

NEWPORT ELEMENTARY PTO MEETING

12/12/24

1. Call to order: 6:28
2. Introductions/Welcome: Katie Baldwin, Janna Zentichko, Kristen Swearingen, Autumn Gehr-Shope, Kristen Vilks, Jordan Nash, Jodi Hoover, Andrea O'Donnell
3. Reports
 - a. Treasurer's report: Janna Zentichko/Jordan Nash- Will bring Dec and January to next month's meeting.
 - b. President's report: Janna Zentichko- Nothing to report
4. Old Business
 - a. Fundraisers:
 - i. Mr sticky- Made about ½ as much as last year. Consider selling singles again next year.
 - ii. Sock fundraiser- 37 students signed up, 2 students sold. Made \$33.04
 - b. Family/ Community involvement:
 - i. Book fair- had a great turnout of volunteers.
 - ii. AMC gift card- will be drawn next month.
 - c. Playground Update: Still waiting to hear about the grant. Would like to move forward with putting a community presentation for February/ March.
 - d. Staff appreciation:
 - i. Staff appreciation meals- Dinner was very well received! Thank you to Lauren Kerlin for making the food. Champion's provided fried chicken from Giant.
 - ii. Hiding Santas- Santas have been hidden- Peer helpers helped out.
 - e. Student enrichment:
 - i. School store - Was open today and will be open 12/19 - <https://www.timetosignup.com/newportelempto/sheet/1348334/>
 - ii. Santa workshop- Peer helpers were great. Discuss dates/signing up for next year. The first week of December worked well. Increase to 10% profit.
5. New business
 - a. Fundraisers:
 - i. 5k- letters to businesses- Janna needs to print them off over the next few days.- Will let us know when we are stuffing envelopes. Possibly do a fun run and a trail run.
 - ii. Bookopoly- Simon needs to make a monopoly board.
 - iii. Sandwich Sales: Sell from Jan 13 to Jan 24th. Volunteers needed to count orders on Jan 26th 3:00 pm Volunteers needed to sort orders at 3:00 pm on THUR 2/6/25. Pick up from 4-7 on 2/6/25.
<https://www.timetosignup.com/newportelempto/sheet/1339994>
 - b. Family/ Community involvement:

- i. Checks: Had a bounced check for \$94 - Will take the bounced check from last year to DJ. Will contact this years, to see about repayment.
- ii. Kristen Vilks- suggested movie and pajama night for next year.

UPCOMING FLIERS SENT HOME:

Sandwich Sale order form

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Sandwich Sales Jan 14th- Jan 24th. Sort at 3:00 pm on THUR 2/6/25. Pick up on 2/6/25 from 4-7

NEXT MEETING January 9th at 6:30 pm in the elementary library

Adjourned: 7:29