

BSES PTO MINUTES

JAN 18, 2023

6:30PM IN PERSON & ZOOM

ATTENDANCE:

Morning: Andrea Everhart (President); Jason Mleczko (VP), Giovanna Biles (Secretary); Julie Williams, Tammy Ingram, Crystal Bream

Evening: Andrea Everhart (President); Jason Mleczko (VP), Giovanna Biles (secretary); Jen Eley; Steph Fodor

Zoom: Mrs. Dowell; Mrs. Schweiger; Mrs. Feeser

Minutes from **December Meeting** reviewed and approved

Treasurer's Report:

- Balances as of 1/31/23: (future banking fees will be waived)
 - Checking: \$32, 505.59
 - Savings: \$27, 967.38
 - Paypal acct: \$24.01
 - Total cash on hand: \$60, 496.98

Principal's Report:

- 1st Golden Eagle Reception to be held 1//20/23: students & families were invited to attend

President's Report:

- Read-a-thon (March 2-20th) with Assembly March 29th- there was meeting with reading specialists (Hermes, Shambach, Cornwall), one teacher (Feeser), & principals (Eley & Sentz)
 - Will be challenge based instead of minutes
 - Info packet & prize boxes will be handed out to teachers Feb 28th
 - Tiered prizes with grand prizes as well (including Hershey tickets)
 - Spirit days implemented to help students achieve prizes
 - Literacy night for families March 16th (baseball theme)
 - Opportunities for families to have messages displayed with inline donations
 - Goal is \$15,000 (\$25/student needed to meet goal)
- Discounted Hershey Park Tickets: online link will be available 2/1-4/1
 - \$2/ticket donated back to PTO

Appreciation Update:

- Next Staff Appreciation breakfast 2/3: donations still needed
- 1/20/23: Hot cocoa bar for staff
- Staff dress down day 2/6/23
- May Appreciation Month (instead of all in 1 week)

4th Grade picnic: (Mr. Welty as faculty advisor)

- 1st meeting happened: everyone asked to bring ideas/list to next meeting in Feb; planning for monthly meetings
- Hot dog fundraiser @ Ace Hardware

Discussion Items:

- Mobile Dentist coming 3/10/23: Hoping for better experience this year; asking parents to prep students; looking @ asking Dr. Ross to come speak to students
- Grants deadline 2/1/23: \$755 balance, but open to projects that may need more

Next meeting February 15, 2023 (9:30 & 6:30)

Minutes submitted by Giovanna Biles, Secretary