

PTA Meeting Minutes

Candalaria Elementary School: library

March 7, 2023

Meeting brought to order by Steve Nass @ 6:32 PM, followed by introductions of board and all people in attendance.

- Agenda
 - Welcome and Introductions
 - Review and Approval of Minutes
 - Principal's Report
 - Treasurer's Report
 - Committee Reports
 - Unfinished Business
 - New Business
 - Announcements (activity dates)
- Welcome and Introductions

Attendance: Steve Nass (president), Kristina Vaddi (VP), Camas Weraky (Secretary), Marie Peck (Treasurer), Rachael Matthews (Volunteer Coordinator), Jason Gundlach (Principal), Daniel Sims, Greg Bolt, Lauren Carlson, Stephenie Tanner, Desiree Richardson, Natalie Spencer, Natalie Jasinski
- Approval of Minutes
 - Greg motioned to approve
 - Stephenie second
 - approved
- Principal's Report
 - Conference information will go out next week
 - OBOB completes
 - Book Dragons won and will compete at the regional tournament on 3/18/23
 - Math24 started today
 - District competition in April
 - Read Across America
 - PTA gave a book to every student
 - Candalaria Strategic Plan
 - Visible Student Engagement
 - all students participate
 - SEL Monthly Focus- Cooperation
 - Candalaria Custodian Tyler Kries won the Salem-Keizer Golden Broom Award
 - 100 mile club up to 8299 miles!
 - Kindergarten registration started March 1, 2023
 - Dual Language Immersion Program application window open

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- EDGE application window open
- Treasurer's Report
 - \$51,364 current balance
 - 5th grade committee fundraising
 - \$300 raised from Movie Night
 - \$4,213 raised in total so far!
 - Rachel motioned to approve
 - Greg second
 - approved
- Committee Reports
 - 5th Grade Committee
 - Biz Towne fully funded
 - Next movie night 3/17- Sing 2
 - hoping to raise funds for end of the year celebration
 - 100 mile club
 - 3/17 everyone is going to wear their green 100 mile club shirts
 - Art Literacy
 - Larissa would like to coordinate with bookfair and 5th grade committee for an Art and Ice Cream Night
 - Jason- equity team is working on a May event with art, has grant funding for this event, would be a great pairing with Art Literacy
 - Rachael, Larissa, Jason and Lauren will connect about details
 - Auction
 - Committee is not doing well, people have dropped out and finding a location has been difficult
 - Looking to PTA to find out what the goal is
 - Cornhole tournament at the school with food trucks
 - auction off the cornhole boards
 - Parent's Night Out?
 - Childcare during the event- Champions?
 - Ask parents to donate baskets for silent auction
 - March 13, 2023 3-6pm
- Old Business
 - Capital Project-Lighting/Signage
 - Front Entrance \$630

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- Sign \$4,985
- Sidewalk \$12,725 (excludes trenching)
- New Business
 - Daniel called PGE and the street light on the side of the school should be fixed and they're going to look into lights on the front of the school
- Announcements
 - Mar 17- Movie Night
 - Mar 22-24- Spring Conferences
 - Mar 27-31- No School (Spring Break)
 - April 21- Movie Night
 - April 21-28- Book Fair
 - May 5- No School (grading day)
 - May 13- Auction 3-6pm
 - May 29- No School
 - June 15- Field Day?

Meeting adjourned at 7:27pm