

Washington Elementary PTA Minutes

July 27, 2017

*The meeting was called to order by President, Randi Sparks at 3:49. There were 8 members present.

*Meeting agenda was discussed to involve the peaceful playground and the fall carnival.

*Secretary Report: The minutes of the April meeting were presented for approval. Robin Phillips made a motion to approve the minutes. Lisa Volk seconded; all approved.

*Treasurer Report: Barco products (buddy benches & picnic tables) cost \$4,203.10. Field trip cost varied by grade level. 4th- \$220.10, 3rd-\$250.37, 2nd- \$287.32, 1st- \$240.80 and Kindergarten-\$336.75 totalling \$1,335.34 which was in range. The fourth grade trip to cosmo park cost \$244.52 and they were given \$250 for this trip. PTA owes Activity Account \$5,782.96. This leaves PTA with a balance total of \$2,610.22

*Peaceful Playground: The peaceful playground came with tons of layouts and game options. Members worked together to figure out a layout as to where games would be put and which games would be chosen to be played.

Coach Rupe will teach peaceful playground games during P.E. and classroom teachers will maintain this during recess or extra activities/structured recess.

Buddy benches will be placed on the playground. One bench will be placed on the side that houses the play equipment with the slide and the other buddy bench will be on the opposite side where the older students usually play.

Old picnic tables will be removed (only one from each side) and will be replaced by the new picnic tables.

Snake-Mrs. Volk had a great idea to paint the snake two different colors that way students would know where to line up if snakes were painted at the recess entrance door.

Randi Sparks mentioned putting small versions of game directions on a ring and hanging them up by the recess door for teachers to make sure games are being played correctly.

Randi suggested going to playground and measuring and the members decided to just show up and problem solve locations and games together on the chosen date.

Pavement needs to be washed and swept (or use leaf blower) prior to painting and the paint must be street paint.

The members voted to paint the peaceful playground on Sunday, August 6 at 7:00 am. Mrs. Volk volunteered to bring donuts and Randi said PTA would pay for lunch for having everyone help on a Sunday.

All needed supplies were discussed and divied out on who would bring what. It was decided that Mrs. Volk would buy paint and rollers.

*PTA T-shirts: Randi is going to design and share ideas and talk with pummils on prices per shirt

*Carnival: September 22. Lisa Volk reserved the snow cone machine. The same games will remain since all went smooth last year.

Lisa is going to talk with Pepsi on donations of money/toys.

Randi is going to call about the dunk tank

Ist grade will sell raffle tickets for a toolbox

Crystal is going to work on the penny board

The members are going to talk with Keyla about food-who to buy from and what to buy. The need for crockpots were also discussed.

The next PTA meeting will be on August 31st at 3:45 pm.

*The meeting was adjourned at 5:20 pm. The following members were present: Crystal Stewart, Robin Phillips, Sarah Miller, Randi Sparks, Rachel Stewart, Brittney Thompson, Lisa Volk, and Robin Lang

These minutes are respectfully submitted by secretary, Brittney Thompson.