



11/17/20 PTU Minutes

Call to order: President Liz Berns

- The meeting was called to order at 7:03pm
- There were 16 members in attendance
- Minutes from the October 2020 meeting were approved

Treasurer's Report

- Currently spending more than we are bringing in due to not having many fundraisers yet this year. We have some fundraisers in the works. See notes.
- Some teacher grants have been paid out. Teacher grants this year are: \$175. Those who didn't spend their funds last year may still do so this year.
- We got our first Amazon Smile donation. Go to smile.amazon.com and select Cedar Heights PTU as your charity.
- Donation from CV United Way, Mint Daisy Boutique, spirit wear fundraiser (\$1.086)
- Purchases: printing flyers for spirit wear, hospitality for teachers during conferences, paid for memory books from last year.
- Turn in Hy-Vee receipts! The deadline is coming up soon!

Principal's Report

- Going online for 5 days. Students will have classes in the morning and then have the afternoon for their work time. This will go from Monday, November 3rd until Wednesday, December 2nd. Devices will go home with students on Friday.
- A lot of factors go into quarantine decisions- Our school nurse helps to follow these guidelines and make these decisions.
- Tomorrow, we have 22 students coming back to Cedar Heights from virtual learning.
- Picture retakes will need to be rescheduled due to school going online.
- Progress reports will be emailed to parents this Friday.
- Ron Selleck, our custodian, retired on November 12th. He was at Cedar Heights for 15 years. We all dressed up as Ron on his last day. The kids wrote messages to him. Jada Tierney is our new lead custodian.
- Tomorrow is pajama day! Pay at least \$1 to wear pajamas tomorrow. This will go toward a new buddy bench.
- Remind students that they need to take good care of their devices at home. Any damage done to devices will be charged to parents in Power School.

Teacher's Report

- We did not do a teacher's report this month.

Old Business

- \$1,086 raised from the spirit wear fundraiser. We sold 22 more items during the second sale.
- \$130 from Mint Daisy Boutique



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- Hy-Vee receipts due on December 3rd. Receipts can be turned in at school or at 2502 Garden Avenue.
- Box Tops are due March 1st. We have not gotten nearly as many Box Tops in this year now that they are virtually submitted.
- We are still in need for volunteers for next year's PTU. These positions include:
 - President (shadow this yr) for 2021-22
 - Vice President (shadow this yr) for 2021-22
 - Treasurer (shadow this yr) for 2021-22
 - Fun Fair Organizers (help & shadow this yr) for 2022

New Business

- Texas Roadhouse Fundraiser- Theresa Schmitt helped organize this fundraiser. Texas Roadhouse is organizing the entire fundraiser. Students sell Texas Roadhouse gift cards and rolls/butter. Gift cards can be used anywhere. We earn 10% from gift card purchases. We get 50% from sales of rolls/butter. Pick up on Monday the 7th from 4pm to 7pm. We will have a drive by pick up. Gift card sales will determine when gift cards will be ready. Gift cards will have the PTU/Cedar Heights symbol on them.
 - <https://na.eventscloud.com/ereg/newreg.php?eventid=584566&>
- November donations- a sign-up genius was started to let parents know what teachers need.
 - <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60b0e4caea2fa2f58-donation>
- Hospitality- PTU provided individually wrapped subs for teachers for conferences. Parents also donated individually wrapped goodies. Thank you to those who contributed!
 - Every month during our PTU meeting, we will draw a teacher name to win a hospitality prize. Mr. Hanson is our first winner!
- Since we were unable to have our fun fair, we will have an online silent auction. Bids will be placed online and a pick up time will be scheduled. A flyer will be coming out soon.

Next PTU Meeting will be...

- December 15th from 7-8pm.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:55pm.