despite low turnout. Marissa will ask Tera if it would be possible to have an assembly for students discussing cultural differences.

Vice President's Report- Aimee Cermak & Karen Rajtar

- Membership- The report of 100% staff membership was sent in.
- The 5th Grade Destination Imagination team qualified to go to the state tournament on March 30th. They need an extra \$100 to cover registration fees. All present agreed to provide the extra funds to DI.
- Sarah Riley is asking that we only have one day for the Spring Book Fair and that it be on the day of the End of the Year BBQ. The Fall Book Fair was not well attended except for the days where there were teacher conferences, due to the school being locked before and after school. All in attendance agreed to this.

Vice Presidents of Fundraising Report- Andrea Bullock

- Acorn and Outstanding Ed Award nominations were reviewed. Award winners will be notified at the March General Meeting.
- Jagadeesh Kunda will present at the March General Meeting.

Treasurer's Report- Hailey Chamberlain

- Reviewed February 2019 Balance Report. A copy is attached to the minutes and a copy was posted on the PTSA website. The bank balance was \$117,724.46.
- Kathy Keegan requested an increase in her stipend of \$100. It was proposed to increase other staff stipends in next year's budget to the amount that teachers receive- \$300. All in attendance agreed to Kathy's request and the stipend budget change for next year.
- STEM night 5th grade award/ribbons were purchased using funds from the Science Night Budget.
- 35 Teaching Staff Yearbooks will be paid by PTSA and an additional 6 yearbooks will be given to Tera for her to distribute to other staff.
- There are \$7906.36 of excess Hawk-a-thon funds. As soon as Gaga Pit costs are determined it will be possible to discuss how to spend the remaining funds.
- The budget for 2019-2020 is beginning to be planned so it can be proposed in May.
- Tera asked PTSA to support and promote a Sounders Creekside Game Day on May 11th. 125 seats will be held for Creekside families and staff. The PTSA will pay a 20% deposit of the tickets which will be reimbursed once tickets are purchased. Seats are \$20 each and currently in the sections 324 and 325. At the meeting today, they will discuss having our section of seats changed to ones that will be under cover.

A motion was made by Andrea Bullock to have only one membership fee that is \$25 which will include 2 adult PTSA memberships beginning in the 2019-2020 school year. The motion was seconded by Karen Rajtar, attendees voted, and motion was carried.

Vice Presidents of Volunteers/Programs Report- Krista Wood

- Talent Show will be on April 26th and promotion of the event will start next week and sign-ups will start March 27th. The theme will be the same as last year- "Creekside's Greatest Show".
- Update on Open Board Positions- Treasurer will be Eleanor Robinson. Colleen Mahon will be the VP of Volunteers but would like another person to share the position with her. Karen Hoetzel is being considered for the Sponsorship Board Position. Hailey Chamberlain and Jennifer Nakamura will be the Co-VP's of Fundraising. Nominees for Board positions for next year will be posted 2 weeks ahead of the March General Membership Meeting. Thanks to the nominating committee: Hailey Chamberlain, Annie Yim and Stefanie Hill.
- Chair Positions still open are Box Tops, Library Coordinator, Staff Appreciation and Room Parent Coordinator and Sponsorship.
- Science Night is on March 19th. There is a need for High School aged volunteers and volunteers in general.
- The ISF Luncheon is on May 3rd.
- The End of the Year BBQ is on June 7th.
- On April 3rd ISD Dining for Kids will be at Resonate Brewery and Pizzeria in Bellevue.
- Teacher's Appreciation Breakfast is this next Wednesday and more donations are needed. A sign up is available.

Secretary's Report- Taimay Jones

Creekside PTSA Board Meeting Agenda
March 8th, 2019 * 9:30AM-12:00PM

- Thank You Cards were written for Lorna Gilmour, and for Nominating Committee (Hailey Chamberlain, Annie Yim and Stefanie Hill).
- Yearbook- There are no children at the school this year who have asked to not be photographed. A letter will be sent to room parent coordinator that will remind all parents to make sure they have ordered a yearbook.
- The next General Meeting is March 26th.
- The next Board Meeting is April 19th 930-1230AM at Marissa's house.

Meeting adjourned at 11:47AM.