

Location: Creekside Library



Meeting called to order at 7:02 PM. Quorum Present.

Announcement of Golden Acorn Winners- Karen Rajtar

Four winners were honored this year: Andrea Bullock, Fiona O'Connor, Krista Wood, and Sandra Corcoran. Outstanding educator awards were Tammy Foos and Kristine Hannley.

President's Report- Marissa Corona

Popcorn Fridays- There continues to be difficulty finding volunteers. Dolores D'Alo will send emails asking for volunteers. Popcorn Friday causes issues of disappointment and frustration related to popcorn being taken, popcorn being batted out of hands, and kids who want popcorn don't always remember their quarters. It is particularly challenging for kids who have behavior issues. Special Ed teachers will be given coupons for free popcorn which they can distribute as needed. Popcorn Fridays cost the PTSA approximately \$2500 per year. Sales usually match the cost unless it is a year when the popper needs to be cleaned.

Vice President's Report- Karen Rajtar

Current PTSA Membership number is 463 individuals. Discussions will take place in the coming months regarding incentives for next year when purchasing memberships. For example, Discovery Elementary allows kids to smear slime on the principal if their parents buy a membership.

Treasurer's Report- Hailey Chamberlain

Financials reviewed and posted on PTSA website.

The budget for next year is being developed. By the April Board Meeting the proposed budget will be completed and reviewed. It will be voted on at the May General Meeting. Proposed changes to the 2019/2020 Budget include an increase to the Educational Assistant line item, changing membership pricing to one option of \$25 which covers 2 adults, and giving a yearbook to the teachers and certain staff. There is \$7906.34 left from the Hawk-a-thon fundraiser and a decision will be made on how to spend it before the end of the school year. The Gaga Pit will be installed in April. Monthly reminders about Amazon Smile and submitting volunteer hours to employers who match will go into the eNews. The contract for the Hawk-a-thon Web Developer is under negotiation and the proposed fee is \$5521 for next year. Changes to the existing website structure includes removing the ability to track cash and check donations and sending out text messages.

Creekside Sounders Game Day will be on May 11th at 7PM. There are 125 seats reserved on the upper level, third tier and under cover. Tickets are \$26 per piece. PTSA funds are available to purchase a small take home prize for all students in attendance.

Nominating Committee Report- Krista Wood

Creekside PTSA General Meeting Minutes
March 26, 2019 * 7:00PM-9:00PM

The 2019 Creekside PTSA nominating committee hereby places the following names in nomination for the 2019/2020 PTSA Board:

For office of President, Marissa Corona

For office of VP of Membership, Aimee Cermak and Karen Rajtar

For office of VP Volunteers, Colleen Mahon

For office of VP Fundraising, Jen Nakamura and Hailey Chamberlain

For office of Secretary, Taimay Jones

For office of Treasurer, Eleanor Robinson

For officer of Member-at-Large, Krista Wood

MOTION: Sandra Corcoran moved to approve the slate of nominees as presented by the nominating committee. The motion was seconded by Sharon Gelbrich. Attendees voted and motion carries.

Secretary's Report- Taimay Jones

The General Meeting minutes from January 2019 were submitted and no changes were made.

Vice Presidents of Volunteers/Programs Report- Krista Wood

- Talent Show Rehearsals are at 1:45PM on 4/17 and 4/24. The Talent Show takes place on 4/26 at 5:30PM and registration starts tomorrow.
- Art Night will be on 5/9 at 5:30PM.
- Staff appreciation week is from May 6th to the 10th.
- The End of Year BBQ is on Friday June 7th.
- A date for the volunteer appreciation breakfast has not been set. PTSA usually provides the gifts for this event.
- Both Sponsorship Chairs are open as well as Room Parent / Staff Appreciation Chair, and Co-VP of Volunteers.
- Book fair will be June 7th, for one day only.

Tentative dates for Hawk-a-thon are October 1st-11th. October 11th would be the fun run. October 14th is a teacher work day.

There are no other needs for popcorn at other events this year.

Meeting adjourned at 7:54PM