

## **Salem Elementary PTO**

Salem PTO Meeting January 21, 2021

Open the Meeting – 6:35 PM Attendees: 11

## Old Business

- 1. Winter 2021 Ideas
  - a. Snowman Contest
    - i. Off to a great start Thank you to those who already submitted keep the entries coming
  - b. Pending Ideas
    - i. Home Depot/Lowe's Building Kits
      - Sign-Up Genius will be set up for families to pick up kits
    - ii. Cookie Decorating (Spring)
      - 1. Hoping to set things up outside when the weather is warmer
    - iii. Dine To Donate
      - 1. Feb. 4 Aleko's 20% back to PTO plus 20% off bill

## **New Business**

- 1. Salem Shout Out Update
  - a. Continuing to do well 59 entries through Jan. 15 –
    Keep nominating teachers and staff
- 2. Box Top Update
  - a. \$117.00
  - b. Collection sheet to be sent home for February
- 3. Square Site Clearance Marking items down another \$1
  - a. Masks
  - b. Spirit Wear
- 4. Future Events
  - a. March is Reading Month Library Link
    - i. More Info to come
  - b. Spring/Easter Smencil Sale
    - i. Starts March 15 (Delivery week of March 29)
    - ii. Sales will take place in person on pre-determined days.
    - iii. Inventory left over from last year

- c. Bunny Hop Fundraiser Spring (After Spring Break)
  - i. Will take place during gym class preferably outside (Weather dependent)
- d. Teacher Appreciation May 3-7
  - i. Melanie will reach out to individuals who have helped chair in the past
- e. Drive Thu Breakfast with a Buddy May
  - i. Looking to potentially do a Friday in May
  - ii. VLP will have a separate time on the same day
- f. Teacher Request
  - i. Mrs. Pendleton Storyworks partial subscription
    - 1. \$65.34
    - 2. Motion Approved: Liz Deutch, 2<sup>nd</sup> Ashley Cdebaca
  - ii. Mrs. Settle Teachers Pay Teachers Gift Card
    - 1. \$30
    - Motion Approved: Ashley Cdebaca, 2<sup>nd</sup> Liz Deutch
  - iii. 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Mrs. Smothers and Mrs. Hill Games for Indoor Recess
    - 1. \$134.54
    - Motion Approved: Mrs. Settle, 2<sup>nd</sup> Katherine Des Rochers
  - iv. Reading Recovery Teachers Rusty the Robot
    - 1. \$203.50
    - 2. Motion to Approve: Ashley Cdebaca, Liz Deutch

## Reports

- 1. Treasurer Report
  - a. Liz delivered report
- 2. Teacher Report
  - a. Kids and teachers are excited about the snowman contest – Thank you to PTO for still providing ways for community building to still occur
- 3. Principal Report
  - a. Mrs. Dillion delivered her daughter Olivia mom and baby are doing well
  - b. Closing on November 30 for remote learning was partially due to operations Salem now has 2 in-house guest teachers. Teachers will help support students in classrooms and students in quarantine when no guest teachers are needed.
  - c. NWEA and Literacy testing are underway