

Minutes of the East Moriches PTO Meeting October 25, 2018

A meeting of the East Moriches PTO was held on Thursday, October 25 at 6:30pm in the East Moriches Middle School cafeteria.

PTO Board Attendees: President- Jennifer Voelger, Co-President-Jessica Stevenson, Vice President-Kerri Kleine, Recording Secretary- Patricia Specht and Corresponding Secretary-Lisa Johnson.

PTO Guest Attendees: Teacher Mrs. Wilson and Dr. Russo attended this month's meeting. Please see PTO Attendance Sheet dated October 25, 2018 for names of other PTO meeting attendees.

Meeting opened with the pledge at 6:35 pm. Jenny Voelger welcomed all that came out to the meeting.

Minutes – Jenny reviewed that all minutes, from both this year and last, can be found on the PTO website and should be looked at prior to the meeting. A motion was made to approve the minutes from September's meeting by Mrs. Wilson. Lisa Johnson seconded the motion. Minutes were approved. Dawn Baynon made a suggestion that June's minutes be voted on to be approved. Patricia Specht said that they would be available at the November meeting for approval.

Treasurer's Report – Jenny Voelger provided a copy of the Treasurer's report for the September 26th - October 24th 2018 period noting profit and loss detail, the copy was available for all PTO members to review. A copy of the EMPTO Budget form was available for members. Jenny reviewed this in detail. Jenny also shared that the PTO's taxes have already been done for this year. There were no questions.

Voting on New Business- Voting took place for two items this month based on the motion to vote by Delina Cassidy and Dawn Baynon: up to \$30,000 for an electronic marque sign and \$2,000 for a new outdoor mat for the Middle School. The sign passed in a vote 7:5 and the outdoor mat passed in a vote 12:1.

Fundraiser/Events Update *Upcoming:*

- **Dance and Trunk or Treat:** *Tom Frey* and *Dawn Baynon* will be chairing these events in the MS. They will be held on Friday, October 26th.
 - There were over 30 cars entered into the Trunk or Treat

- Milk and Cookies: *Helen Gruber will be chairing this event.* It will be taking place in the ES for Grades K+1 on November 15th and will have a camping theme. Looking for volunteers to donate some camping lanterns.
- Turkey Trot: *Mr. Monpetit is running this event.* It is open to the public and will take place at 9 am on Thursday, November 22nd at the MS. A website has been created to facilitate registration. It is www.emoturkeytrot.com.
- Holiday Fair: *The evening event at the ES is being chaired by Lisa Johnson and Jenny Voelger. The daytime event at the MS is being chaired by Delina Cassidy.* We are still in need for a daytime chair for the ES.

New Business:

- Jenny mentioned that a letter was going home to East Moriches residents who purchased a brick for the brick project that never happened. This letter has been approved by Dr. Russo and Mr. Carlson.
- A chair is still needed for the Basket Auction. It will not be able to take place if a chair is not found.
- Lisa and Jenny met with members of the EMTA and discussed several ideas of how the teachers can get involved and support the PTO. A pancake breakfast was recommended and is currently being looked into.

Miscellaneous:

There being no further business, the PTO Meeting was adjourned on a motion from Stacy Bartholemew and seconded by Kerri Kleine at 7:44 pm.

Next PTO meeting scheduled for Wednesday November 14, 2018 at 6:30 pm at the Elementary School.

	Name
1	Kirsten Kosinski
2	John Rouse
3	Robert Bauer-Volka
4	Charles Russo
* 5	Susan Wladyski
6	Dawn Benyon
7	Delina Cassidy
8	Karen Lee-Porter
9	Melissa Davis
10	Kell Wilson
11	Thomas Frey
12	Stacy Bartholemew
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