

PTA MEETING MINUTES

Franklin Avenue Elementary

Date/Time 6/3/2020 7:30 P.M. | **Virtual Meeting called to order by** Alice Tom

Zoom Call Participants: Dr. Talleyrand, Alice Tom, Christy Goldsmith, Kerry Moakley, Christy MacMaster, Jami Nolan, Jennifer McCarthy, Tricia Sutton, Rose Croke, Meredith Dupas, Laura Donnelly, Maria Hulsart, Allison McCrory, Bree Kelleher, Denise Caunitz, Barbara Seidel, Margo Richards, Alece Ayers, Lindsay Crouch, and Margaret Dowling Murphy

I. Pledge of Allegiance

II. Principal's and Teachers' Report – Dr. Talleyrand

- Recognized staff and students for working hard and adapting well to remote learning due to COVID-19 school closure.
- Budget Vote: encourage to vote yes; not a “growth” budget; school budget will increase by 2.5%; \$98 increase annually for bond support.
- 4th Grade Promotion will be a Car Parade on June 16th at noon. Staff will be on sidewalk while parents drive by. Video to be sent home of traditional promotion ceremony.
- PTA to assist with virtual class parties scheduled for June 15th.
- Kindergarten: Information session for parents will be held virtually on June 15th.
- Fourth grade report cards – some sections will be grayed out. Art and teachers have a N/A option (not assessed).
- Teacher Placement Assignments will be posted on the Parent Portal in August. Parents will receive a School Messenger to log on to Parent Portal.
- The PRSD has updated its nutritional guidelines.
- Student belongings pick up went well. Parents who missed it can arrange pick up by calling the school. Library book drop off will be extended by a week.
- PRMS is hosting a Book Fair from June 15-21. Fourth graders can access reading list for 5th grade via FA PTA Facebook page.

III. President's and Treasurer's Reports

- PTA donated \$500 to Franklin families in need due to hardships brought on by COVID-19.
- Estimated income: \$17,927; Expenditures: \$4,794
- Previous carryover: \$23,983
- Adjusted carryover: \$37,116
- Pocketbook Bingo made more money than expected.
- Budget established for 2020-2021 school year

IV. Committee Reports

- **St. Patrick's Day Assembly:** Need more participants to compile video compilation
- **Box Tops:** Total collection for the 2019-2020 school year was \$869.40.
- **Hershey Park Ticket Sales:** Live on Cheddar Up; Tickets will be mailed to homes directly. Tickets are good for June 30, 2021.
- **Book Fair** will be hosted online; free shipping for all orders more than \$25.
- **Student gifts** will be distributed by the PTA via school pickup.
- Reusable Pearl River Pirates shopping bags are still on sale. Cheddar Up link still live.
- **Yearbooks** won't be available before the end of the year due to COVID-19 printer delay. Email will be sent when yearbooks are expected to be available in July.
- Need shadow for **Pocketbook Bingo**, FA's largest fundraising event.
- **School Supply List** to be posted online soon.

Dates to Remember:

September 3: Back to School

September 21: Class Parent and Committee Chair Orientation

The **PTA Executive Board for 2019-2020:** (actively recruiting new board members)

- PTA President: Alice Tom
- Co-Vice Presidents: Christy Goldsmith and Kerry Moakley
- Co-Treasurers: Jami Nolan and Christy McMaster
- Co-Recording Secretaries: Rose Croke and Tricia Sutton
- Corresponding Secretary: Jennifer McCarthy

Call to Adjourn 8:30 p.m. – Meeting Adjourned

Minutes taken by Co-recording Secretaries: Rose Croke and Tricia Sutton