Mahaffie Elementary PTO Minutes

The monthly PTO meeting was held on October 5, 2021 in the library of Mahaffie Elementary School. The meeting was called to order by President Erica Martinez at 6:30pm.

In attendance was: Erica Martinez – President, Sara Jackson – parent, David Heisel – Treasurer, Dan Septic – Directory Chair, Theresa Doerfler – Parent, Erin Toothaker – Silent Auction Chair & Facebook, Sarah Schrag – Co-Treasurer, Sara Wenner – Co-Family Events Coordinator, Justin Wenner – Co-Family Events Coordinator, Mandy Brungardt – Carnival Chair, Dinner Night Out, & Holiday Mart, Nichole Puskas – Walkathon, Beth Traxler – Teacher, Courtney Cooper – Teacher, Jodi Hadden – Teacher Representative, Jess Wehrli – Teacher Representative, Peggy Head – Principle

Last Month’s minutes were approved by Erin Toothaker and seconded by Nichole Puskas.

Principle’s Report:

- Mahaffie is a BLUE RIBBON SCHOOL! Select teachers will be attending a seminar/award presentation in Washington DC from November 3rd-5th
- No school on the 8th for teacher development
- No school on the 14th & 15th for parent-teacher conferences, ½ day on the 13th dismissal time moved from 12:00pm to 11:15am
- Fall parties: there will be a parade outside weather permitting, expect a sign up genius from teachers about helping with fall parties

Special Leader in Me Presentation:

- Mrs. Cooper & Mrs. Traxler (4th grade teachers) walked us through the Leader in Me program
- 7 Habits of a Leader by Stephen Covey
- Teachers took some time at the beginning of the year to reintroduce the habits to students and were intentional about implementing them in classrooms
- This is the 5th year Mahaffie has been a Leader in Me school

President’s Report:

- Received an email from cub scouts looking for a service project to benefit the school.

Treasurer’s Report:

- New budget report, will wait to vote on the budget until after the fun run is finished

Teacher’s Report:

- Thank you for your continued support

Book Fair - No report

Carnival:

- March 4th
Silent Auction:
- Looking for donations

Family Events:
- Skate Night, hoping to schedule 3 private events on Friday evenings throughout the school year

Facebook – No report

Craftland – No report

Dinner Night Out:
- Chipotle – October 12th
- Freddie’s – November
- Papa John’s - December

Directory:
- We had half the forms filled out. Directory will be done by parent-teacher conferences

Hospitality:
- Collecting money for dinner for parent teacher conferences

Holidaymart:
- December 4th from 9:00am-1:00pm
- Pancakes from Chris Cakes and photos with Santa

Yearbook - None

Unfinished Business - None

New Business - None

Open Positions – Vice-President

Next PTO Meeting – November 4, 2021

Meeting was adjourned at 7:52 by Justin Wenner and seconded by Nichole Puskas.