

Sharon Elementary School - PTO Meeting  
April 22, 2019, 6 PM  
School Library  
**DRAFT MINUTES**

1. Call to Order- 6:04

Nicole Antal, Jodi Harrington, Angie Carpenter-Henderson, Brooke Allen, Holly Cathcart, Melissa Zoerheide, John Sears, elizabeth loughran

2. Approve Minutes

2.1 Approve Minutes of March 23, 2019

Minutes were approved unanimously.

3. Officers' Reports

a) Treasurer's Report

Jodi Harrington shared that the PTO account has \$5,544.81 in it. The 6th grade account has \$3,247.46.

4. School Report

a) Feedback on scheduling of concerts- There was a lot of positive feedback. People liked splitting up the grade levels so that there was more space. For next time, possibly having the concerts separate weeks to make it easier for families.

b) Playground Survey and Lunch Survey- Next meeting there will be results to share from those surveys.

4. Old Business & Discussions

a) Phone Book for the community- No report

b) 6th grade graduation and field trip funding- Shared above

c) Meeting in April/May about fundraisers/Yankee Candles- In May we will start a fundraising calendar for the upcoming year.

d) Finalize teacher appreciation plans- We made a decision on food and the gift for each teacher. We will be doing a raffle each day and Jodi has prizes available.

5. New Business

a) John Sears request-

John started a cross country ski group many years ago. John is asking to purchase 20 new pair of cross country ski boots size. John is pledging a \$1,000 donation to

the PTO for this purpose. Boots are \$60 per pair. John is asking that we add more money to purchase the boots and then asking for the PTO to do the ordering. We voted to put \$400 towards this program.

- b) Request from Catherine Freese for Reading Mentors
  - i) Mrs. Freese is requesting that we donate towards books for the students that are involved in the program. She is asking for \$210. We voted to approve \$210 for this program.
- c) Farm and Field Day - Request from Meg
  - i) June 6th- Meg is looking for volunteers to make food with groups of students.
- d) Baseball scholarship
  - i) One family would like a baseball scholarship- \$35- We voted yes to give this family the scholarship.
- e) Hartford Project Graduation request- Angie emailed the project graduation email and is still waiting to hear back.
- f) Award to 6<sup>th</sup> graders at graduation- Barrett gives a Principal's award of \$50 gift certificate to two students each year. We voted to give Barrett \$100 for these gift certificates.
- g) Barrett/Freese leaving school- We will talk about this in our May meeting.
- h) PTO Bingo Night- We have decided to try to put this on the calendar for next year.

## 7. Announcements

None

8. Adjournment- Meeting was adjourned at 7:29pm