

PTO Minutes for February 7, 2021

- A. **Meeting opened:** @ 11:30 am with 12 adults in attendance
- B. **Treasurer Report:** Motion carried to approve treasurer's report.
 - a. Concessions were sold at 4 home basketball games, which helped to increase income
- C. **Faculty Reports:**
 - a. 3K-5K Mrs. Zimmerman
 - i. There is one new student, 15 total children in the class.
 - b. Mrs. Aden
 - i. Kindergarten classroom just celebrated the 100th Day of School
 - ii. Will be celebrating Valentine's Day and Dr. Suess Day in the near future
 - iii. Will be walking to Aden house for a field trip when weather improves
 - iv. Will take Mud Creek trail walking field trip when weather improves
 - v. 2 students from the classroom were baptized
 - vi. EC: trying to advertise for next year. Facebook ad was reasonable. Will explore printing options for a mailing. Two private tours are scheduled. Sharie Mack has left the program, and Rebecca Winkel is the replacement.
 - vii. Before Care/After Care: 7 families using the program, but not all at once. Mrs. Janssen always opens the building, Mary Busse and Lydia Aden help out later on, usually finished at 4:30 pm.
 - c. Mrs. Marohn
 - i. New student in the classroom.
 - ii. Thursday was the end of the Space Unit and 100th Day of School with fun activities
 - iii. Math: Grocery store up and running, where students learn how to add/subtract money.
 - iv. Will be celebrating Valentine's Day on February 15
 - d. Mr. Stuebs
 - i. Athletics Report
 - 1. Have been working on new uniforms, brought information to the Athletic Committee, who approved the design and colors.
 - 2. Will have only one uniform design, reversible, not two separate uniforms for A and B teams.
 - 3. Cost for 45 uniforms in \$3792, recommend asking the congregation to donate about half (\$1900) to help PTO offset the cost. Will be put in the bulletin next week.
 - a. Scrip program said they will donate about half
 - b. Motion carried to approve PTO payment of the other half needed
 - 4. Washer and dryer are now installed, which happened at no cost, work well
 - e. Mr. Zimmerman

- i. Using Note and Notice Signpost to help with Literature classes
- ii. Continuing STEM activities: nearly finished with MouseTrap cars
- iii. Wayside is planning to host annual spelling bee, only between SJSJ and Zlon
- iv. Now have new WiFi access throughout the building, which is much faster
- v. The Fine Arts portion of the Academic Fair has been cancelled at MLHS, but Music Fest will happen in some capacity.
- vi. WELSSA committee meeting is scheduled in two weeks, will need family volunteers to be on committees

D. Old Business:

- a. Melissa Behnke volunteered to be the new treasurer. Motion carried to approve this. Thanks to Becky Busse for her service.
- b. Looking for ways to improve attendance at PTO meetings

E. New Business:

- a. Was covered previously

F. Meeting adjourned: with the Lord's Prayer @ 11:55 am

G. -Next Meeting: Sunday, May 9, 2021, subject to change