

NGES PTO Agenda

Meeting Date: 11/04/2019

Meeting Location: The Stone Yard Greenville

1. Call to Order / Introductions

1. Do you decorate for the winter holidays and if so when do you start?

President: Shane Morrison

Brittney Sullivan-parent

Vice President: Jessie Hartjes

Amanda Schneider-parent

Secretary: Nicole Eidahl

Amy Timm-parent

Communications: Sacia Williams

Nicole Miller-parent

Heather LeFevre-parent

Principal: Janna Cochrane

Anna Miller-parent

Christine Beyer-parent

Jen VanAsten-parent

Lisa Borowski- teacher

Jen Cook-teacher

2. Minutes: Review of Minutes from 10/14/2019 Meeting

Brittney S motioned to approve the minutes, Heather L. seconded it.

3. Principal's Report (Janna Cochrane)

99.7% attendance at P/T conferences-wahoo!

Safety drills:

A law was passed stating schools need to send in a report that they've participated in drills (violence, relocation, etc.)

Traffic during busy pick-up days (Early Release/Fridays) in the loop area, they are blocking bus traffic

If you parked your car and are walking to pick your child up, please don't walk all the way to the dumpster area

4. Officers' Reports [1-2 Minutes]

1. President's Report (Shane Morrison)

If you have any concerns, please feel free to let Shane know or set up a time to meet them.

2. Treasurer's Report [10/01/2019 – 10/31/2019] (Shane Morrison)

Still need to pay Scholastic back for what we sold

5. **Event Reports** [2 Minute]

1. Scholastic Book Fair (Shane Morrison)

-We did well! \$7300+ wahoo!

-PTO paid \$1499 for teacher books (leftover from classroom wishlists)

Amazing amount of volunteers for Book Exchange & Book Fair—THANK YOU!!

2. Skaters Edge (Amanda Schneider)
3. Culver's Dine Out (Jessie Hartjes)

We made \$373.93 wahoo!

6. **New Business** [3-5 Minutes]

1. Herd NGES Family Night (Nicole Eidahl)-Save the date: Sat Feb 8 @ 7pm
2. Book Exchange-we need to "screen" the books

Option 1: Kids bring their books in, we screen them and the exchange happens in a couple of days

Option 2: Kids bring their books in, we put out a different stash that day, they exchange, and the books we collected get put out the next time

Amanda S made a motion to go with Option 2, Brittney S seconded it.

Lisa B made a motion to pull \$150 out of the PTO budget to put towards new book exchange material, Amanda S. seconded it.

3. Barlow Planetarium (Shane Morrison)

Wed. Dec 4th 6:00pm & 7:15pm shows

4. Holiday Kids Shop (Jessica Kadlec)

Karen Couchene is helping as well. Waiting to hear from Janna C

Dec 10, 12, & makeup 13th

Look for sign-up genius for volunteers, hoping for people to sign up for back to back shifts, so she's not re-training people every hour, etc.

5. Any other New Business

-We are looking for a projector to be put in the cafeteria above the stage and there is a proposal out for a quote.

It's looking like it's between \$15,000-18,000 (this includes screen, projector, sound, & installation)

-Dash for Cash through the Gamblers hockey team has reached out to us again, Mr. Milliren is willing to participate again. Save the date: Saturday, January 18, 2020

-Mrs. Cochran needs a calendar of all of the fundraisers for the year to give to the Superintendent

7. **Old Business** [3-5 Minutes]

1. Fundraising Committee (Jessie Hartjes)

-Let us know if you'd like to be part of the committee

2. Hansen's Fundraiser (Jessie Hartjes)

-Orders were due back to NGES today, this coming Thursday we will know more specifics

3. City Tins Fundraiser (Jessie Hartjes)

-paperwork coming home November 15-Dec 2

8. **Announcements / Upcoming Events** [1 Minute]

1. November 13 & 14 - Papa Murphy's Dine Out (Wed/Thurs)
2. November 18 - Birthday Books (Lunch Time)
3. November 20 - Book Exchange (Lunch Time)
4. December 4 - Barlow Planetarium (6:00 PM & 7:15 PM)
5. December 2 - PTO Meeting (6:30 PM) NGES library
6. December 5 - Hansen's Fundraiser Pick Up (3:00-5:00)
7. December 6 - Spirit Day
8. December 13-Kindergarten Specials Showcase 2pm

9. **Adjournment!**

Amanda S made a motion to adjourn the meeting, Jen V seconded it.