

Jay Shideler PTO
Tuesday, October 9, 2018 | 6:30 PM in the Library
Meeting Minutes



Board attendance: Sherriene Jones-Sontag, Katie Dean, Danelle Harsin

Teacher attendance: Sarah Fritz, Heidi Nelson, Julie Patterson, Newton, Carson, Janae Adams, Beth Harman, Sarah Lucero (Principal)

Parent/Other attendance: Eric and Rob Goetz, Melissa Briggs, Tiffany Buche, Jessica Roberts, Kathleen Williams, Amber Miller, Breanne Lillo, Jennifer Lebruska, Bri Shively, Angie Brown, Terry Martinez, Sara McIlvain

Next Meeting: Tuesday, November 13 @ 6:30 PM, Library

Fundraiser Event Dates:

Links:

JSE PTO webpage: <http://usd437.net/schools/jay-shideler/pto/>

JSE AmazonSmile Fundraising webpage: www.smile.amazon.com; log in; @ the top click 'Supporting' and search for Jay Shideler

Reports:

- A. Welcome and Introductions given by EVERYONE
 - B. Principal's report given by Ms. Lucero
 - Thanked PTO for Pennant.
 - Working on construction plan.
 - Leadership team includes 1 teacher per grade level collaborated to come up with 3 goals. We want our kids to have "Dignity for all."
 - Some classrooms are working on project based learning.
 - Watch Dogs received an enormous response from Dads.
 - Tornado drill will happen tomorrow, Wednesday.
 - Meeting w/ a group to come up with options for the after school pick up plan for 2019(20).
 - C. President's report given by Sherriene (no report)
 - D. Vice President's report given by Katie (no report)
 - E. Treasurer's report given by Danelle
 - Lots of money is flowing in!
 - F. Secretary's report given by Lindsey (no report)
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Committee Updates:

- A. Boosterthon Fun Run given by Sherriene on behalf of Jamie
 - 28K profit (pending 1 more payment)
 - Save the date: 9/6/19 for next year's Fun Run
- B. Sock Hop (Committee meeting follows PTO's meeting)
 - Say Cheese is booked / DJ is booked
 - Volunteered Ms. Kickhaefer to do Sock Hop announcements.
Games (Melissa Briggs)
 - Confirmed balloons and face painting
 - Start to set up games @ 3:45 pmAuction (Kelly Ballard; Kathleen Williams)



- Receiving items daily. To set up tables in gym Thursday.
Raffle and Bake Sale (Teachers/Sign up Genius) (no report)
Decorations (Katie Dean; Belinda Dittmer)
 - Bri and Belinda are doing well. Sponsorships to go up Thursday.
Sponsorships (Allison Malmstrom)
 - Up to \$3,500.
Classroom baskets (Angie Brown)
 - Coming in! 1 picture was post to FB of a basket; need to do a better job of communicating.
Tickets/Wristbands (Amber Miller)
 - Going great. We are about to run out of raffle tickets.
Bake Sale (Lindsey Munson; Sara Girard)
 - All volunteer slots are full.
Food (Renee Knochenmus) (no report)
Volunteers (Jennifer Lubruska)
 - 4 signup sheets in progress.
 - Teachers have been quick and responsive.
 - Decorating was a huge group.
 - Short about 10 volunteers per time slots.
- C. Volunteer coordinator given by Jennifer Lubruska (see above)
- Picture day requires volunteers.
 - Thanksgiving lunch requires volunteers.
- D. Room Parent coordinator given by Belinda Dittmer (no report)
- E. Blues News given by Tiffany Brubaker
- Updated format; Didn't proceed with S'mores and is looking for a new format.
 - Working out communication kinks.
- F. Hospitality given by Shawna Schneider (no report)
- G. Box Tops given by Sherriene on behalf of Lori Blosser; Sarah Jepson
- Collected Tuesday, Oct 9
- H. Teacher Appreciation Week given by Dawn Stratmann (no report)
- I. 6th Grade Recognition given by Kathleen Williams, Lacey Randle, Kelly Ballard
- To start meeting immediately following Sock Hop.
 - Fundraisers: Freddy's, Sky Zone, Smencils
- J. Teacher Workroom given by Sara McIlvain
- New shelves coming courtesy of Sara. Tara and Sara are still organizing the room.
 - Do not use the laminator past the red line.
- K. Gift of Giving given by Amber Miller (no report)
- L. Spirit Wear Sales given by Sherriene on behalf of Liesel Kirk-Fink (no report)
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- A. Review of 2018 Fun Run (see page 1)
- B. 2018 Sock Hop (see page 1-2)
- C. 2018/19 Budget Update
 - Pending final numbers/dollars from the Fun Run
 - Guided reading was not purchased from last year and we still need to get it ordered.
 - Budget Committee
 - Action:* Need 2 parents and 2 teachers to join this committee (in addition to Ms. Lucero and the PTO board)
 - Discussion occurred about how to get people to come and talk to parents about bullying and suicide prevention. Should PTO be spending funds on these types of speakers/presentations? Is this a Kickhaeffer task? Could we send parents a survey on topics to get their opinion on what they truly want to hear? Sherienne will handle PTO funding requests.