

FES PTA Minutes

May 9, 2019

Welcome and Call to Order: President, Rob Elliot, called the Fairview Elementary PTA Board meeting to order at 8:00 a.m.

Members in attendance: Rob Elliot, *President* | Mory LaVoie, *Secretary* | Kenya Hoffart, *VP of Fundraising* | Molly Sherrill, *Treasurer* | Andi Elliot, *Nominating Chair* | Jen Alonso, *VP of Programs* | Cristy Brunner, *Audit Committee Chair* | Kim Matyskiela, *Advocacy Chair* | Cristy Brunner, *Audit Committee Chair* | Jonathan Borntrager, Carly McAbee, Kim Hite, *At Large members*

Item:

April Minutes Approved at General PTA Meeting

Principal's Update

- Mulch will be delivered by county, hoping both playgrounds will be addressed.
- New 5th grade teacher has been selected
- Proctors still needed for EOG dates
- SIT needs PTA calendar dates by June 6th
- Invitation extended to PTA Board members to attend May 16th SIT meeting - Buncombe County architects will address current and future plans for the school building.

Treasury

- PTA has a proposed budget for next year
- A through review of each items was presented and discussed
- Noted significant increases in funds obtained in the past 4 years, a side by side comparison was provided and logged in books.
- Muddy Sneakers was added to the budget.
- Teacher Reimbursement will rise as new teachers come in.
- Quickbooks subscription has been added to the budget.
- Garden fund will be used for garden upkeep..
- Electric bill for the school's sign will be removed
- Art and STEM club added to the budget.
- Money reserved for mulch will go into surplus amount if county lays mulch in both playgrounds.
- We will continue to fully fund DI.
- Estimated surplus amount is \$26,000.
- New copier and microwave will be covered with surplus money

Programs

- Staff appreciation went well and was well received.

Fundraising

1. HNG Barn Dance fundraiser has been posted on Facebook PTA page.
2. Fall Festival will be on October 11, 2019
 - There will be a Fall Festival Committee Meeting on May 17th at 5:30 at The Whistle Hop
 - A Fall Festival meeting for anyone interested in discussing new ideas will be held on May 20th from 5:30 - 7:30 under the Spring Mountain Community Center Pavilion.
3. Book Fair - We have \$10,000 in Scholastic Bonus dollars for teachers to spend, some will be reserved for new teachers to use in new classrooms.

Old Business

- Material presented on the Muddy Sneakers program, a program designed to encourage outdoor education. Program includes 6 excursions, costs \$5500 and affects 5th grade students - ***will be funded.***
- Mrs. Tatum presented on behalf of 5th grade for funds that will cover Discovery Education subscription. PTA will have to pay the entire amount of \$2600, Dr. Jackson will know in July if the school can share the expense - ***will be funded, hoping to learn more in July.***

Upcoming PTA & School Calendar Events

- June 5, 2019 - K-2 & Blue Hall Field Day
- June 6, 2019 - 3-5 Field Day
- June 7, 2019 - Awards Day K-1st grade & Blue Hall
- June 10, 2019 - Awards Day 2nd-4th grade
- June 11, 2019 - Awards Day 5th grade
- June 11, 2019 - Last Day for students + Early Release

Meeting Adjourned at 9:19 am