

Starside Elementary PTA MINUTES; November 6, 2018

Meeting called to order at by Traci Gaultney @ 6:02

Approval of September 2018 Minutes

- It was moved by Ashley Wathen and seconded by Christine Green to approve Sept. meeting minutes.

Principal's Report

- 'Major Saver' is coming up, it is Starside Elementary's main fundraiser of the year. 5 day fundraiser to use the coupon card and many vendors in DeSoto have been added such as Jarveys, Wanda's, Cause Coffee.
- Coffee with Kris-Nov 16, coffee and donuts

Reflections

- Mrs. Hodges reported Dec. 1 is the due date to the state. It is the 50th year for Reflections and the theme is 'Heroes around me.'
- 6 categories-dance, song, perform, art, poem, story; students may perform with a friend but no joint entries are allowed
- it will be put on announcements at school, there are specific rules that must be followed, initial judging takes place at Starside and winners go to the state level, parents should not help kids, they must complete independently
- 2 categories for ages K-2; 3-5
- Students perform on a video and we send it in to state

Upcoming PTA Activities/Committee Updates

- Family Movie Night - Nov 16, Christine Green will help board members if needed to make popcorn, etc.
- Coffee with Kris - Nov 16
 - Chair was not present.
- Glow Party - Jan 25th
 - Chairs were not present but have chosen unicorn and top hat glowing accessories. Audrey King will email details to the board.
- BINGO Night - March 1st
 - Christine Green is beginning to look for donations.
- Room Parent - Fall Party report-Marci Jennings
 - 1st grade wants to be informed about parties and access sign-up genius to reach out for more parent involvement if needed.
 - 2nd grade wants more communication about details of parties as well.
 - Marci will REMIND head room parents to copy teachers and office staff on party plans.
 - Holiday Classroom Celebration-head room parents coordinates 1 snack and 1 drink for their classroom to enjoy while watching movie on half day of school; Wed. 12/19
- Walk-A-Thon review-AWESOME!
- Pizza Hut Night-Dec. 3
- Directory-Kristen will send out an email to PTA parents telling them that the student directory is located on the PTA website for them to access.

- Labels & Box Tops-Jeanette Mall just finished drive, she encouraged teachers to send box tops into the office as soon as possible and before due date.
- Spirit Wear – due Nov 9th
- Skate Party – January 17th

Treasurer's Report

- Carla was not present, Kristen and Traci forgot to distribute treasurer's report, they are very sorry!
- Walk-A-Thon Financial Results
 - \$ 19,861.45 TOTAL; kids \$ 7,836.45
 - Corp Donation Report – \$ 12,025

3 Cheers

- Walk-a-thon girls
- Mrs. Meyer on the roof
- Warren the building engineer

Other Business

- 2018-19 Officer & Committee recruitment-let us know if you are interested
- Mrs. Meyer talked with Mike, the owner of Papa Murphy's at K10 and Woodland, and he offered to do a fundraiser night for Starside. We will pick a date for Spring and contact him.
- Raffle was won by Jeanette Mall-Traci's essential oil!

Meeting adjourned @ 6:37

Next meeting: Tuesday, January 9th 2018