

Stone Lake Elementary PTO General Meeting - January 9, 2018

The January meeting of the Stone Lake PTO was called to order at 6:01 p.m. by Jessica Trudell.

Attendees: Jessica Trudell, Kelly Manning, Amy Sazama, Sue Howe, Sabrina Raasch, Rosa Flores, Heather Larrabee, Christine Goodwin, Teisha Tadich-Dariano, Ying Chang, Sharon Gellineau, Mark Beard.

Approval of Board Meeting Minutes: A motion was made by Sharon Gellineau and seconded by Amy Sazama to approve the minutes from the December 12th meeting. Jessica Trudell called for a vote to approve the motion. All present members were in favor; no objections or abstentions.

Approval of Treasurer's Report: Kelly Manning reported on the December Treasurer's Report. Items mentioned: Emoji Movie minimum day movie brought in approximately \$650.00. A spirit wear site sale brought in \$130.00. A motion was made by Christine Goodwin and seconded by Teisha Tadich-Dariano to approve the Treasurer's Report from the December 12th meeting. Jessica Trudell called for a vote to approve the motion. All present members were in favor; no objections or abstentions.

Yearbook: Jessica Trudell reported yearbooks will be available for purchase online only beginning tomorrow through February 28th. Softcover yearbooks are \$22.00 and \$32.00 for hardcover. On March 1st, prices will increase to \$26.00 for softcover and \$36.00 for hardcover. Dedications can be done online and cost \$20.00. Jessica Trudell reminded everyone to continue to send in pictures for the yearbook.

Minimum Day Movie: Jessica Trudell reported the next movie will be hosted by the 6th Grade Bench Project Students and is scheduled for February 2nd. Jessica Trudell asked for parent participation to help with the next movie day. Feedback reported by the members about the last movie day was positive. Kids were respectful and no incidents were reported. For the next movie day, Despicable Me 3 was given as a suggestion.

Ice Cream Social: Members discussed possible dates for the next Ice Cream Social. Mr. Beard suggested May 18th. Jessica Trudell will check with Carla Troutner to see if May 18th is available. Jessica Trudell asked members if anyone was interested in being the Chairperson for this event. Sabrina Raasch expressed interest and asked Amy Sazama if she would coordinate with Lisa Mehl to oversee donations again for this year's ICS. Amy Sazama will check with Lisa Mehl to see if she would be interested in organizing the donations.

Fundraisers: Jessica Trudell asked members if they wanted to continue the Mixed Bag Fundraiser. Members asked if other fundraisers could be considered, such as See's Candy, Vendor Fair, Read-A-Thon, and the Farmers' Market. Members were most responsive to the idea of having the Farmers' Market as a fundraiser.

Spirit Wear Site Sale: Sabrina Raasch reported a spirit wear site sale was conducted on January 25th. Jessica Trudell reported the staff polo shirts will be sold until the end of January.

Next Year PTO: Jessica Trudell reported it was a good time to start thinking about next year's Stone Lake PTO Board members. If anyone is interested or has questions, contact Jessica Trudell.

Math Night: Heather Larrabee reported Mathnasium is sponsoring a Math Night on March 14th (Pi Day) from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. The event is free and will encourage fun ways to help kids with math skills. There will be activities for parents and kids including: 10 game stations, a reward table, and goody bags. Light refreshment may be provided.

Principal's Report:

Mr. Beard reported on the following:

- A decision was confirmed by the school board that Stone Lake Elementary will remain a year-round school for possibly the next two years.
- The superintendent sent out a letter regarding the community struggles and this was discussed briefly.

Open Forum: Jessica Trudell reported that the site modification for the shed will be approved in the upcoming weeks. It was also discussed that the shed structure provided by the district will go out by the fence and track area.

Adjournment: The meeting was adjourned at 7:04 p.m. on a motion by Sabrina Raasch and seconded by Sue Howe.