

## PTO Minutes for 5/14/2021

- A. **Meeting opened:** @ 6:05 pm with 16 adults in attendance (Including Strategic Planning Committee)
- B. **Strategic Planning Committee**
  - a. Long Term Goals for PTO
  - b. Purpose of PTO/Target Audience
    - i. Connect parents and teachers
    - ii. Focus on athletic program at SJSJ/Booster Club, mainly targeting families involved in sports (grades 3-8)
  - c. Accomplishments
    - i. Raising money to be able to purchase new uniforms
    - ii. Fellowship gatherings involving Bible study and basketball
    - iii. Organizing basketball tournament
    - iv. Selling quality concessions
    - v. Much accomplished despite small number of parents involved
  - d. Disappointments
    - i. Lack of attendance/participation in meetings
  - e. Goals
    - i. Increase family involvement
    - ii. Bring in a speaker
  - f. Immediate needs of PTO
    - i. More sports equipment
  - g. Immediate/long term needs of congregation/school
    - i. Obtain a special education instructor
    - ii. Update facilities (Phase 2)
      - 1. Ceiling tiles, lights, boys bathroom, removing unused items, air conditioning for the first floor, outdoor basketball court
    - iii. Increase janitorial staff hours
  - h. Opportunities to increase outreach within and outside of congregation
    - i. Word of mouth
    - ii. Community events
    - iii. Improve communication with parents in the community
    - iv. Advertising/Outreach
      - 1. Billboards, signage, commercials
- C. **Treasurer Report:** Motion carried to approve treasurer's report
- D. **Faculty Reports:**
  - a. 3K-4K Mrs. Zimmerman
    - i. Only two weeks left of school
    - ii. Practicing for Spring Spotlight
    - iii. Will be going on a field trip to Schuette Park on Wednesday
    - iv. Trying to keep kids engaged for the rest of the year, made ice cream in a bag
    - v. Will finish the year with 15 students

- b. 5K Mrs. Aden
  - i. Took a field trip to the Aden House, will take a walk on Mud Creek Trail
  - ii. Will be having a fellowship event with early childhood families to end the year
  - iii. All 10 kindergarteners are reading
- c. Mrs. Marohn
  - i. Planning a field trip on May 26
  - ii. Practicing for Spring Spotlight, working on costumes
- d. Mr. Stuebs
  - i. Field trip planned for May 19 to Wander Springs for golfing
  - ii. Grades 3-8 will be going on a field trip to play foot golf during the last week of school
- e. Athletics Report
  - i. Uniforms (50) have been paid off
  - ii. Questioning what to do with old uniforms
    - 1. Open for alumni first
- f. Mr. Zimmerman
  - i. Practicing skit for Spring Spotlight
  - ii. Through CARES Act, have been able to get new tables for classroom
    - 1. Questioning what to do with old desks
- E. **Old Business:**
  - a. Thanks to everyone for help with concessions
- F. **New Business:**
  - a. Covered previously
- G. **Meeting adjourned:** with the Lord's Prayer @ 6:45 pm
- H. -Next Meeting: Tentatively planned for September 26, 2021