

### **General Assembly Meeting 9/3/19**

- Meeting called to order at 7:03pm by Co- President Aimee Seitz
- **Formal Introductions of the 2019-2020 PTO Board:**
  - Co-Presidents: Aimee Seitz, Jennifer Pechar
  - Co-Vice Presidents: Trish Collamer, Mindy Siegel
  - Co- Treasurers: Talin Drabik, Treci Bonime
  - Secretary: Angela Paradise
- **Motion to approve New Board members as listed above:**
  - Tiffany Booker
  - Seconded by: Shelly Ansani
- **Motion to approve last meeting minutes from 5/16/2018- typo (actual date 5/16/2019)**
  - Connie Shirey
  - Seconded by: Tiffany Booker
- **Special Guest Speaker: Marlena Lang (HR Director)**
  - Spoke about Clearances and what that all entails
  - TB testing needed for volunteers who have direct contact with students for 10 or more hours per week
  - Submit clearances all online at:  
<https://www.applitrack.com/franklinregional/onlineapp/default.aspx?Category=Volunteers>
  - FRSD in need of substitutes, special Ed aides (High School, Middle School, Sloan elementary)
  - Questions please call Marlena Lang @ (724) 327- 5456 X7623 or  
[mlang@franklinregional.k12.pa.us](mailto:mlang@franklinregional.k12.pa.us)
- No officer reports at this time
- **Treasurers submit budget for 2019-2020:**
  - Motion to approve by Amanda Urban
  - Seconded by: Tiffany Booker
- **Mrs. DiFulvio- Sloan Elementary Principal** taking questions about renovations, open house, etc
  - Construction approved and renovations started here at Sloan, Sloan Intermediate Unit project also started construction
  - Projected to be done by Fall 2021
  - No open house for Kindergarten but ok to still come with children

- Construction Noise: has been good (major/loud work done when kids aren't present)
- All construction personnel have full clearances
- Book Fair in the library for Fall 2019- during kids library time
- Projected date for first wing of construction to be done Oct 31 (Phased classes so students aren't moving multiple times)
- **Dance-a-thon:**
  - Keeping everything the same
  - Where: Outside (Gym as backup)
  - \$25 gets a water bottle/ \$50 ticket for raffle
  - Class that raises the most gets pizza party
  - Individual that raises the most: Prize TBA
  - Parent letter/ pledge letters will go home this week
  - Cash raised so far \$1,650, Prize donations \$2,300 (30-40 raffle prizes)
- **New Business:**
  - **Breakfast with Buddies**- Spring event, Gym??, More info to come
  - **Market Day**: Bringing it back, no one needs to distribute will deliver to your home (10% back to PTO every order- all family members can use- get code to use)
  - **Box tops**: New this year- all online (electronically)- still accepting paper box tops (Contest- TBA as far as what this will be)- Whole school goal???
- Talked about upcoming events for the next couple months
  - **Fall Book Fair**- Sept 9-13 (school) Sept 10-12 (open house) during library time/ open house
    - Volunteers needed
  - **Clothing sales**- Sept 10-12 order online, new things cash/carry t-shirts (different sizes \$10), Oct/Nov- Tumblers FR logo with discount cards (\$10 goes back to PTO)- Great teacher gifts/ family gifts
  - **Fall family fun night**- TBA (Something in mind need to talk with Mrs. DiFulvio first/ off site??)
  - **Spirit Sales**- Sept 18-20 - confused sometimes with Clothing sales- kids purchase beads, stickers, color changing cups, etc
  - **Fall Parties**- Oct 24 (Homeroom parents) Mandatory HR meeting Sept 23 @ 7pm (one person picked per family vs. picked per person) Board will discuss pros and cons of this
    - Times will be changing for parties per Mrs. Callihan (more info to come)

- Selena Barefoot will be in charge of: Grades 3-5
  - Amanda Urban will be in charge of: Grades K-2
- **Parent teacher conferences** - Nov 11
  - Hospitality- will ask for donations, snacks during teacher breaks- More info to come
- **Corporate contributions**- pushing to get more involvement (links on PTO site and newsletter)
  - Giant eagle- Apples for students
  - Amazon smile
  - Shop n' save- Seed (Assemblies)- Accumulate 250 seeds/student to qualify
  - Office depot
  - Table at open house- to increase involvement in these
- **Holiday Shop**- first week in December
  - Company already in place, local company (better things)
  - Volunteer sign up starting in November (2 shifts- morning/ afternoon)
  - More info to come
- **Bake sales**- sign up for volunteers, make something, donations needed
- Sign up sheets for all upcoming events for volunteers
- Meeting adjourned by Co-President Aimee Seitz at 8:10pm
- Closing

**Thank you for joining us! We hope to see you at our**

**Next PTO Meeting: November 19, 2019**