



ACES PTO MEETING

October 24, 2017
Minutes

In attendance, Kendra Boone, Brian Owens, Sara Odenbach, Susan Stasinios, David Stasinios, Nick Majka, Jenna Shaw, Kit Neel, Christina Majka, Jewel Wacker, Traci Poss, Melinda Hafenrichter, Mayra Johnson, Kristen Philips, Leslie Smogor, Melissa Turner

1. Call to Order-Meeting called to begin at 6:04 PM by President Leslie Smogor
2. Budget Report- Treasurer Kristen Philips presented the budget
3. Principal's Report- Principal Mayra Johnson
 - a. Family Fuel Up was this morning 10/24, it was a busy morning and good turnout despite the nasty weather
 - b. Book Fair is going on all week
 - c. Watch Dogs is starting up. You don't have to be a dad to be a part of it, Grandpa's, Uncle's, Brother's, any close male figures
 - d. The grades were posted this evening and this week is parent teacher conferences
 - e. Assistant Principal Melinda Hafenrichter explained that the 2nd and 4th graders were doing the Cogat test which is done in a 2-week time frame
 - f. Mayra Johnson- Kindness shout outs have been great.
 - g. End of November is Thanksgiving break
4. New Business-
 - a. Family Fuel Up- Leslie Smogor- again was a great success. Thank you to Magda Emmert who organized this
 - b. PTOC meeting it was presented that the Outdoor Ed. field trip will be covered and parents do not have to pay
 - c. Chrome book covers- There are 3 types of chrome book covers to choose from, and they are all the same price of \$25
 - d. Spirit Wear- District wide push to have spirit wear available to purchase for 2 weeks. T-shirts to Under Armor hoodies available. Every school will get their own %. Deadline is November 20th
 - e. Santa Shop- Treasurer Kristen Philips introduced the Santa Shop. Snowman Village will be December 5th during the school day. The students will have the opportunity to shop for their families or even themselves if they choose. Prices range from \$.25-\$10. We are looking for volunteers to help the students shop

- f. Taste of Winter- Secretary Melissa Turner presented the latest on the Taste of Winter. Saturday, December 9th from 9-12. Pancake breakfast will be offered from 9-11AM. Tickets are available online and at the door. We are looking for volunteers
 - g. Marquee- Leslie Smogor talked about the idea of parents being able to rent space on the marquee for the week by leaving messages from parents to their students
 - h. District Committee is always looking for volunteers. Melinda Hafenrichter as well as all the other assistant principals in the district are on the Transportation committee. Changes to the school buses- more cameras
 - i. Voting on the 2018/2019 year calendar will be happening.
5. Committee Reports-
- a. Kit Neel presented information on Box Tops. September Box Tops report- 4, 562 items counted. Years goal is 28,000. Mrs. Griffiths' class won September. October's prize is an extra 10 minutes of recess
 - b. Restaurant Nights- Christina Majka updated on Culver's. Culver's donated 10% and ACES made \$301.97. Mrs. Garcia's class won. Mike and Denise donated 20%, ACES brought in \$223. The next restaurant night is November 15th at Salsa Verda. It's an all day event
6. Open Forum
7. Adjournment- 6:42 PM