

**Holland Township PTO
Minutes of Monthly Meeting
January 17, 2020**

CALL TO ORDER: Alyssa Kries, President, called the meeting to order at 7:00pm.

OFFICERS REPORTS

President's Report: Alyssa Kries thanked everyone for coming

Secretary's Report: Alyssa Kries opened the floor for discussion of the November 2019 minutes. No discussion. A motion to accept the November 2019 minutes was made. A second motion was made, and it was unanimously approved.

Treasurer's Report: Alyssa Kries opened the floor for discussion of the November and December 2019 Financial Activity and Performance to Budget Reports. No discussion. A motion to accept the November and December 2019 Financial Activity and Performance to Budget Reports was made. The motion was seconded, and it was unanimously approved.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

8th Grade: Nothing to report.

Assemblies Committee: Sandy Bate reported she would like to bring the Chinese Acrobats back with the written condition from the company that this assembly would have different people and context than last year. This assembly is at a reduced rate and will allow for a larger budget for the spring assembly. Members were in agreement to move forward and discuss dates with Mrs. Snyder.

Book Fair: Alyssa Kries reported the spring book fair dates are March 9th - 13th, 2020 with teacher preview on March 6th.

Bulletin Board: Alyssa Kries reported the bulletin board has been updated with the theme of seize the day.

Family Events: Alyssa Kries reported a zumba event is being planned for the end of February or beginning of March.

Fundraising Committee:

i. Sneakers Plus: Alyssa Kries reported this was the most successful sneakers plus fundraiser with a profit of \$453.50.

ii. Great Lakes Gift Cards: Alyssa Kries reported profit from the gift card sale was \$742.02.

iii. Hammer & Stain Night : Alyssa Kries reminded everyone hammer and stain night is scheduled for Friday January 24th with a snow date of January 31st, 2020 and there are still openings. The fee is \$50 for a set design and \$60 to have your design personalized.

Help from Home Committee: Alyssa Kries reported that \$1,193.90 was received for the box tops. Mrs. Croasdale will email teachers as a reminder that we are still accepting box tops.

Hospitality Committee: Mrs. Croasdale reported the spelling bee was held in the classroom and not as an assembly. No prizes or food donations needed. 1st place in the spelling bee was Grace LaGuardia (Grade 8), 2nd place Kaitlyn Herry (Grade 8), and 3rd Place Malachi Bratkovics (Grade 6).

Membership Committee: Nothing to report.

Staff Appreciation Committee: Alyssa Kries reminded members staff appreciation is coming up if anyone would like to sign up.

Website Committee: All updated.

NEW BUSINESS :

a. School Donations: Alyssa Kries started discussion regarding a new budget line item for staff donations for approved items. Mrs. Croasdale suggested asking the staff if they are in need of indoor recess equipment for their classrooms.

Teachers will be emailed for wish lists.

b. Field day shirts: Members decided not to go forward with field day shirts this year. The field day committee will meet soon.

PUBLIC COMMENT

Mrs. Deb Croasdale reported:

- Spelling bee winners were
- Pride grants are in progress for a movie night for seniors scheduled for February 27th with the drama club. They will receive a catered dinner and may need pie donations.
- Chess club was opened up to 4th graders and they love it.
- The marking period ends this week and report cards will be available next week.
- Monday January 20th the school is closed for Martin Luther King Jr Day.
- Friday January 31st is a half day
- Tuesday February 4th is the Parent Advisory Meeting at 7pm in the library. Homework and conferences will be discussed along with an open forum. RSVP to the event with Lori Regep.
- Collection of soup for the superbowl
- Read across America is March 2nd. T-shirts are for sale now and checks need to be made payable to Cellar Door graphics.

Mrs. Susan Wardell reported the school is working on not having to download documents in emails. Changes to the website and genesis are coming.

ADJOURNMENT: 7:47 pm. Next meeting will be February 19th, 2020 at 7:00 pm.