

Canyon View Elementary PTA Meeting  
March 3, 2017  
9 am

Members Present: Rayna Drago, Dan Mackintosh, Laurel Miller-Jones, Amber Morzelewski, Lindsey Kraatz, Micki Harris, Raelynn Williams, Shannan Ericsson, Emily Weigel, Shannon Haley, BJ Weller, Julie Miller, Carolyn Armstrong, LeeAnn Ehrhart, Marcia Fuller Durkin, Camila Ellingson, Anne Woodbury, Rebecca Schocker, Marta Stott, Alex Lambert, Cristen Barlow, Marianne Zenger

#### President

- We voted in Raelynn and LeeAnn as secretary and treasurer.
- Great turnout for movie day
- Treats in classrooms during parties/Service project at parties. We will communicate better next year with the room parent to pick up the cookies in the conference room. We don't want to provide cookies if the room parents are providing different treats, and want to be consistent across classes. We will look at healthier alternatives next year.
- Librarians request denied

#### Treasurer

- Our remaining projected expenses are 8500 and we are on target to give the school 5000 for more chrome book labs. LeeAnn has a copy of the budget for anyone interested in it.

#### Hospitality

- Thank you for the awesome job feeding the teachers/staff during parent teacher conferences. Mrs. Armstrong expressed the teacher's appreciation.

#### Party Coordinator

- Thank you Raelynn for getting all the Valentine cookies

#### Newsletter

- Great 4th grade participation last month for Cub Corner
- 2nd grade is featured this month with theme of Spring and/or St. Patrick's Day

#### Volunteer Coordinator

- Cultural Night
- The countries are:
  - 5th- Mexico
  - 4th- Russia
  - 3rd- Dominican Republic
  - 2nd-Germany
  - 1st- China (?)
  - Kindergarten - Paris
- Room mom's contacted
- Talent Show/art show - Micki has sign-up sheet for auditions, must be cultural. create a map and program for evening. Hopefully more parents will come to see their student perform
- Art will be left for choir concert
- Food trucks participating: Black Sliders, 3 Brother's Tacos, Saucey Skillet(Tai food) and Art City Donuts
- Rayna sent in and article to the Cottonwood Heights Newsletter and will send another to the Cottonwood Journal
- Each class will get \$30 per class for cultural night
- Concern is the flow so that all grades get seen
- time will be 5:30-7
- Utah food bank bins will be here to support our food drive that night

#### School Garden

- The garden has been moved away from the sink hole closer to the playground to avoid the main line running under that area and problems associated with it.
- We cannot do compost.
- The new plans are little smaller, which will be easier to maintain

- Marianne has a list of needed supplies. Before we can begin to ask for donations we need to ensure the garden will be built. She has contacted various local companies to do pieces of the gardens.
- We are currently waiting for bids to come back from district contacts. Marianne will work on getting other bids.
- Wasatch community garden has a school garden program that they have just extended to all schools. We can partner with them for \$200. They would oversee the curriculum, which would only be 1/month. They will train teachers or volunteers and work in the garden. They also supply seeds and some tools.

#### Box Tops

- Girls rule today
- Possible contest soon for ice cream party. Camila will send out information, though collections will apply to next year.

#### Other

- Field Day - Tuesday, June 6. Kindergarten field day is June 1. Shannan presented the idea of setting up stations and rotating grades rather than having everyone out at once. We decided to keep our usual format.
- Pizza Studio night - Wednesday, March 15th from 5-9
- Dude's Lunch - Friday, March 17th. Rayna will send out the flyer.
- Spirit wear Sale - March 1-10, everything is 50% off
- Safety Day - We will follow up with Roz, but decided we should separate it from cultural night. Mr. Weller suggested putting it on the calendar next year in September.

#### Open Floor

- Anne Woodbury's husband wants to do a chess club next year, 1/week at 8 am.
- Book fair was successful
- Mr. Weller addressed the lockdowns that have occurred the past few weeks in our districts. He is given the information immediately but only shares pertinent information. He also sent an email to 2-5 grade parents to address lunchroom behavior. The behavior always escalates in the spring. The school is working on teaching children different levels of communication and which are appropriate in various places. We want lunchtime to be fun and the kids to enjoy the time, but we need them to monitor themselves.
- We talked about the lack of gender diversity in the after school classes and possible solutions, including contacting the providers of the programs and also creating networks of parents to sign up together.