

Poupard Elementary PTO

March 2019 General Meeting Minutes

Date, Time, and Location: Tuesday, Mar. 12, 2019, at 6:30 p.m. in the school gym

Meeting called to order by President Molly Sewell at 6:40 p.m.

Attendees: Nicole Reeves (Treasurer), Karen Gallagher (Teacher), Amanda Horwitz (Parent), Mr. Ali (Principal), Tequila Lamar (Communications Secretary), Latoya Goins (Parent), Molly Sewell (President), Jerry Johnson (Grandparent), Sherron Pierce (Parent), Tawanna Kimbrough (Parent), Sarah Profeta (Board Observer)

Previous Minutes: Available for review online at www.poupardpto.org. Approved with no objections.

Officers' Reports:

Presidents Update/Discussion:

- Shoe Drive Ended: No longer accepting donations. Final pick up Monday @ 1pm
- Box Tops contest ended February 28th – \$160 worth of box tops turned in (1600 box tops)
- Popcornopolious Fundraiser - \$22,247 and counting worth of popcorn sold. We keep half (\$11,123.50). Have a lot of donations for prizes. Didn't have to come out of funds.
- Attendees were asked to stay after the meeting and help tally Popcorn Order Forms if they had time

Treasurer: given by Nicole Reeves

- Beginning balance: \$9,747.24
- Total withdrawals: -\$278.69
- Total deposits: \$310.00
- Ending balance \$9,510.53
- Report to be posted on PTO Website

Committee Reports:

School improvement committee: None

Board Observer Report: given by Sarah Profeta – Approved New PE Curriculum for South & renovations. Technology designer. Mainly focused on School district restructuring as vote will be held in June. There are town halls being held over the next 2 months. Families are more than welcome to attend and ask questions. Questions were given to Sarah to take back to the School Board. Sarah will look into having a board member come & speak to Poupard if families are interested.

Principal's Report: given by Mr. Ali

- Remember to sign up for parent teacher conferences
- Blue Ribbon meeting is at Brownell this Thursday from 6 to 8 and is open to the public
- Blue Ribbon presentation is posted on District Website. There's also a link to live stream of the meetings

Old Business: None

New Business: None

Upcoming Events

- Scholastic Book Fair – March 19th – 21st – Still need Volunteers. Sign-up Genius is on PTO Website!
- Ties & Tiaras School Dance – April 12th 6pm to 9pm @ GP North Cafeteria Tickets available online!
- Parent2Parent (aka mom2mom) Sale – April 27th – Tables available for purchase on PTO Website
- Teacher appreciation week is in May. Amanda is working on getting donations.

Next meeting is Tuesday, April 9, 2019 at 6:30 p.m. in the school gym

Meeting adjourned at 7:21 p.m. by Molly Sewell

Minutes compiled by Tequila Lamar, Communications Secretary