

2506 JR Drive Manvel, TX 77578 a Registered 501(c)3

Date: September 6, 2018

Time: 6:30 p.m.

Location: RMJH Cafeteria

The Eagle Pride PTO meeting was called to order by Melody Unruh at approximately 6:35 p.m.

The Eagle Pride PTO Board introduced themselves as follows:

President: Melody Unruh
Vice President: Ling Dewalt
Treasurer: Ann Basden
Financial Secretary: Misty Trevino
Recording Secretary: Shelley Naiser
Corresponding Secretary: Rachel Selsky

Current sponsors were acknowledged.

Founding Sponsor \$5,000 donation: Pepperoni's

Champion Sponsors \$1,000 donation: McGrory Orthodontics, David Weekly Homes, Pearland Orthodontics

Star Sponsors \$500 donation: Best Brains, Tutoring Club, Shelley Naiser Properties

Friend Sponsors \$200 donation: Dr. Wendy Willett, STOMPS Burgers, Internal Medicine Associates

Current Founding Family members were acknowledged:

Ann Basden
Shelley & Clay Naiser
Rusty & Sam Long
David & Rachel Selsky
Sundeep & Ujjwala Makker
Shanna Priddy
Tammy Maynard

Volunteer opportunities are available for monthly staff appreciation events, concessions at sporting events and 1 day a week administrative support for teachers. Sign up online at the Eagle Pride PTO website.

Julie Pickren, Alvin ISD Trustee Position 1, was introduced to speak about the upcoming Bond/TRE vote. See attached flyer for details.

Ann Basden gave the financial report for the month ending August 31, 2018. Total income was \$18,426.65, expenses totaled \$3,748,76, leaving a remaining balance of \$14,677.89. See attached income statement for details. A motion was carried to accept the report as given.

Thursday, September 13th is Spirit Day at Pepperoni's. No flyer is necessary. Dine in, carry out or online ordering all day is included in the fundraiser. Simply state you are with RMJH for PTO to receive credit. Tuesday, October 9th is Spirit Day at Jimmy Changa's. PTO will distribute flyers to take to the restaurant for PTO to receive credit.

Four teacher grant applications were read and discussed among the members.

 MASCOT COSTUME – Cost of \$1,171.95, Submitted by RMJH Administrators. The goal is to have a RMJH Eagle Mascot for school events to help build pride in the Eagle Family.

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MARBLE ROLLER COASTER BUILDING PROJECT – Cost of \$350, Submitted by Ms. Perry. The goal
is to use for 6th grade students when teaching the unit on Energy. Students will use pipe insulation to
create a marble roller coaster and be able to measure various aspects including speed, velocity, etc.

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PROJECT CUBE KIT – Cost of \$2,100, Submitted by Mrs. Washington. The goal is to use in the
technology applications I-IV classes. The kit includes 12 robots which will be programmed by the
collaborative student group to perform specific tasks. The hands-on experience will help bridge the gap
between book-based programming knowledge and real-world applications. The kit is compatible with any
type of device and comes with a warranty and can be used year after year.

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TEACHER/PARA/STUDENT OF THE WEEK – Cost of \$1,200, Submitted by RMJH Administrators. The
goal is to reward 1 teacher, 1 para and 1 student per week for outstanding behavior. Rewards include
balloons, food treats and school spirit items. These rewards will help to foster the culture of the Eagle
Family.

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The total cost of the four approved teacher grants is \$4,8121.95.

Additional grants were submitted which requested classroom sets of technology and library sets. The Board and membership in attendance agreed that the overall school need for technology and classroom books be evaluated and a separate fundraiser be held to fund those specific goals.

Members were encouraged to visit the Voter Registration table to register to vote in the upcoming Bond/TRE election.

Assistant Principal Mrs. Chang presented an opportunity for a RMJH Parent Representative for the District Education Improvement Committee (DEIC). The committee meets approximately once every 6 weeks and in addition to other tasks, creates the school calendar to be presented to the Board of Trustees for approval at the end of the committee session. Any interested parents were asked to contact Mrs. Chang directly.

Mrs. Chang spoke briefly about "The Day" which is scheduled for Saturday, September 8, 2018. Every staff member and student are encouraged to participate in his/her campus activity. The projects vary by campus and by grade. If students are not able to participate with their campus, they are encouraged to find a way to serve others on this day. The district is encouraging staff and students to learn the importance and value of serving the community in which we live. There is a permission form that must be submitted for students to participate. It can be found online at the RMJH site. Every student at RMJH who participates will earn House Points for their respective Houses.

The meeting was adjourned by Melody at approximately 7:40 p.m.