

Ottawa Elementary PTO Meeting October 4th, 2022

Board Members in attendance: Julie Belanger(President), Chervante Nolden (co-VP), Elvira Trnjanin (Treasurer), Tina Jacobsen (Secretary).

Attendees: Jon Campbell, Julie Campbell, Dana Lange, Joe Cilluffo, Jason Ryan and Herb Jacobsen.

I. Principal Report

- 1. Mr. Lockhart Welcome/Calendar
- -10/4 animal magic assembly, 10/11 PEN night, 10/12 site security audit, 10/17 fire drill #3, 10/31 halloween parade and 11/1 next PTO meeting
- -Schools cubed has been great and is now expanding to 4 total district elementary schools. They will implement changes to reading programs over the next 3-5 years to improve scores.
- 2. Reading Interventionist Victoria Lathrop
- -Mrs. Lathrop was unable to attend due to a death in the family. Hope to have her speak at future meeting.

II. Presidents Report

1. Old Business:

- 1.1 Jungle Java -successful fun day for those that came, earn \$270
- 1.2 Fun Run Collected \$13,289.15 With Ice cream winners Mr. Everett's, Mrs. Combs -picked a winning class from both upper and lower elementary due to amazing sucess. Still ordering prizes including date for ice cream.

2. New Business:

- 2.1 Mrs. Fields Cookie Sale starts (10/4 10/18) -had to start this early to get delivery before christmas break.
- 2.2 Cutting Edge (10/8) -use qr code from flier to preregister for ottawa
- 2.3 Chipotle on Groesbeck (10/12) -flier coming home next week, 10% back to school
- 2.4 MOD Pizza on Hall Rd (10/16) -rescheduled from Sept, flier coming home next week
- 2.5 Parent Teacher Conferences (10/19 10/20) -half days 11:25 dismissal
- 2.6 Texas Roadhouse Gift Card Sale starts (10/19 11/2) -will start during conferences, can be spent at restaurant night 11/22, 10% back to school
- 2.7 Chuck E. Cheese (10/21) -half day, flier will be sent home week of
- 2.8 Halloween Trick or Trick Parade (10/31)

Parent Candy Path -outside, up to 20 parents can volunteer, email Ms Infante for background check. Others are allowed to come watch. There is a bin under the pto board for collecting candy/treats for the parade.

2.9 November Events

Skyzone 11/8 -no school day, flier will be sent home

Fall Festival 11/11 -in the gym after school hours. more details to come

Wine Tasting 11/16 -sign up genius to get tickets. 30 person limit but can add more nights. 21 and older only

Texas Roadhouse Restaurant Night and Bake sale 11/22

Santa Shop 11/28 – 12/2 -sign up genius will be made for volunteers to help kids shop, stock, etc. in person in the library

3. On Going Business:

- 3.1 SchoolStore.com (255 participants distributed \$8,000 to teachers)-year long fundraiser
- 3.2 Next PTO meeting is November 1.-come for more details on fall festival and the rest of the years events

III. Treasure Report:

1. **2022-23 Income**

- a. Jungle Java \$270.00
- b. Fun Run \$13,289.15 -amazing!
- c. Kroger Rewards \$199.55 -sign up in the app and it automatically sends a percentage to the school quarterly

2. **2022-23 Expenses**

- a. Coffee & Kleenex \$94.87 -for kindergarten parents on 1st day of school
- b. Take Home Folders \$755.25 -color coded per grade for the year
- c. Teacher Appreciation \$642.74 -school year survival kit & welcome back lunch
- d. Fun Run Expense \$329.27 -99 pledges fee, more expenses coming for prizes
- e. Stockton Fund \$106.00 -teachers get \$200 fund for classroom expenses per school year
- f. Voss Fund \$200.00
- g. Earing Fund \$108.63
- h. Assembly Expense Animal Magic \$920.00 -3 assemblies K & 1st, 2 & 3rd, 4 & 5th

3. 2022-23 Budget

Account Summary

Operating Profit	\$ 26,294.36
LESS: Expenses as of October 4, 2022	(3,156.76)
	\$ 29,451.12
ADD: Income as of October 4, 2022	13,758.70
PTO Account Balance as of August 31, 2022:	\$ 15,692.42

Motion to approve the budget, Dana Lange, 2nd Julie Belanger. All in favor, budget approved.

IV. Teachers Report

-no teachers present

V. Q&A for Parents

-parent suggestions:reading to dogs, decorate ceiling tiles for funds, mom 2 mom sale