

Costello PTO Meeting Minutes May 7, 2018

Mr. Dunneback called the meeting to order at 7:40 PM

Secretary Report

Mr. Dunneback presented the minutes from the April 9th meeting. Mrs. Fraser made a motion to approve, Mrs. Cermak 2nd. Motion passes

Treasurer Report

Mrs. Fraser presented the Bank Transactions, Budget Report and Income Statements through May 7, 2018. Mr. Dunneback made a motion to approve the report and Mrs. Monhaut seconded. The reports were approved.

Proposed Budget – There will be a line item change from Field Trip to Classroom Experience and a \$10,000 line item in savings for inquiry projects. Mrs. Fraser made a motion for this change to the Budget for next year and Mrs. Kobal seconded. The motion passed.

President Report

Mr. Dunneback thanked Mr. Tennies for our A.L.I.C.E presentation.
Debbie Ballios was voted in as PTO President for the 2018/2019 school year.
Chris Tallman was voted in as PTO Treasurer for the 2018/2019 school year.
Laura Saleski was voted in as PTO Secretary for the 2018/2019 school year.
Gail Kobal was voted in as PTO Vice President for the 2018/2019 school year
Chris Tallman and Gail Kobal will be added to the Credit Union One bank accounts.

Vice-President Report

Mrs. Kobal reported teacher appreciation kick off was today. Parents decorated the doors. There was a nice breakfast this morning. We are postponing the luncheon to another week because a generous parent is donating lunch this week on Wednesday. We celebrated Administrative Staff Appreciation last month. Fliers were sent home regarding school supply kickoff. Gail receives sales reports. There have been 17 kits sold already this year. We sold 117 last year and are shooting for 175 this year. International night will be the evening of November 8 or 15 at Costello. So far we have families from India, Mexico, Columbia, Spain, and Poland. A flier will go out in September. There will be a DJ with video screens and dances.

Principal Report

Dr. DiPonio asked for everyone to look at the May Newsletter for upcoming dates specifically, information regarding field day and the family picnic. Mrs. Kobal did a great job of kicking off teacher appreciation week. Respect assemblies are coming, parents are encouraged to attend.

Teacher Representative Report

Mrs. Thudium sent out a thank you for a great kickoff to teacher appreciation week. Msteps are tomorrow for 3rd grade. Jen Erff and Mr. Seth have been working on a

sensory garden. Julie Richmond donated a picnic table. There is a peace pole out there as well. Please look for Twitter updates.

Room Parent Chair Report

Mrs. Monhaut reported some grade levels have put the end of year parties on the calendar. We are going to stay with the consistent parties and sign ups. Feedback from current room parents is that sign ups need to be at the beginning of the year and monetary classroom contributions are changing back to \$5 for each item for a total of \$20.

Spirit Wear Report

No new report.

Ways and Means Report

Mrs. Cermak reported we received checks from Zoyo, Square 1 Art and Box Tops.

Fun Run/Fair Report

Mr. Tennies reported the Kickball games will be on May 25. We are staying with the Get Movin' Crew.

Auction Report

Mrs. Cermak reported next year's committee will meet in June to discuss plans for next year. Also, it will be more of a committee in charge versus a point person.

Community Service Report

Mrs. Gnyp-Whitmore reported she is looking into donating clothes for foster homes next here.

Green Schools

Mrs. Miller reported we retained Evergreen status. DTE energy presentation kits went home with the 4th Graders. Blood drive is May 16 blood drive.

Web Coordinator

No report

Publicity

Mrs. Cermak reported she will post the need for a new Web Coordinator and Ways and Means Chair on Facebook.

Old Business

Trash receptacles have been placed in the stalls of the 5th grade girls bathroom.

New Business

None

Mr. Dunneback made a motion to end the meeting and Mrs. Fraser seconded. The meeting was adjourned at 8:45 P.M.