

Bexley Elementary PTO Meeting

September 21, 2017

Minutes

Introductions

- Draft copy of bylaws handed out to Board
- Executive Board to meet October 5th for bylaws to be approved

Financials

- \$1,011.17 Membership Account – Spirit sticks to be given to all members
- \$1,423.93 Spirit wear Account
- Thanks to all for your hard work on this
- Suggestion made to send out another mailing for spirit wear or downloadable version on the school website/Facebook page
- PTO page on the Bexley Website in the works

Fundraiser for the School

Booster-ton (Run-ton/Walk-ton)

Kick-off/Pep-Rally September 25, 2017

Pledges September 27, 2017 will end Wednesday, October 4th, 2017

- Students to obtain sponsors for laps run, families invited
- 65% proceeds to go to School
- 35% proceeds go to PTO
- School needs volunteers to work event during lunch room time
- Valuing instructional time, booster-ton will be during lunches, prizes will be given to teachers, not effecting classroom time

Fun-Run Thursday, October 5th, 2017

- Volunteers needed this day.
- First one starts at 10 am
- 10 – 10:50 am – Second and Third Grade
- 11-11:50 am – Kindergarten and First Grade
- 1-12:50 pm – Fourth and Fifth Grade

Spirit-wear

- Spirit Sticks – Starting to give out spirit sticks to all children
- All PTO members will get one

- Approval to buy key rings, no one opposed

Business Liaison

- Need to raise money, but hesitant due to not knowing how businesses will advertise
- Community Partners – businesses and family members would donate money to the school on an annual basis
- Information sheet – Paw Partner to donate. In return we can give them a Paw Partner magnet. Different Levels on sheet for donations and difference in banners.
- Need to narrow down how we will be advertising for them. How exactly will we be advertising for these businesses?
- Principal will review this and advise PTO.
- Suggestion made by member to have businesses provide their own banner
- There is current interest from businesses. ☺
- Email provided on the Community Partners Sheet

Members

- 114 Families
- 13 Staff
- We are thinking about getting more staff members. Brainstorm on how to invite staff.
- Ideas: Pizza Party for class with most PTO Members

Sunshine State Reading Program

- Readers will get prizes, still need to decide prizes and party details (all kids that read or kids that read all books), awaiting approval
- K-2 books on reading levels, have to take a quiz afterwards
- 3-5 books on reading levels, have to take a quiz afterwards
- Idea to have children's picture who read the books on social media
- FLYER will be sent home with children to parents – needs to be communicated, many parents don't know
- What is the target? Tiers – as soon as we get approval from administration

Events

- Spring Fling
- Ideas
- Fall Spooky Night or Bingo Night

Top Dog (Student of the Month) Tickets

- Student of the Month, create a snack coupon so they can spend a dollar for a snack, ice cream, etc.
- Boost kids for doing well, being kind