

PTO Meeting Agenda
October 12, 2020 6:30 p.m.
Deerfield Elementary-Virtual meet

Call Meeting to Order

Meeting called to order at 6:32 PM

Attendees—Sarah Hart, Denise Kelley, Valerie Manning, Melinda Kamrath, Kim McAloon, Patricia Chua, Kate Brattlie, Carrie Ammerman, Molly Cerniglia

Approval of Minutes from September 2020 Meeting

Minutes Approved.

President's Report: Sarah Hart

Nothing new to report.

Shoutout to Carrie for Teacher Appreciation post on FB.

Coke products scan codes for funds for school.

Treasurer's Report: Denise Kelley

Paid for printer and playground balls, plus refunds for the few vendors that wanted them.

One donation to deposit.

Things still look good for the year.

Principal's Report: Melinda Kamrath

- Followed up with Megan Lee Cunningham to move forward with sunshade purchases now, since playground is not being used. \$5000 is still approved from fundraising last year. 6-8 week delivery time plus installation fee.
- The older piece (at least 20 years) of playground equipment with the bridge needs to be replaced soon. Looking at 2 quotes to replace instead of continuing repairs.
At this point, pretty expensive, so will continue to research.
- Thanks to Kate for ordering this year's playground balls.
- 1 of the sensory pathways has been installed and waxed. Thanks to Darcy for cutting them out. We have enough for 4 different pathways. 2 others have been laid down and are waiting to be waxed. Should have those finished by the end of the month. The last pathway is in 6th grade area. It is more of an obstacle course. May wait to lay down in summer, if run out of time.
Will post pictures on FB—Kim M
- At home learning—Board meeting this Monday to discuss slow transition for 4K-2nd grade. 3rd-12th to remain at home until the end of 2nd quarter based on Dane County recommendations. It will be a slow transition, and future surveys will be sent out.
- Thank you to parents for helping students with at home learning. The students are incredibly tech savvy.
- Can library books be delivered with lunches?

- At this time—6 lunch routes. 2081 lunches last week. Could be an issue keeping track with deliveries and possible returns. Could be worked out for those families that live far away. Will look into ideas.
- No other financial needs as of right now. Expecting a new round of hotspots. Currently set with Chromebooks.

Committee Reports

- Craft Fair – Carrie Ammerman
 - Canceled
 - Sending a few new sign up sheets. Already pretty full for next year.
 - Will post on FB—November
- Craft Fair Raffle – Sarah Hart, Sarah Paoli
 - Canceled
- Culvers Share Night – Kate Brattlie
 - Canceled
- Family Dances – Sarah Hart, Missy Felio
 - Canceled
- Clothing Fundraiser – Rebecca Schultz, Keleigh Gassen
 - Updates—Everything is finalized with the embroidery shop, and it will be ready to go live on November 1st. Items will be ready 2 weeks before Christmas. Items can be viewed at the embroidery shop downtown. There will also be a FB live to showcase items virtually.
- School Kidz - Kim Klein, Kate Brattlie
 - No updates
- High Five Event – Sarah Hart, Victoria Larson
 - Canceled
- Teacher Appreciation Week – Allison Ledbury, Michelle Schwab, Valerie Manning
 - No updates
- Supply Drive – Kim McAloon
 - No updates

Teacher's Report

Not much to report, very isolated in their rooms.

Took some time for students to get adjusted, but they are settling in.

Thank you, teachers, for everything you do!

Other Business

None at this time.

Adjourn

Meeting adjourned at 7:00 PM.