

MINUTES

Seventh District Elementary PTA

March 8, 2022 | 6:30 PM
PTA Monthly Virtual Meeting

In Attendance

Heather Denmyer, Maura Simms, Emily Fogle, Brooke Folmer, Jessica Armacost, Karen Skelley, Jennifer Duftler, Rob Elligson, Britt Fischer, Michelle Milam

Call To Order: Maura Simms - 6:32

Approval of Minutes: Jessica A. moved to approve the minutes from 2/8 and pass as presented. Rob E. seconded the motion and the motion was passed.

Board

Maura Simms, President; Karen Skelley & Jessica Armacost, Vice-Presidents; Emily Fogle, Secretary; Brooke Folmer, Treasurer

Principal's Report (Heather Denmeyer)

- Jenn D. has done a great job with all of the testing this past week!
 - We should get more information soon on doing some things in school that we haven't been able to do due to Covid; possible recorders for fourth grade, regular end of the year for fifth grade, etc.
 - Mrs Hullman is looking into a schoolwide, interactive assembly on weather.
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Treasurer's Report (Brooke)

- We had one new staff member sign up for the PTA.
 - Jenn will send an email to teachers about submitting their reimbursements by the June 1 deadline.
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New Business/Updates (Maura Simms)

- Board nominations for the year 2022-2023 will be taking place in the next couple of weeks. Karen S. and Jess A. volunteered to be on the nominating committee to confirm nominations as they come in. Nominations are due April 30 and voting will take place in May.
- Rob: There is a new Baltimore Parks and Rec. Representative for our area. There are a number of Rec. League clubs that could be offered at Seventh District, such as: Young Rembrandts, Chess, Lego (STEM, robotics, play group), Girl Power, Karate, Music Makers, Origami, Cheerleading, Frisbee, Fit and Fun, Soccer Academy, and Tennis. We have been offered a coordinator to help us get the clubs set up. Teachers who are

interested in running one of these clubs would have to go through the process to become employees so that they could be paid.

Committee Reports/Upcoming Events

- Parents' Night Out: April 23. Scott from Big Truck is in charge of fundraising events. They will donate a percentage of sales from the entire day. Fliers will be sent home soon. The silent auction now has about 23 confirmed items. The auction site will launch on April 1 to give people extra time to begin bidding leading up to the event. Class baskets and teachers' items are being collected.
- Craft Fair: There are about ten vendors so far and the committee is still seeking more. We are also reaching out to food trucks for the event. There will be a craft table for kids to make Mother's Day gifts and we will be doing a raffle basket full of donations of vendors' products. We will be reaching out to middle/high school students who may be interested in earning service hours.
- Plant Sale: We will be holding a Mother's Day plant sale through Whitehouse Nursery with the pickup day/time coinciding with the Craft Fair. The deadline for orders will be April 15.
- Yearbook: We will collect photos for the yearbook up until the end of the school year and distribute them in the summer/fall. The possibility of inviting fifth graders back to a small event in the fall to pick up their yearbooks was discussed.
- Rec Council (Rob E.): Board nominations will take place March through June. They are seeking a new treasurer and possibly a secretary. Bat sports registration is closed with over 100 participants. The Rec. Council is in need of a new soccer chairperson. Doug Stead is assisting for now. Britt F. volunteered to possibly chair the Lego club.
- April 5- Chik fila Spirit Night
- April 23- Parents' Night Out
- May 7- PTA Spring Craft Fair

Maura made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:53 P.M. and the meeting was adjourned.

Next PTA Meeting: April 19, 2022