

Olympus Jr. High PTA Meeting Minutes

Tuesday, September 11, 2018

Date, Time, Location: Tuesday, September 11, 2018, at 10:05 am in room 315

Meeting called to order by: Co-President Darbee Benyon

Attending: Heidi Dudley, Doug Wagstaff, Julie Jackson, Darbee Benyon, Stacey Chesley, Tina Seastrand, Trina Beckstrand, Sue Shimoda, Shellie Herrscher, Ginger Vilchinsky, Becky Black, Elise Soukup, Alicia Hinton, Melissa Olsen

Minutes to approve: Motion to approve: Suzy Rasche 2nd motion: Heidi Dudley

Introductions: Darbee Benyon

Business Items:

Information Distribution: Julie Jackson

 Folders for board members with PTA job descriptions

 Would like to have all feeder schools involved in PTA and activities

Bylaws Approval: Darbee Benyon

 Approve at end of this meeting to submit

Ethics/Conflict of Interest Policy: Darbee Benyon

 Sign for approval

Budget Approval: Julie Jackson

 Motion to approve: Heidi Dudley 2nd Motion: Suzy Rasche

Membership Report & Volunteer Hours: Heidi Dudley

 PTA Board: must pay \$7 annual dues at front office

 Tally summer hours

 Sitters also count for volunteer hours, all done for the school helps

Fundraising Report: Julie Jackson

 Selling banners - and it goes in newsletters and programs

 \$300 repeat buyers and \$400 new buyers

 Webstore - any donations also welcome

THANK YOU!

 Suzy Rasch - orientation well organized

 Alicia Hinton and Melissa Olsen - back to school fun lunchtime activity

 Jamie Walker - fundraising efforts

 Shellie Herrscher - awesome Instagram account (@olyjrpts)

 Nicole Gunther - newsletter - need articles by 15th of month, out on 1st of month

Student Support Efforts:

 Bulldog Bonuses: Darbee Benyon

 PTA is donating 2 gift cards a week

 (Wednesdays) and also monthly for a bigger gift - donations: will solicit in newsletter; PTA will find a chairperson to over see

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Reflections Due - October 15: Becky Black

Lunchtime Activity - October 15: Alicia Hinton and Melissa Olsen

Halloween Stomp - October 12: Trina Beckstrand

Rootbeer floats, prizes, DJ

Teacher Support Efforts:

Teacher Spotlight - September: Ms Holberg, October nominees: art
\$25 movie and \$25 dinner gift cards

SEOP Dinners - September 26-27: Courtney Johnson - looking at donations

Parent Support Efforts:

Newsletter due 15th of each month: Nichole Gunther

Instagram Account: Shellie Herrscher

Meet the Candidates at Skyline tonight 6:30-8:30 pm

Mrs. Herbert at Olympus High, Thursday night at 6:30 pm - parent empowerment

Think of ways to support parents in community

Principal Report:

Thank you to volunteers!

Field Trip with advisory - 1 week to assemble presentation, then present

Enrichment and intervention: projects based on core classes; retakes in classes

Monday - mentor time (goals), Thursday - intervention time

This is the 3rd year of advisory

Faculty: 7:30 am - 3:08 pm required to be at school

Land Trust money - math lab tutoring afterschool

New bike rack

Suggestions/Questions: Advocate at Olympus High for competitive cheer/drill teams

Vote on Bylaws: Motion to approve: Suzy Rasche 2nd motion: Courtney Johnson

Next meeting: Tuesday, October 9, 2018 at 10 am in room 315

Meeting adjourned: 11:05 am

Minutes compiled by: Heidi Dudley, PTA Secretary