

# PTG Meeting: January 9th, 2020

**Attending:** Jessica Basta, Cathy Tilkins, Gina Brandano, Jana Wieland, Christy Parker, Samantha Peter, Joelle Hendry, Kira Carinci, Rachael Kelley, Charlee Marthia, Wes Balcom, Sharon Ellis

Meeting brought to order by Jessica at 6:00pm

November meeting minutes reviewed and approved by Cathy and Jessica

**Principal Report:** presented by Joelle Hendry

- End of January marks the second quarter, half way through the year
- Some issues over break that building and grounds took care of, all classrooms are functioning.

**Teacher Report:** presented by Rachael Kelley

- missing t shirts/wrong size, called B&T to request another small order, Sam is going to follow up with them and check status
- going to send out an email regarding our second spring order for new students/staff or anything that was missed in the first order

**Treasurer Report:** presented by Jana Weiland

Budget recap from November and December

- Cherrydale and Yankee checks were written
- Profits on fundraisers: Cherrydale \$1,664.50, Yankee Candle \$2,329.54 (will change a little due to another check needing to clear), School shirt sale \$178 (under budget), Mini Photo sessions \$250 (plus another spring one), Craft night \$345.00, Childcare night \$360 (a little below budget), Toy sale \$568 (not budgeted for), Pulaski pride shirts, Teacher Mini grants taken out for Williams, Murphy and Lapp for \$200
- current checkbook balance is \$15,480.47. Remaining expenses we still need to write checks for \$12,254 balance after that is \$3,226.47. If we meet all fundraiser goals we will still have a deficit of \$1,649.00. Looking like a deficit so we need to review... Can we sneak in more fundraisers? Cut a large budget item? Cut all small items to break even? We could do Shoe collection fundraiser, Paint/night, Text to give, Restaurant night, Car wash? Kiss or name a goat contest?
- Wes is going to ask local Businesses for donations

**Old Business:**

- Mini sessions went well, Julie did one retake at no charge, already has new ideas for next year
- Cherrydale is done

- Toy Sale, Jessica kept some leftover stuff. We could do another donation at Wes' house to collect more for another sale? Some of the leftovers went to a guy who used them in Richland toy giveaway
- Parents night out, decent turn out, but doing something different next year the kids didn't want to watch a movie. Maybe a gym night?
- Snow sculpture contest, Jess is working with people on the festival committee, someone is making flyer for us. After building a snowman, take a photo, email it and then voting will take place on Facebook by likes, Gina can separate into 2 categories, pick the winner on the 25th of January, 2 baskets to win
- Bushel and a Peck, Christy sending out tomorrow in mail boxes

**New Business:**

- Penny Wars, February, Before break? potentially 10th-14th, Monday the 3rd talking about it at morning program, Cathy is doing flyer. Confirming that the banks will count for us, Wes is going to email Rachael about explaining rules to teachers, maybe put the info on the staff newsletter, Jana and Wes figuring out prize for winners (Name a goat?)
- One Book One School in the spring, need to talk to Joelle more about that
- Raffle calendar, goes out in April, Jessica, Sam, Kate and Cathy asking for donations
- Gym night, free event with parents, pick date at the February meeting, have it in March after basketball is over
- Square One Art, Christy reaching out to Mrs. Jennings, maybe she can take it out of the classroom teachers hands, can she do labels?, Christy needs to double check on dates, art is done in February
- Book fair volunteers needed by librarian, Jessica, Amanda, Samantha and Cathy offered
- Ice cream night? In place of a restaurant night, we would get a kick back on amount sold, Blue Devil mascot head worn by someone one night? Use Polaroid for pictures taken and given on the spot

Meeting adjourned at 6:55pm

**Next Meeting:** February 13th, 2020 at 6pm