

MINUTES

Wilson Elementary School PTG

*Tuesday, June 7, 2022 7:08 pm | Meeting Called to Order by Carly Howarth
Minutes Submitted by Kendra Kimball Chapman*

PTG Officers in Attendance

Carly Howarth, President

Carly Pickering, Vice President

Katie Glazier, Treasurer

Tonja Brown, Outreach Secretary

Kendra Kimball Chapman, Secretary

Approval of Minutes

The May 2022 Minutes were reviewed. Motion to approve by Alexis Padgham, seconded by Carly Pickering. All in favor of approval.

Treasurer's Report (Katie Glazier, Treasurer)

- We had six incredible applicants for our scholarships. Kiersty Staben was awarded the top prize of \$500 with everyone receiving something. \$1500 was awarded in total.
- We recently paid out some expenses: headsets for testing, carousel ride for the 3rd grade field trip.
- We have a few hundred dollars yet to pay out for the current school year and currently have about \$62,000 in the bank. We expect to pay out at least \$20,000 at the start of the next school year for classroom supplies.
- Is anyone retiring this year? In past years we have gifted flowers and a \$50 gift card to retirees.

Citizen's Advisory Committee

- No CAC meeting this month.

Information Items

- Paw Prints (Tonja Brown): Final edition of the year will go out later this week. Is anyone interested in taking over Paw Prints beginning in the 2023-2024 school year?
- PTG Website (Tonja Brown): Website hosting expenses forthcoming. Will continue to work on this over the summer.
- Bricks (Josie Dix): The engraving company lost the employee who was capable of engraving bricks once they've already been installed. Josie is unsure when they'll get engraved but we're still on the company's radar. You can still buy a brick.

- Elections were held by voice vote. All were in favor. The following candidates were elected:
 - President: Alexis Padgham, nominated by Carly Howarth
 - Vice President: Jeff Klein, nominated by Carly Howarth
 - Treasurer: Dave Gilbert, volunteered for the position a year ago
 - Secretary: Kendra Chapman, serving a third (and final) year in the position
 - Outreach Secretary: Tonja Brown, serving a third (and final) year in the position
- Transfer of Bank Account privileges:
 - Carly Howarth motions to have Jeff Klein, Dave Gilbert, and Alexis Padgham authorized on the PTG bank account. The current authorized users will be removed. Lara seconds the motion. All are in favor.
- Presentation of Thank You gifts (Ryan Kiely, representing the Dad's group) – thank you to all the retiring members of the Executive Board.
- Thank you to PTG members who are “graduating” from Wilson: Alex. Evans and Michelle Staben, we're so grateful for your PTG involvement over the years.
- Community Partnership (Katelyn Hunt): this was proposed in fall 2020. With our healthy & robust budget and involvement, we are in a position to share and support other schools. Covid made this hard. Can we prioritize for the fall? We raised \$1491 through last year's flower basket sales to support this effort. Ideas:
 - Pen pal exchange between schools & an end-of-the-year ice cream party hosted by Wilson where kids could meet one another
 - World Dance
 - Combined School Choir
 - Sharing a Walk-a-thon
 - Drama Club
- Enrichment Activities (Jeff Klein):
 - Proposing we form three different committees to focus on:
 - Sports Enrichment
 - Arts Enrichment
 - STEM Enrichment
 - Suggests we dedicate a significant portion of the budget next year toward funding these enrichment activities (\$5,000 per “bucket” or \$1,500 total)
 - Jeff has created a survey that will go out to families. What are you interested in? How can you help?
 - Contact Jeff if you'd like to serve on a committee or volunteer
 - Let's utilize high school students and grandparents for coaches/teachers.
- 2022-2023 Event Chairs
 - Art Night: Bridget Sarfino and Laura Crotty
 - Book Bingo: Stephanie Gronholz
 - Carnival: Josie Dix
 - Monster Mash: Janny Kiely
 - Pancake Feed: Meghan McLaughlin
 - Talent Show: Tammy Knapp and Kaelyn Perry
 - CAC: Sarah Rodgers and Lara Nybo
 - Pizza in the Park: Ana Ehrler & Kelly Olsen
 - Wildcat Walk: Lara Nybo & Katelyn Hunt

- Directory: Ana Ehrler
- Hospitality: Emily & Dave Allen

Next Meeting

Tuesday, September 13, 2022 at 7:00 pm (date subject to change) in person. Location TBD.

Meeting Adjourned

8:14 pm by Carly Howarth.