

Elliott Ranch PTO 12/7/23

Quorum met

President called meeting to order at 6:02 pm

Minutes

- Distributed online
- Motion to pass minutes
- Seconded
- Approve unanimous

Financial Report

- Rocket Run
 - Final amount raised is \$19,081.11
 - Ten percent comes out for teachers
 - Last two years made \$14,000
- ER Eats dine and donate: Jack's
 - Didn't make much from that business
 - 12/14 Dine and Donate: Panda Express on Franklin
 - Teachers do the staff pay for lunch that day
- Zbest start early January so not overlap other fundraisers
 - Teachers send flier home
 - Students bring back money and collect in class
 - Can order online, deliver it to home
- Kids Heart Challenge
 - Starts Friday 1/26 and goes for a week
- Penny Wars in February around Valentines Day
 - Also teachers sell candy grams for Valentines Day
- Motion to approve financial report
 - Seconded
 - Approve unanimous

Principal Report

- Shade structure
 - Design decided on and district contributing
 - More in President Report
- Donuts with Santa tomorrow 12/8
- Winter break coming up
 - Friday 12/15 minimum day
- Staff meeting tomorrow 12/8
- Concerns with drop off safety
 - Families doing u-turns on Bobbel Drive
 - Principal will have Safety and Security come out to take a look after break

Yearbook Update

- ⅓ of teachers covered by family volunteers
 - Still need volunteers for the rest of classes and clubs
- Ad deadline Thursday 2/8
 - Ads opening up to 6th grade before winter break
 - Ads open to everyone after winter break
- Begin selling yearbooks in January
 - Buy online only

President Report

- Big Projects
 - Shade structure
 - Final design pillars with a shade sail
 - Replace sail every 10 years or so
 - Estimate cost to buy and install is \$40-50,000
 - District found option to help ER PTO pay for it
 - ER PTO only have to pay 50-60%
 - Music Program
 - TK-2nd get lesson from New Song
 - \$6,840 for every week for the rest of the year
 - Other grades have own music programs
 - 3rd grade does recorders
 - 4th grade alternates Clara Classroom Music Lessons with Social Emotional Learning
 - 5th grade does Davis Arts Program, which includes music
 - 4th-6th have the option of joining band
- PTO Board has open positions
 - Yearbook committee needs volunteers
 - Dine and Donate Coordinator
 - Spring Fling Coordinator

Discussion

- Consider a budget for PTO infrastructure
 - Need new speakers
 - Discuss after winter break

Meeting adjourned at 6:31pm