

The agenda for the meeting is below:

Welcome: Kami Huntsman

Approve past meeting minutes

Megan Rowley Approved

Kelly Whitney 2nd

Treasurer:

Treasurer Monthly Report

\$9000 in account but still is fine with fundraiser

Principal report

Friday Recess Assembly. Going over rules, expectations, and problems.

Chinese New Year- February 2nd Community Event with Bennion Junior High, Lion head team will be combined. Confucius Institute Fund, cCatering or performers. T-shirts, and stickers to sale 6:30-8. Art projects. Tai chi, Ribbon Dancing. Help, With hanging up student art, decorations. Photo booth great wall. Make sure it is all for age appropriate. Contact Kami if you want to help. Worried about kids that aren't in the chinese program won't go. Will be an assembly on feb 1st to show lionhead dancing, and ribbon dancing. \$1500 Budget for Chinese New years. Contacts for middle school and high school helpers.

Dual Immersion- trying to come together.

Accadence Reading and Math testing are going on this month. Will send out email to parents to let them know what is being tested.

Business/Action Items:

Teacher Grants

5th Grade - Mrs Anderton \$92.35 online teachers pay teachers activities to help with ELA and math, review games, comprehension, main idea, theme, compare/contrast and all year math review. I will be using this in a whole group, testing, and small groups. We will be using this to learn concepts for the first time, review, and play games to help us review. This will be used for math and ELA. (activities, review, comprehension, main idea, theme, compare/contrast and all year math review.).

Motion to Approve - Megan O'bannon Cyndi Beck 2nd

Also \$188.04 for classroom books to expand the library for 40 book challenges and book reports. Adding 20 books including graphic novels, who is/what is books, and novels, These are new books in the series to get them excited to read and help give them that motivation to finish the 40 book challenge.

Use Scholastic dollars

Motion to Approve - Megan O'bannon Cyndi Beck 2nd

Counseling Center - Lehwalder/Feigt \$125 ~~\$250~~The purpose of the grant is to provide incentives for students who are struggling with unexpected behaviors. Students that experience trauma or behavioral challenges do require extrinsic rewards which helps to motivate students to make better choices. Incentives - Poppers, other fidget tools, chips, candy, food (i.e. Root Beer Float Parties), craft items, and small toys.

Our goal is to have all students feeling safe and comfortable at school. Both students who are experiencing unexpected

behavior and students who are negatively impacted by those behaviors deserve to feel safe and comfortable at school. We are here to teach students about making good choices, following the rules and learning to manage strong emotions.

\$250 Tier 2 Students (at Risk Students) Tier 1 is a school wide program and Tier 3 students are special needs. School funds can't be used for food items

Motion to approve - Megan Rowley Kelly Whitney 2nd

4th Grade - Gillette - \$ 50 - 15 different multiplication games All of 4th grade math standards task cards -With this grant I want to buy a few things on teachers pay Teachers. I would be buying a few games that focus on multiplication that we can use with our 5th grade buddies for math. I would say 10% of my class has their facts down so every other week we do 20 min. Partners with Ms. Anderton's class. These games would help us practice in an engaging way. The other thing I would purchase is a set of all 4th grade math task cards for continual review practice with my kiddos! **Motion to approve - Kelly Whitney Cyndi Beck 2nd.**

4th Grade - Pryor - \$250 - A book set for my 4th graders - 22 books - I will have an amazing book for my 4th graders to read. The Graveyard Book is so imaginative and brilliantly written. I want to expose my students to this kind of work.

Scholastic Dollars Motion to approve - Megan rowley Magan o'bannon 2nd

Form Nominating Committee

Volunteers: **Lora Wright, Megan and Kelly Whitney**

Open positions President, President Elect, and Treasurer

Fundraiser Vote

FUNDhub or World's Famous Chocolate (previously committed March 7, 2021)

Create a vote to vote on which fundraiser to do.

Chocolate is a lot of work, Fundhub will be less work. But redundant.

Better way to do chocolate. Ask for help to distribute.

Follow-up on Discussions

Utah PTA Awards - Due January 14th! Who do we want to submit for: Outstanding volunteer, school administrator, support staff, teacher, and development/activity.

Activity - Back to school Bash, Downpour. Teacher - Griffin, support Staff - Emily Cottam (Lora Wright) Angela Hunsaker Majorie Keene. Rebekah Pitts(possible)

PTA Board Updates: Taylorsville Council needs a Treasurer- HUGE PRIORITY

New Board Position- Arts Chair still vacant

Review Past Events:

Spirit Day at Handels - \$88 **Ice cream cards instead**

RED RIBBON WEEK **Awareness with dress up days.**

PATRIOTIC WEEK **Patriotism.**

Reflections awards assembly

Council Level awards night Dec 9th 6:30 at bennion Junior High

Spirit Day at Del Taco **Upcoming events**

December 6th 9:30 AM Holiday Around the World assemble kits sign-up <https://signup.com/go/ugSxFPy>.

December 7th Granite School Board Meeting 7 PM

December 7th 4 PM - 9 PM at Cafe Zupas at 7632 S Campus View Dr West Jordan, UT

December 8th - Hot Cocoa Bar for Faculty 9-1 PM

December 13th @ 9 AM PTA General Meeting

Brain Week - January **Behavioral, What is going to benefit. Teacher break during that week. Boost serotonin levels. Move your body. Karate Guy coming with assembly. Yoga or meditation for teachers. Evening Activity**

Virtual PTA Day at the Capitol (January 26, 2022) FREE **Registration**

Chinese New Year - February

Fundraiser World's Famous Chocolate delivery March 2nd

Volunteering Needs

Copies for Holiday Around World Bag

Gift Bag assembly *see above*

School Wishlist items https://smile.amazon.com/hz/charitylist/l/3VDL25WZZWZYT/ref=smi_ext_lnk_lcl_cl.

Donations for snack/beverage cupboards for faculty. Anything individually packaged

Sign-up for lunch/recess aid substitute list <https://forms.gle/RXqFasDMEXV5HGys8> specifically MWF

Deliver gifts to Faculty on December 15th at 9 AM

New Ideas/Questions/Concerns:

Volunteer engagement - we have 128 PTA members, increase engagement or meeting participation

Evening meeting ideas or parenting seminars **Both Online and in person.**

Close Meeting

Attendees

Lora Wright

Ariane Mardis

Kami Huntsman

Megan Rowley

Megan O'bannon

Nicole McDermott

Kelli Whitney

Lisa McDonald

Ms. Gillete

Cyndi Beck