

Broadneck Elementary School Monthly PTO Meeting Minutes

March 4, 2025

Meeting called to order in the library at: 7:00 pm

Attendance:

- Board Officers in Attendance: Paige Skrickus, Amy Green (virtual), Nina Adams, Shannon VanHoesen, Sue Ellis, and Mr. Cordts.
- Additional attendance: See final page for full list of in-person attendees. Also had 10 virtual attendees.

Officers Reports:

- President (Paige Skrickus):
 - Welcome and another shout out to Lettie L. for all the efforts from her and her helpers on the teachers' lounge.

School Administration & Faculty Reports:

- Assistant Principal (Mr. Cordts):
 - Thank you card from the staff for Lettie L. for the teachers lounge.
 - The Peter Pan production was last week. It was fantastic!! Everything went well and everyone seemed to enjoy it.
 - 4th grade had Dancing Through the Decades last week, including a performance for the families on Friday.
 - Read Across America is this week.
 - 5th grade taking state science assessment Thursday & Friday this week.
 - Spring Picture day on 3/12
 - Broadneck Ball on 3/14
 - Unity Day and 2-hour early dismissal on 3/18
 - March 27th & 28th are 2-hour early dismissal days for the end of the third marking period.
- Teacher Reports:
 - Mrs. Hawkins (Intermediate Lead Teacher):
 - Lots of teachers enjoying the lounge and eating lunch there.
 - GOTR - up and running. 40 girls are on the team. We had another 16 girls that missed the deadline, so looking forward to next year, we might think

about looking into two teams of 30 instead of one team of like 40. We would just need more adults. We could also split between the fall and spring seasons to create the two teams.

Standing Committee Reports:

- Spring Golf Outing (Alex Berberian):
 - Put out word for a sponsor two weeks ago. We got Keith Engineering for a \$1500 headliner sponsor. We have sold 3 whole sponsorships. We anticipate the foursomes to start getting purchased next month as we get closer. There should be about another 4-5 whole sponsorships coming in soon.
 - May 5th is the Golf Event
- Broadneck Ball (Krista McNamara):
 - Approximately 210 people registered for the first dance session and 365 for the second session. So, the second session is about at maximum. If you are looking to get tickets for the second session, we recommend doing then in the next day or so. We are still awaiting payment for about 55 of the tickets ordered.
 - We are meeting at 10am at the school on Friday the 7th to look over decor and floor plan. And we will be confirming everything with our vendors. We will also double check with Wildflower to make sure everything is lined up for the flower purchases (corsages and boutonnieres).
 - Question was posed about if we have communicated with SAC. Mr. Cordts will now reach out and talk to them to make sure they are good to use their alternate location in the school for the 18th so we can begin setting up for the dances.
 - It was confirmed that it needs to be a "grown up" adult accompanying the student, not a HS sibling, etc.
- Yearbook:
 - 5th grade messages due by March 18th
 - Submit any in-school photos you have to help
- Book Fair (Lindsay Laird):
 - Spring Book Fair is May 1st-9th.
 - Starting in April we may need help getting all the packets of information together to hand out to students to take home.
 - Anyone who wants to help as a co-chair or just help in general, it would be much appreciated.

- A Sign-up Genius will be coming out in the near future for all the time slots for the volunteers to help run it the week of the actual fair.

Other Discussion:

- Trivia Night
 - Raised about \$2k, which is great since it's more for fun than a fundraiser. We had a little over 60 players.

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Additional Attendance from Sign-In Sheet

1. Megan Hawkins
2. Krista McNamara
3. Alex Berberian

And 10 virtual attendees

1. Kristen Musallam
2. Linda McCarthy
3. Sheri Berberian
4. Karen Davis
5. Colleen Courtney
6. Courtney Hardie
7. Monique Mobray
8. Caitlin Connelly Elsworth
9. Amy Green
10. Rajah Farooq