

Mohawk Elementary PTO minutes from April 11, 2023

Meeting was called to order at 7:04 pm by Sara Musayeb

Attendance:

Board Members – Courtney Hannah, Ashleigh Balsamo, Michelle Schmidberger, Katie Ruzsala, Sara Musayeb, Katie Fohey, Jill Talant, Julie Hasse, Theresa Evens, Nicole Milam

Staff members – Ms. Verellen

Parents – Marie Laskowski, Gigi Kort, Stephanie Burkart, Tracy Bowman, Ashley Fruciano

Principal's report:

- Ms Verellen has tickets to Taste Fest \$55/ticket 4/27 at 6pm. Teachers and parents go to the Mirage for a tasting of local restaurant. Silent raffle. Money goes towards CVS Education Foundation.
- Running club starts soon for 4th and 5th grade. Tues and Thurs \$15 for a t shirt. 1 mile race – run with your dog.
- Mr Middleton working on field day
- 5th grade parents – annual family baseball night out at Jimmy Johns
- 1,3,4 Concert next week

Teacher's Report:

- None present

Parent Questions:

- Sexting was brought up in one of the 5th grade classes. There is a problem with offensive/mean texting to other students. Police liaison officers from Dakota came in to address this along with Vaping issues.

President's Report-

- Sara Approved March 21 meeting minutes. Seconded by Theresa and Ashley

Treasurer's Report- Statements read by Sara Musayeb

- Savings \$5
- Checking \$27,061.41 – will be adjusted, we have not gotten the updated bank statement.

Committee Reports:

- Reviewed Budget.
- Read a thon - We raised over \$3,000 and made \$2,455.
- Little Caesars Pizza Kits running 4/10 – 5/10
- Daddy Daughter Dance 4/14. We have 6 student volunteers to run the stands so we don't need parents. 153 kids and 122 dads coming.
- Walk/Bike to school 5/3. Mo will out saying hi to the students.
- Staff Appreciation in May – The teachers won an outdoor tent. Massage Therapist coming in Wednesday.
 - If anyone can get donations from businesses to donate to the teachers, please let us know.
- Muffins with Mom May 11
- Donuts with Dad June 1

- Field Day/Fun day June 2nd
- Mother Son Bowling 6/3
- Scoop and Twist fundraiser coming in May/June

Open discussions:

- Voted to move \$100 to Science Olympiad budget. Unanimously approved.
- Should we increase our Sunshine fund? Michelle will email the district to see their stance on it.
- We want to purchase a new Mo costume next year.
- We are going Cashless. All fundraising payments that can be, will need to be made through Square.
- Each Event has it's own QR code.
- Vote to approve next years spending
- Stephanie Burkart nominated for Publicity for 23-24 school year
- Ashley Fruciano nominated for Co-Social for 23-24 school year
- Voted to approve Marie as Co Treasurer for the 2022-2023 remainder of the year and next year. Unanimously approved.
- Voted to add Marie Laskowski to the bank account. Unanimously approved.

The Last Meeting of the school year is May 23, 2023 @ 7:00 p.m. at Mohawk Elementary

Meeting adjourned at 8:19 pm

Minutes compiled by Jill Talant, PTO Secretary