

LAKE WHITNEY ELEMENTARY

PTO MEETING 09/14

14 SEPTEMBER 2022 / 9:00 AM / SCHOOL CAFETERIA

CALL TO ORDER: 9:00 AM

ATTENDEES

Colleen Czachorowski, Jen Gerry, Rose Carter, Tatiana Podel, Valerie Parrish, Jane Bockelman, Victoria Muramatsu, Karen Hans, Courtney Ramos, Lindsay Corcoran, Heather Sommers, Melissa Topel, Brittany Reeves, Joy Horton, Kim Naran, Darlene Bell, Erin Matherne, Staci Dalton, Stephanie Santamaria, Penelope Ramirez, Bonnie Clark, Amber Sirabella, Jessie McCaslin, Bistra Iordanova, Shivanie Baksh, Nicole Macdonald, Amy Church, Michelle Dormal, Kimmy Kotch, Kristen Hughes, Pamela Crabb, Jason Matthews, Kathy Pinelps, Laura Triplett, Carla Jera, Melissa Kwak, Kimberly Sinch, Amanda Singh, Madelyn Fitzpatrick, Tambi Durham

AGENDA

Principal's Report

- Boosterthon kickoff is today!
- Testing and data chats have been completed.
 - Florida has transitioned to the new B.E.S.T. Standards.
 - The iReady data came out and it looks good.
- We received the quote for the big fan and the district approved it. We now need a new quote from the fan company because it took time for the district to approve.
- The marquee for LWE is working.
- We are still looking for help in the cafeteria.
- The SAC meeting will happen right after the PTO meeting.

Executive Board Updates

- **Co-Presidents**
 - Thank you to Michelle for a wonderful Grandparent's Night.
 - Thank you to the committee chairs!

- Thanks to Laura Santana for her hard work on the yearbook/photography committee.
- We still need some volunteers for the Open House picnic. High school students can help out if they are interested.
- The picnic tables ordered with last year's raised funds are put together and ready for use at LWE!
- **Vice President**
- **Treasurer**
 - We brought in 5,000 in membership.
- **Secretary**
 - The committee chairs should now have access to the drive.

Committee Updates

Open House

- There will be a DJ, food trucks, tie-dye table, etc.

Birthday Book Club

Art Night

Faculty Snack

- 5th grade is doing the snack this month.

Fence Committee

- The fence looks great!
- If anyone wants to come help our next day is September 25th to decorate the fence.

Grandparent Event

- Thank you for a great event!

Guardian Angel

Health and Safety

Holiday Shop

- We have our first meeting next week at 9am at LWE cafeteria.

Homeroom Parents

- We had our meeting to get the home parents started.

Hospitality

Membership

- 145 memberships as of last week
- Dolphins and stars are up! We painted around 45 new dolphins.
- Notepads should be in teachers boxes by Friday to send out.

Pastries with Parents

- We had our initial meeting and are in the beginning stages of planning.
- The donuts are a lot more expensive and we have more kids, so we are brainstorming ideas.
- The committee is meeting again on October 5th.

Photography/Yearbook

PIE: Spirit Nights

Receivables

Science Night

Spirit Wear

- Sold around \$3,200.
- Magnets and keychains will be for sale!
- Pre-paid tye-dye shirts will be at Open House and there will be a tye-dye table. More help is needed at this table (30 min shifts).

Teacher Wish List

- Some lists have links to Amazon wish lists!

Website

Miscellaneous

- We need volunteers to help with spirit wear and selling drinks at the Open House/Family Picnic tomorrow night.
- We need committee chairs for next year!
 - Membership
 - Pastries with Parents
 - Photography/Yearbook
 - School Supplies
 - Sweetheart Dance
- Splash & Dash—more info to come. \
 - The kids will be running and will be getting wet (spritzed/sprayed with water as they run).
 - They will be getting a Boosterthon shirt to wear. They will need a change of clothes.
 - The fundraising will be open until the day of the event.
 - The first class to get everyone to create an account to sign up gets the first crab warm fuzzy.
- Proposal made for a beautification committee.

MEETING ADJOURNED: 9:25 AM