# Pleasant Ridge PTA Second Quarter Minutes

Tuesday, November 13, 2018

Introduction and Call to Order- Gretchen Schmanke 7:03pm

Attendance: Gretchen Schmanke, Krystal Actkinson, Jeremie Tharp, Melissa Abernathy, Kim Winsor, Laura Baker, Michelle Anderson, Shelley Pollack, Marci Theel, Amber Wolfe, Alisha Drummond, Hilary Yao, Elizabeth Hart, Lindsay Bourdon, Amy James, Leslie Gast, Jessica Tallman, Mary Gordon, Lori Locke

Secretary’s Report- Jeremie Tharp

Approval of Minutes. Motioned by Amber Wolfe. Seconded by Leslie Gast.

Treasurer’s Report- Julia Kheyfets by proxy of Gretchen Schmanke

We’ve met our goal for PTA Membership. We have raised $5065 in Patriot’s Pledge-

88 families have paid. Chipotle brought in $370 and skating party brought in $152. Audio equipment came in as $1,183.

Committee Updates:

* Reflections- Laura Baker. The theme is Heroes Around Me. November 30th is the due date. Flyers will come home this week-ish.
* Membership/Directory- Michelle Anderson. We had 30 families join after our last meeting. Directories came in and a few are available in the office for purchase for $5. Michelle will post that information on Facebook.
* Book Fair- Jill Speicher will not be running it. Mrs. Reeves will manage.
* Holiday Pancake Breakfast- Alisha Drummond. December 1. Tickets available in advance. Sign-Up Genius is on Facebook. Flyers and tickets will be sent home with students.
* Trivia Night- Jeremie Tharp. Tables are available now.
* BoxTops/Amazon Smile- Gretchen Schmanke. We got our first Amazon check. It was $27. BoxTops have earned $223.90 so far from BoxTops.
* Recognitions- Kim Winsor. Everyone will get what was written about them in a typed up notecard. Ms. Chambers wins for this session.
* Recycling- Marci Theel.
* Cultural Arts Assemblies- Gretchen Schmanke. Chinese Acrobats and African Drum and Dance Assembly will be coming in the spring.

Principal’s Report- Krystal Actkinson

* Enrollment is right around 300 students, down from last year’s 320.
* Leader in Me signage has been installed within the building. Had a kick-off assembly for the first habit of “Be Proactive”. Habit Two, “Begin with the End in Mind” will happen when we return in January. A few PTA members and some staff will be visiting Forest View Elementary later this month to see it in action.

Volunteer Recognitions- Gretchen Schmanke.

Drawings for Prizes. Winners are Lori Locke and Michelle Anderson.

Motion to adjourn at 8:06 by Lindsay Bourdon, Seconded by Alisha Drummond.