

Lander PTG Meeting

October 3, 2018

Meeting called to order at 7:01 p.m.

Minutes Approved

Attendance

Juli Webel, Danielle Mehling, Allison Delisio, Rebecca Schmidt, Tracy DeForde, Mary Beth serrano, DeJon Miller, Jen Hoyle, Christine Jones, Jen Gonzales, Felecia Evans, Roberta McAfee, Shelley Detrow, Kara Reigle, Vicki Vitale, Christine Killilea, Linda Banvile, Amy Kunc, Nicki Kouvaris, Sarah Schuerger, David Conway, Lyndsey Sarris, Saundra McConnell, Angelina DelBalso

Presidents Report

The PTG donated money to buy new basketballs for the school. Mrs. Evans will give more information about this.

Treasurer's Report

Nothing new to report.

Side note: Kid Stuff book fundraiser if anyone is interested in heading it up.

Principal Report

It was a fun day with rocket car rides, ice cream sundaes, and prizes for all the fall fundraiser winners.

Lexia: new reading program being used in the classroom. Its acts as a virtual tutor to increase students reading abilities.

Thank you to the PTG for the donation to buy new basketballs for the school. In October students from Ursuline College will be coming to Lander to lead drills with the students.

October 10 & 11, 2018: Parent teacher conference please sign up. If you are unable to attend these days, please talk with your child's teacher to arrange a different day.

Thank you to the PTG for purchasing treats for the 5th grade transition. We are please with the way the students have transitioned adding a new 5th grade teacher.

ALICE Training is coming to Lander. It is a way to teach students to defend themselves in the event of an active shooter in the school. It will conclude with a lockdown drill and Mrs. Evans will send out an email after the lockdown drill is complete.

October 19, 2018 is the end of the 1st grading quarter. October 22, 2018 grades will be available on infinite campus after 3pm.

October 19, 2018 is Cuddle Up and Read day for the Kindergartener's.

Gifted testing is almost complete.

October 24 & 25, 2018 3rd grade Reading Guarantee testing.

October 31, 2018 Halloween parade and PTG parties.

Teachers Report

Book baskets that were put together by the teachers to be raffled off at the fall fundraiser have been picked up. They look great.

Follow-up

Fall Fundraiser- \$28,433 sold in the Otis Spunkmeyer fundraiser. The PTG gets 40% of this which makes it \$11, 373 raised minus the expenses for prizes. The top seller raised \$987.00 and will receive 4 tickets to Kalahari and get to be principal for the day.

Current Events Updates

Membership- currently we have about 135 members. We are excited and thankful that we have more teacher members this year than in previous years.

Hayride- All volunteer spots are filled. Meeting with the Patterson's to walk the hayride route and try to arrange things a little different this year. All volunteers please report by 5:30-5:45pm. 1st Hayride is at 7pm. Current total attending is 248 people. 300 people is the max capacity.

Room parties – No parents from kindergarten showed up to plan the party for those classes. There is a plan in place, but we need volunteers to facilitate the parties in the kindergarten classrooms. Also, still need parents for Mrs. Winfield's 4th grade class. Oct. 31, 2018 is the date for the Halloween parties. Room parents only can enter at 1:15pm to help set up the party and help get the student's ready for the parade. After the parade everyone is welcome to join their students in the classrooms for the party. 5th grade classes will have the party all together. Set up meeting is October 30, 2018 at 7pm.

Book fair- Save the date. November 27-30, 2018. Wednesday November 28, 2018 from 6-8pm is family night. Flier will go home with a schedule of when the students will attend the book fair. Monday November 26, 2018 is set-up for the book fair after school, volunteers are needed to help with this. Take down will take place on Friday November 30, 2018 after school, volunteers are also needed to help with this. Parents are welcome to come shop with their students. Volunteers are needed to help the student's shop. There are activities planned for students who do not have money to shop.

Spirit wear- Still looking for a company to use for this fundraiser.

Monthly Events Updates

Box Tops- October 24, 2018 is the deadline to submit box tops. Currently we have \$165.80 in box tops and Mrs. Bohlke's class is in the lead for the most box tops submitted. The winning class will receive a snow cone party.

Marco's Pizza- Tomorrow October 4, 2018. It is also the 5th grade student's pizza box night. They have designed their own pizza box, please be sure to request you child's pizza box when ordering. The September total raised is \$191.05.

Other Business

Fort Meyer Flower Sale- It will be our new spring fundraiser. More information to come.

New school supply kit company this year will be "1st Day School Supplies". More information to come.

Meeting adjourned: 7:52 pm