## Salem Elementary PTO

Home of the Coyotes

Salem PTO Meeting September 12, 2019

Open the Meeting - 7:07 Attendees: 15

- 1. Missions and Goals
  - a. Read by Crissy McNulty
  - b. Review of what PTO helps to finance for the school community during the 2018-2019 school year
  - c. \$35,000 raised during 2018-2019 school year
  - d. Highlighted Yankee Candle Fundraiser and Bunny Hop as 2 major fundraisers
- 2. Old Business
  - a. Approval of 2019-2020 Budget
    - i. Motion to Approve by Liz Deutch 2nd by Traci Kissler-Travis
  - b. Bylaws changes were introduced. Will be up for approval at the October meeting
- 3. New Business
  - a. Events
    - i. Movie Nights
    - ii. Science Night Ann Arbor Hands-On Museum (Dec.)
    - iii. Math Night/Ice Cream Social
  - b. CHEERS Melanie McCoy
    - i. Gave introduction of self and the CHEERS program
    - ii. Trunk or Treat Oct. 18 -
      - 1. Looking for coordinator/chairperson
      - 2. Kelly Nyquist will help in an advisory capacity
    - iii. Watch DOGS
      - 1. Steve Deutch will serve as new Watch DOGS coordinator
    - iv. Book Fair -
      - 1. Looking for volunteers
  - c. Email Must re-sign up each year
  - d. Spirit Wear Due 9/15
  - e. Car Magnets
    - i. Raffle winner Becky Marcum
    - ii. Selling for \$5 Contact Crissy
  - f. Domino's Nights
  - g. Ladies Night Out Sept. 27

- i. At Aubree's with option to do Life Expressions drinkwear - Order must be placed by Sept. 12
- h. Dine to Donate Events several time per year
  - i. Taste to Technology Funds raised will help facilitate
    - replacement of technology within the building
- i. Box Tops
  - i. New to Box Tops this year
- 4. Reports
  - a. Treasurer's Report Given by Crissy McNulty
  - b. Teacher's Report Given by Crissy McNulty
    - i. Thank you for start up funds
    - ii. Thank you for Back to School Bash
    - iii. Teacher Request
      - 1. Subscription to Jupiter Ed. \$150
      - 2. Motion to Approve by Theresa Andersonning 2nd by Liz Deutch
  - c. Principal's Report
    - i. Kiln The staff are very excited and are looking forward to using for student projects.
    - ii. Sensory Path Thankful for the brain break to help change mindset with students - particularly younger students. Getting lots of attention throughout the district from other schools.
      - 1. Staff helps to facilitate the use of the sensory path with younger student
    - iii. New Playground Piece The new piece has been installed and the students are using it with enthusiasm.
    - iv. Thank you for
    - v. New Teachers -
      - 1. K Ashley Zehr
      - 2. K Amanda Dillion
      - 3. PE Zack Maghes
      - 4. Speech Stephanie Carlson
  - d. Watch DOGS
    - i. Starting the year with 1 day per week
  - e. Book Fair
    - i. \$20,000 in sale last year roughly 1/2 comes back to Salem
    - ii. eWallet option will be available
- 5. Upcoming events highlighted

Meeting Adjourned - 7:50