

## Canyon View Elementary – May PTA Meeting

May 6<sup>th</sup>, 2016

### Canyon View Elementary Conference Room

**Members Present:** Rayna Drago, Shannan Erickson, LeeAnn Ehrhart, Amber Morzelewski, BJ Weller, Hilary Ripley, Micki Harris, Raelynn Williams, Dan Mackintosh, Marta Stott, Mishay DeCort, Rebecca Shocker, Julie Miller, Suzy Stocking, Cristen Barlow, Camila Ellingson, Dawn Hanna, Laurel Miller-Jones

**PTA President Rayna Drago:** The PTA would like to thank Hilary Ripley, Mishay DeCort, and Lisa Adams for their years of service in the PTA, as this is their last year at Canyon View.

**Principal Weller:** Thanked the PTA for everything they did this year. He said the teachers are very appreciative too. “Thank you for a great first year.”

September 13<sup>th</sup> (Spirit night for September) we will have a Kick-Off carnival. The company doing it will put it all together and will have all the workers in place. (No volunteers needed.) We just get to come and enjoy. Part of the money raised will go to our school. That being said **THIS IS NOT THE PTA FUNDRAISER.**

**Teacher Appreciation Week:** Several teachers wrote notes of appreciation to all that helped. Thank you to everyone who made our teachers feel special.

**Field Day:** So far we have about 3 to 4 parent volunteers per class that have signed up. There will be 20 minutes per station for Grades 1st and 2nd and 13 minutes per station for Grades 3<sup>rd</sup> - 5th. Both 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> grade still need parent volunteers. If you are interested in helping either of these grades please fill out the green form that was sent home last week or let your student’s teacher know.

Kindergarten Field Day will be on May 20<sup>th</sup>. Both am and pm each will have one hour.

**Membership:** PTA Membership contest will be held again next year. It was greatly successful this school year.

**Donut Day:** Donut Day will be Friday May 13<sup>th</sup> at 8:00am in the cafeteria. We approved the ordering of 800 donuts from Dans. Student Council will stamp hands to make sure everyone gets ONE donut, since last year we ran out because people were taking more than one. If you are interested in volunteering on Donut Day please arrive anytime between 7:30 and 8:00. This year we will be having a book exchange during donut day. Please feel free to bring books you no longer need and see if there are any you would like to take. See flyer for more information.

**Box Tops:** Box Tops submitted for the current school year earned our school \$1048.20. Way to go!

**Open Floor:**

**Mr. Weller:** Asked if PTA would be willing to give the school any remaining PTA money over our \$5000 cushion to put towards purchasing Chrome Lab Books. PTA Members present voted: Amber Morzelewski Motioned; Dan Mackintosh Seconded; Everyone in Favor - Motion passed.

**Ms. Stocking:** Art Show / Chorus: Art will be displayed in the Auditorium and Foyer at Butler. She has prepared 4 projects per grade. Marta suggested that we hang string on the walls and clip the art to the string. We can start hanging art at 3:00pm. Concert is at 7:00. We have 2 art night signs. We need volunteers to help hang.

**Cristen Barlow:** As for the Choir Concert, Marta and Cami have offered to help decorate the stage for the concert. We don't have a theme yet. We will need to coordinate technical set up of microphones etc.

The Choir/Art Show will be Tuesday May 17<sup>th</sup> at Butler Middle at 7pm. If you are available to help set up or take down artwork your volunteer work would be greatly appreciated.

**Laurel Miller-Jones:** Suggested for next year that we should encourage one room parent or grade head parent should be at every PTA Meeting. Marta suggested having a separate meeting for head grade parents and room parents.

**T-Shirt contest:** We have already received lots of submissions. Nice work Cubs! Any remaining submissions are due Friday May 13<sup>th</sup>. They will be displayed in the cafeteria Monday May 16<sup>th</sup> till Thursday May 19<sup>th</sup>. Voting will take place on the 19<sup>th</sup> and winner will be announced the last day of school.

**Spirit Week:** Will take place Tuesday May 31<sup>st</sup> – June 2<sup>nd</sup>. We will be having crazy clothes / crazy hair day, dress like a celebrity day, and wear your favorite sport attire day.

**IMPORTANT!!! Mr. Weller:** We are currently in a substitute shortage. If you are interested in becoming a substitute teacher please go to our district's website for more information [www.canyonsdistrict.org/substitutes](http://www.canyonsdistrict.org/substitutes). You can go to [www.stedi.org](http://www.stedi.org) to find the training courses. There is a cost of \$40.00 to take training, but will easily be made back within a day of teaching.