

9/17/2020

Kennedy PTA Zoom Meeting

Meeting called to order at 6:07 pm by Julie Turk

**Virtual Attendees:** Alicia Bashwaty, Danielle Daniels, Julie Turk, Stacie Anselmo, Emily Keith, Kelly Keith, Jessica Birk, Erin Koskinski, Erin Lynch, Kimberly Ford, Venessa Lagerstrom, Erin Piper, Kara Schuster, Debi Foshag, Erin Hulett, Casey Sorensen, Brittany Leinart, Dawn Buerkle, Sara Bennett, Rachel Sayen

Kelly Keith Motion to approve May 2020 Minutes, "I motion to approve May 2020 minutes"  
Jessica Birk 2<sup>nd</sup> – Motion Carries – Minutes Pass.

Jessica – **Secretary Report** : Birthday Grams in the work. Will be published on the Buzz

Kelley-- **Treasury Report** – Audit shows we are in good standing.

Erin-- **Membership Report** – Member totals 35 – Dr. Daniels states staff membership will be completed next week.

Julie – **President Report** – Yearbook will be a go this year. Great success w/ company used last year. Dr. Daniels confirmed that school pics will happen.

Membership dues change in bylaws from council

Vote to change:

Article XIII: Council Membership, Section 2 from:

**"Section 2.** This association shall pay annual dues as stated in the council bylaws to the Livonia PTSA Council as provided in the council bylaws."

To:

**Section 2.** This association shall pay annual dues as stated in the council bylaws to the Livonia PTSA Council as provided in the council bylaws. The annual unit dues for membership in this council shall be a flat membership fee of \$100 to Council by October 28th of each year.

Reason: This change was made to reflect a change made from the Livonia PTSA Council, which set a flat rate this year for units.

Jessica Motion to approve change – Kelly second motion – No discussion. All those in favor of approving motion to reflect to have this sentence changed say I. I's have it. Motion carries.

**Principal's Report** – Board will rcv plan on 9/21 from District. Dr. Daniels will share details and the Board will vote on the 28<sup>th</sup>. Virtual learning is going well mostly as a whole. LV is diff for the

F2F virtual option and there are challenges w/ internet etc. Mrs. Bashawaty reports no tech. issues on 9/17.

Interventionists are available- please reach out to Mrs. Nowak, Ms. Rose, Mrs. Vanesley as needed. Iready assessments will be @ home. Info coming out in the next week.

New Staff highlight

Teachers - 4 new teachers

Specials - Mr. O & Mr. Daughtery - Gym teachers; Ms. Birchler - Art

Long Term Subs - Julie Turk, Madeline Acosta, Ashley Jorgenson

Alicia Bashwatay - **Teacher Report/Staff Updates:** Sharing LMC info: Specials will be offered all year long virtually and F2F . Yay Finnegan! Computer in the Virtual Library takes you to the tech support page. First take and make Steam Kits today! Yay! Large turn out. October theme - It's Fall Ya'll - The supplies request goes to these Steam Kits. Big need will be Pop Bottle caps. (Goal will be 500 caps). Starbooks cafe will offer book check- out in person and Virtual option. Will be through the link to the library catalog or the Request a Library book request. Will do curb side pick up. Book Fair will be offered in the building.

#### **Committee Reports :**

Reflections - Erin Piper Chair : Theme- I Matter Because - Will have all categories open Example: Dance, Photography, Film. Waiting for updated info. All submission will be virtual. Submissions will be Mid November. Promotions through Mrs. Bashwatay, The Buzz, The Newsletter.

Dawn Buerkle - Spirit Wear Chair- Free Shipping 10/2-10/20 10% off in December  
KennedySpiritWear.com

Masterworks: Julie Turk Chair - Art Appreciation program - May possibly revisit a virtual option. On hold now.

Boxtop: Vanessa Wilamowski Chair - Posting on the buzz & info on the website.

#### **2020 Budget Presentation-** Presented by Kelly Keith

- Working Budget
  - Fundraising - Dine outs and Unfundraiser Possible options for Spring fundraising
  - Reduced, Assemblies & have a 333.33 rollover from spring.
    - Birthday Celebrations - Can revisit as needed in F2F returns
    - Field Trips
    - 4th grade celebration
    - Health and Safety
    - LA/Online Resources - Possible Requests

- Pebble Go & TruFlix
- Questions? None

**Unfundraiser** - Kelly Keith presents the option for parents to donate money instead of selling any items

100% of donation to Kennedy Community - Purchased through Memberhub

Sara Bennett made observation that 50 cents was still listed by line item Membership- Livonia PTSA

Motion to approve budget- Motion to approve budget by Emily Keith; Second Stacie Anselmo. All those in favor of approving budget as presented with the correction of removing the 50 cent line item to PTSA say I- I's have it Motion approved

**New Business**

October 8th will be next PTA meeting Zoom

Holiday event will be in October - Feel free to reach out

October Dine Out - On The Border (carry out as well)

Meeting closed at 7:04 pm

Minutes submitted by Jessica Birk