

Calf Pen Meadow PTA Meeting Minutes January 8 (prepared by GOC)

Introduction:

Meeting called to order at 6:35pm

Approval of meeting minutes of November 13 meeting. Motion to approve by Michele Bove;
Second by Stacia Piskura

Treasurer Report: By Erica E.; expenses and revenue are on budget; updated budget with revenue and expense totals circulated; Budget surplus still exists; no questions from membership about expenses or budget items

President Report: Presented by Amy R.; attended PTA Council meeting; Board of Ed is exploring phasing in 1 to 1 ratio of chrome books for all students.

2019-2020 school calendar voted at next Board of Ed meeting. New budget unveiled on January 24th.

Dr. Cutaia will announce her 3 year plan for district on February 11.

CPM PTA has Facebook page. Ask member to invite you if not already a member of page.

PTA awarded \$1,000 grant from Google. Internet program to be put on for students. May use money to support Stem or coding night in March. Still to be decided.

Cary over Scholastic dollars granted by PTA to library to help replenish books.

Earth Day Walkathon fundraiser being planned for April 24. Rain date of April 25. Pledge forms will go out 3-4 weeks in advance.

Winter Open Houses in February

Family game night on 1/25. 6-7:30

5th grade student teacher basketball game on March 8. 6-8pm at Foran HS. Open to all CPM community.

Teacher appreciation week is 5/6 - 5/10.

CPM Art show 5/17.

Next PTA meeting 2/5.

Vice President Report: Presented by Dina P.; planning for the 5th Grade sendoff is underway; coordinating with PTA Liaisons to communicate relevant information back to classrooms

Secretary Report: Presented by George O.; no new members since last meeting; PTA membership cards distributed to all members in attendance at meeting;

Reminder as to process for seeking reimbursement for expenses associated with PTA sponsored event; members must front the expense and then fill out reimbursement form within 7-10 days after the event; if a large and out of the ordinary expense is anticipated for an event contact PTA president or Treasurer to arrange for them to use the PTA credit card to make expenditure

Principal Report: Presented by Dr. Vail; Winter open houses in February; kindergarten registration is underway; 100th day of school coming on January 31; board games available for the last 10 minutes of lunch time

Erin Marschner (Teacher Leader) also spoke about the Ben's Bell's project that she is leading; Spirit Week coming to raise money for kindness mural; more to come on that at next meeting

Fundraising Update:

Charleston Wrap completed

Shop Rite signups still circulating; 35 people signed up for Shop Rite; 64 for Stop Shop

Amazon Smile account reopened; General membership has been notified so can add CPM to their Amazon accounts

Flower sale on May 9 and May 10

Big remaining fundraiser is the Walkathon for Earth Day in April; April 24 with rain date of April 25; will take place between 9 and noon in the CPM field; pledge forms will be sent out 3-4 weeks in advance; targeting \$30 in pledges per student; event will also likely have a recycling component

Other items:

Drama club is underway; Parts have been assigned; Performance on April 12th;

Meeting adjourned at 7:35 pm