



PTO Executive Meeting Minutes
May 13, 2019
9:00 a.m.

Kristin Klecka made a motion to dispense with reading of February 2019 PTO minutes since they were previously emailed, Shannon Christie seconded the motion. Unanimous vote to approve the minutes as written.

Speaker	Subject
<p>Mrs Pavlik (mpavlik@pvschools.net) Principal</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Night in Our Museum was an amazing night! Big thank you to Gretchen and Maddie for all of their hard work. There were a lot of people and everyone loved it! ● 5th Grade Leadership Camp was cold, but went very well. ● The Vie partnership off to a good start. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ The 6th graders were greeted with balloons and banners. ○ Hoping to continue growing the partnership and have “The Traveling GG’s” ● Water Day is Tuesday, May 21. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 6 Waterslides ○ Each grade will get 50 minutes of waterslide fun and then 10 minutes to eat an otter pop. ○ Thank you to Jen for all of your hard work ● The Brick Project has been put on hold. Still hoping to do it but right now it’s too much. Two options: one is more expensive but will come in and do the entire project. Other company is less expensive but there are a lot of extra steps and work to do. Need a bigger committee to work on project. ● Big thank you to everyone for all their hard work. We accomplished a lot this year so everyone should be proud.

Debbie Peterson
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PTO President

- Congratulations to our New Board:
 - President: Mark Eisenhut
 - Vice President: Tina McFarland
 - Secretary: Kristin Klecka
 - Treasurer: Tricia Owen
 - Room Parent Treasurer: Mandy Chapin
 - VP Communications: Shannon Christie
 - VP Dad's Club: Randy Shonefeld (volunteered but needs to be voted in)
 - VP Events: Madison Beedy
 - VP Hospitality: Carla Lausten
 - VP Room Parent Coordinator: Erin Jackson
 - UPC Rep: Jen Izenstark
- During the meeting Carissa Stewart announced that Sarah Meyer is willing to take on Fall Fest and she will be co-chairing with her!
- Still need a community sponsorship chair. This is a very important role and brings in a lot of money for us so please help us fill this position.
- 2019-2020 Budget
 - This was previously emailed around but since then there has been a line item added for New Student Programs
 - Question arose about POP: Parent's of Pinnacle. We donate every year to Pinnacle High School Graduates.
 - Core Knowledge/Field Trips has been cut in half but when we looked at expenses the classes were not spending the money. It's not realistic for PTO to pay for an entire field trip so it's hard to budget for field trips.
 - We have \$50,000 in savings for the PTO.
 - VOTE to approve the 2019-2020 Budget: Jen Gorecki made a motion, Matty Beedy seconded the motion. Budget was unanimously approved.
- We received numerous thank you cards and emails from the teachers for Teacher

	<p>Appreciation Week. Thank you to Lindsay for a great week!</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Big thank you to all of the PTO Chairs, Board members, etc. for a great year!
<p>Kristin Klecka (kristinklecka@yahoo.com) Secretary</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Recent calendar updates: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Talent Show 5/15 at 5:30 ○ Lynx & Bounding times have been posted ○ Pre-K Graduation 5/17 at 9:30 in the library
<p>Jen Gorecki (j.gorecki@cox.net) Treasurer</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Still don't have all the numbers for the Golf Tournament ● We've accomplished a lot this year: filtered water system, 4 square and other playground improvements, foam around playground, STEM Lab, library, etc.
<p>Tricia Owen (triciaLowen@yahoo.com) Room Parent Treasurer</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Get receipts in! ● Any funds leftover will be used for a family fun event next year.
<p>Christy Guemple (christy.guemple@gmail.com) VP Community Outreach</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Laurel Hamilton is taking over Hero's Day ● Still need someone for Walk to School Day. Will do it if nobody else steps up.
<p>Mark Eisenhut (mark_eisenhut@yahoo.com) VP Dad's Club</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Randy Shonefedl willing to take over Dad's Club ● If anything is needed for Water Day please let them know <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Mrs. Pavlik said she will have Specials Teachers out there and has already heard from people willing to volunteer. If people come be expected to be put to work.
<p>Shannon Christie (shannon.christie@cox.net) VP Events</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Matty and Gretchen: Night in Our Museum update: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Big Thank you to everyone who helped. Gretchen did all the signage, water bottles for their vendors, etc. ○ It was an amazing night!

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ The Photographer is offering to sell the pictures on an order form but still waiting to receive it from her. Hoping to put it out ASAP
<p>Madison Beedy (madisonbeedy@gmail.com) VP School Programs</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Edukit Update: Tina McFarland <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Already have 40 orders...looking for more!
<p>Lindsay Wing (lindsaywing1@hotmail.com) VP Room Parent Coordinator</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Teacher Appreciation Week went very well thanks to all the room parents, parents bringing in food, Carla for planning the lunch, Tina for helping with Cart of Happiness, Holly and Laurel for decorations, etc. The teachers were very appreciative! ● There was one Cart of Happiness on Monday and they put the remaining items in the lounge. By Tuesday everything was gone! ● There was a raffle pulled everyday. ● Make sure you get receipts in for end of the year parties and gifts
<p>Jen Izenstark (jenizenstark@gmail.com) VP UPC Rep</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Dr. Lee is retiring so next meeting we will meet the new superintendent. (meeting at 9:00, meet the superintendent at 10:15) ● There is a proposal out to increase teacher/staff pay ● Eight teachers at Grayhawk were recognized, and appreciated by parents...last year we only had two. ● Dr. Lee's retirement party on May 13th, from 3:00-6:00 at Horizon High School
<p>Susan Matura (susanmaturapto@gmail.com) VP Communications</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● If you have anything for parents to think about, remember, etc. over the summer please let Susan know and she will add it to the last eNews going out next Monday.

<p>Future Ideas</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Elise Sparks: Idea to ask parents to make a donation to the PTO in order to find out their child's teacher a little early. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Mrs. Pavlik fears that it allows for more time for parents to express unhappiness about their child's placement. They already spend a lot of time and energy talking to parents as it is. ● Idea was brought up to partner with a lower income school to help them throughout the year with things such as backpacks, school supplies, clothing, etc. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Would love to organize a backpack drive either at the end of the year before summer or inform the parents before and during summer that there will be a drive at the Back to School Social. ○ Jen Izenstark offered to organize a school supply drive ○ Mrs. Pavlik will look into a school to develop a partnership.
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Attendees: Melody Jones, Dorothy Jokerst, Madison Beedy, Susan Matura, Jenn Wood, Tricia Owen, Mark Eisenhut, Tina Kraus, Gretchen Hanna, Lindsay Wing, Debbie Peterson, Kim Wyngarden, Kristin Klecka, Michelle Pavlik, Lori Eby, Shannon Christie, Jen Izenstark, Catherine Leshinski, Jen Gorecki, Carla Lausten, Carissa Stewart, Casey Latto, Tina McFarland, Deanna Sentz, Gretchen Hanna, Katie Watson, Erin Jackson, Mandy Chapin, Katie Watson

Upcoming Events:

May 13: PTO Meeting
May 13: Band Spring Concert
May 13: Dr. Lee's Retirement Party
May 14: Strings Spring Concert
May 15: UPC Meeting
May 15: Talent Show
May 17: Pre-K Graduation
May 21: Water Day
May 23: Lynx & Bounding Assembly
May 23: Early Release
May 23: Last Day of School