

St. Christopher School PTO Minutes

September 10, 2018

ATTENDANCE – 21

WELCOME AND OPENING PRAYER – Lara Moeller

APPROVAL OF MINUTES – Kim Oakes

TREASURER REPORT – Stephanie Cooper

OLD BUSINESS – Summary of last school years meeting that took place on May 2018

- New PTO secretary for upcoming school year (Kim Oakes)
- New meeting time of 7 PM, moved from 6 PM
- Volunteers needed for chairing events
- Mrs. Stoffel - Victoria Theater field trip update

NEW BUSINESS –

- John King from Miami Valley Council of Boy Scouts gave presentation and passed out info for Cub Scout Pack 466. Meeting being held on Monday, September 17th at St. Christopher at 6:30 PM in the school library.
- Congratulations to the winners of the drawing of our summer reading program:
Bridget Wolking- Kindle Fire
Reagan Downey- \$30 iTunes gift card
Kenneth Stephens-\$15 iTunes gift card.
- BBB went out this year with volunteer forms, school directory forms, PTO membership dues envelopes and other important information/forms. Thank you to Beth for heading up the school directory again this year.
- We will be doing the Read-A-Thon again this year during National Young Readers Week, November 5-18. Possibility of funds going towards making playground safer with new mulch, etc.
- Amiee Billing presented new spirit wear options that will be available this year. The start date will be October 1 and will go through October 26th. We will be going through two companies to offer a variety of options for everyone.
- Thank you to Gillian Barok for providing incoming Kindergarten families a letter with info that may be needed for navigating the school year.
- Teacher wish list items are currently being filled. Looking into families donating gently used board games for use during inside recess.
- We are looking for people to chair upcoming events. The Mother-Son event this year was moved to an earlier date, being held November 10th. Thank you to Coleen for spearheading this.

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- Looking into having more events so families can get to know each other better. Considering doing this by grade level as well as hosting more events during the year for entire school.
- Mrs. Rasor will be heading up Red Ribbon Week at the end of October. The focus is on combating bullying.

Principals Report: (Mrs. Kincaid) Thank you to the Read-A-Thon and Spring Gala for funds used to purchase new PA system. (Implemented this summer.)

- The school year has started off well!
- Teachers will be doing professional development in STEM
- K-1 will be implementing Standard Based Learning. Mrs. Kincaid along with the teachers will be available conference night for questions.
- The SVC's (Student Volunteer Corp) will be changing their name this year. They will continue to help in the cafeteria and will be helping to engage fellow students at recess.
- Bracelets were passed out to the students to help remind them to follow Christ like behavior. If student is seen wearing bracelet, they may get a prize.

Jeans day passes handed out.

Next meeting will be held on October 15th (No school on October 8th)