



***This meeting was held on December 15, 2022 via Zoom  
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President Cara Surmick began the zoom meeting at 7PM.  
21 PTA members were in attendance.

Reading and Approval of months minutes- Correction to previous minutes (Intruder Drill was 11/18)  
Motion by Kelly Jeffrey, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Bethany Graham. Motion passed at 7:08pm.

- I. Principals report
  - Many Activities coming up, thank you for all of the help
  - Twitter is “blowing up”, Principals contest, share the positives and good in the district!!
  - November Birthday with the went well. December will be this week or the first week of January
  - Bald Eagle/US Steel Assembly was 12/14- students LOVED it
  - 12/16 Early Release
- II. Treasurer’s Report
  - Fundraising is rolling numbers
  - Santa Shop not deposited yet
  - Gifts for Students being paid tomorrow
  - Hospitality for Story Book Forest will show next meeting
  - Purse Bash now listed separate on report
- III. Title 1
  - Daily Tier groups going well. Mrs. Vidic reviews data.
- IV. Upcoming Calendar Events
  - 12/16 Early Release @1:30pm
  - 12/19 Duquesne Light Assembly for 2<sup>nd</sup>/3<sup>rd</sup>
  - 12/20 Santa Cop
  - 12/21<sup>st</sup> Grinch Visit (Bosway’s cousin)
  - 12/22 Classroom Parties 2-3PM
  - 12/23 Polar Express Movie Day
  - 12/23 ½ Day- Dismissal @ 12:40pm
  - 12/24-1/1 Winter Break
- V. Committee Repots
  - Book Fair
    - i. Night book fair for STEAM Night in February
    - ii. Possibly use scholastic \$\$ to buy STEM items as prizes
  - Birthday with the Principal
    - i. See above
  - Assemblies
    - i. 12/19 DUQ Light Assembly for 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade
    - ii. Science Center vs Zoo
    - iii. Shop-N-Save points, we have about 106,000 points, the assembly would use 250 points per student- just pick dates and Bethany will schedule
    - iv. McCracken loved the Science Center, unknown about the zoo, Aviary was ok
  - Lottery Calendars

- i. Going well. Keep selling and returning : ) THANK YOU FOR SELLING!!!!
- Playground safety-no report
- Santa Shop
  - i. Great job Jen Morrow!!!
  - ii. \$6,947 sales!! Awaiting invoice to know profit
  - iii. \$255 Santa Photos
- Skating Parties
  - i. HELP IS NEEDED TO GET THIS GOING!
- Party Refreshments- No report
- Purse Bash
  - i. No Report
- Publicity
  - i. Twitter Contest
- Fun Day
  - i. No Report
- Student Gifts
  - i. \$4,68?
  - ii. Wrapping at 6:30pmon 12/19
- Hospitality
  - i. Add to budget, Santa Shop/Story Book Forest- cookies and snacks about \$150
- Membership
  - i. No Report
- Box Tops
  - i. No Change

VI. Old Business-

- Santa Cop, 12/20 Helpers Needed
- Buses- Still looking for someone to look into bussing options for student transportation for field trips and such
- Party Allowance- we need a better plan

VII. New Business

- Jen Becher motioned to provide candy canes to be handed out by the Grinch as well as jingle bells for Polar Express Day for all students. Funds will come from Gifts for Students. Motion 2<sup>nd</sup> by Heidi McCracken. Motion passed at 7:19pm.
- STEAM Night
  - i. February – will discuss more in January
  - ii. Night book fair event
- Trees- Need to decide what we are doing with the half trees, food for thought- discuss in February
- Outside Event Volunteers ?=? meeting count for our standing rules?
- Spirit Shop- Our logo on the site, art club shirts
- Coin Wars- ??? Donate to STEAM??? We have in the past but they now have a classroom allotment. Discuss more in February, even in March
- ??? January Zoom Meeting???
- Santa Shop \$\$ ?=? Teacher Gifts, Jen Becher motioned to provide gifts cards for teachers, 2<sup>nd</sup> by N. Haney. Motion passed 7:35pm

Next Meeting – February 2<sup>nd</sup>, at 7pm

Meeting adjourned at 7:38pm