



Central Park Elementary School PTO
General Membership Meeting
November 13th, 2019 at 8:30am
Minutes

- Called to order at 8:32 am
- Principal's Report (Mrs. Arbuckle Not Present)
 - Mrs. Williams: wants to thank the PTO for helping with book fair and donating money to help any child who wanted a book to have one. Wish lists can be kept for Spring.
 - Mrs. Williams: Food drive 12/2-12/13 to help feed 50 families in need from CPE.
 - Mr. Allen: new chain link fence has replaced areas with holes.
- Approve May Meeting's Minutes
 - Motion – Amanda Morrow
 - 2nd motion – Mandy Bean
 - Motion Carried
- Treasurer's Report (Sara Hillins)
 - See additional handout for report and budget information
 - Approve treasurer's report
 - Motion – Emily Mertig
 - 2nd motion – Amanda Morrow
 - Motion Carried
- New Business
 - Gators Give Back (Mandy Bean): Thanks for the help with the closet. Watch the sign-up list for current needs (snacks, pants, long sleeves, undergarments. Food drive 12/2-12/3. Each grade will have specified foods to donate. We will need help wrapping donations.
 - Fall Candy Gram (Stephanie Jambresic): PTO provided every child a candy gram.
 - Gator Get-Down (Mary Van Hoek): Exceeded goal. Currently at \$20,985.19. Kids had fun dancing. Rewards for top 5 classes (Starbucks basket for highest participation). Friday is the celebratory dance and big prize give away. Tickets will be given to students on Friday and they will be able to put them into drawing for choice of item during the day. Child does not have to be present to win. Prizes will be delivered on Monday if child is not present. We will not be selling anything at the dance. We have extra gift certificates to hand out; all non-winning tickets will be placed in a new drawing for these.
 - Chuck E. Cheese Spirit Night: \$303. (We will find out what we made from the Jersey Mike's Spirit Night next week).
 - Box Tops: \$257.40 (clipped) and \$32.10 (app) (Total \$289.50). A check will be made out to school in December. Next deadline in Spring. Need more app participation.
 - Chrome Books for Library: Chrome books ended up be donated by school district. They will be delivered by Friday.

- Gifts to School (Mrs. Williams): Additional items discussed include 3D printers, Ga Ga Ball pit, and better drainage in areas of the playground. Mrs. Arbuckle to meet with teachers to discuss.
- Spring Fling: Discussion and vote to cancel.
 - Motion – Emily Mertig
 - 2nd motion – Amanda Morrow
 - Motion Carried
- Discussion to approve spending for CPE Staff Christmas Party at Table Mesa on 12/19 per Mrs. Arbuckle's request. Table Mesa will be rented out and a Taco Bar will be provided. Total of \$2400 will be split by the PTO and the school. Voting to add \$1000 to Hospitality budget..
 - Motion – Amanda Morrow
 - 2nd motion – Maryl Van Hoek
 - Motion Carried
- Upcoming Events
 - Thanksgiving Break – November 25th -29th
 - Food Drive – December 2nd - 13th
 - PTO Meeting – December 11th
 - Spirit Night at Chili's – Date TBD, will be in December
 - Christmas Break – Starts Saturday, December 23rd
 - 1st day back to school – Tuesday, January 7th
 - Spirit Stick Sale – Tuesday, January 28th and Wednesday, January 29th
- Questions/Additional Items
 - CPE Gives Back: Idea to add \$500 to budget for upcoming holiday needs.
 - Motion – Amanda Morrow
 - 2nd motion – Maryl Van Hoek
 - Motion Carried
 - Discussed concerns about children waiting outside at pick-up in cold weather, including wind chill temp.
- Meeting Adjourned at 9:25 am