

**Cascade Ridge Elementary PTSA 2.6.2**  
**General Membership Meeting - Agenda**  
**October 11, 2019**  
**Minutes**  
*Meeting called to order 9:35am*

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**Principal Report- Tia Kleinkopf**

- Emergency Planning- Good reminders: The office is unable to field parent calls as phone lines need to be open. Please check ENews and text for communication. First priority is to keep kids and staff safe, the school will communicate as soon as they can.
- Focus/Theme for year- All-inclusive resort- learning is everywhere for everyone.
- Smart with Art, Drama and YMCA Play Everyday are up and running
- October is Anti-Bullying Month and Disabilities History.

**AJ Henderson and Amy Hayes, Co-Presidents**

- Board Introductions
- Nominating Committee/Approval Vote: -nominations: Sandra Vanderzee, Laura Gehmen and Casey Marcin
  - *Motion: Amy Hayes; 2<sup>nd</sup> by Laura Gehman - APPROVED*
- Standing Rules/Approval Vote - *reviewed rules for approval.*
  - *Motion: Amy Hayes; 2<sup>nd</sup> by Laura Gehman - APPROVED*
- PTSA Goals and Mission/ Approval Vote – *reviewed goals and mission for approval*
  - *Motion: Amy Hayes; 2<sup>nd</sup> by AJ Henderson - APPROVED*
- Issaquah Council News:
  - Influence the choice- nonprofit grassroots group on substance abuse, they partner with the PTSA's and community.
  - Providence Pt property- future HS site. Slated for Fall 2022. Boundary discussions will begin after spring break.
  - Normal Sucks is speaking on Skyline Oct 22<sup>nd</sup> for parents.

**Issaquah Schools Foundation – Nicole Brenner**

- ISF Fundraisers- Step up for kids, Breakfast and Luncheon fundraiser
- Dining for kids -Nov 6<sup>th</sup>
- Shop for a cause- Nov 1th at Newcastle will include Kendra Scott and Glassybody
- ISF assist Teacher grants- Last year grant approved for books.

**Committee Reports:**

**Treasurer – Kerri Shek**

- Presentation of final 2019-2020 budget
- Approval Vote
  - *Motion: Kerri Shek 2<sup>nd</sup> by AJ Henderson - APPROVED*

### **Vice President- Paula Koransky**

- Membership- PTSA Membership emails to be sent out
- Staff Appreciation Lunch – Hosted by 5<sup>th</sup> grade families- spooky salad bar. Still looking for a few new members to help set up luncheon.
- Movie Night- Oct 11<sup>th</sup> Friday Kids voted on Pikachu movie

### **Community Relations – Laura Gehman**

- PTSA Socials –PTSA will host casual meet ups at Met market for Kindergarten. Jan 9<sup>th</sup> Hops and Drops PTSA social.
- Holiday Gift Barn- Collection will be from Nov 17<sup>th</sup>- Dec 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> drop off. Each classroom is in charge of a list.

### **Communications – Claire Raphael and Lloyd Raphael**

- Ways to stay informed about PTSA Happenings: Howler once a month; E-News goes out once a week; Eblast 2-3 X month, Facebook 2 times a day. Peachjar, PTSA website, Reader Board -highlights event dates

### **Fundraising – Sandra Vanderzee**

- Fall fundraiser recap- reached goal of \$67K
- Upcoming Events
  - Book Fair/Auction- Nov 5-7<sup>th</sup>- bidding will be online
  - Pop up Arts and Crafts shop- Dec 11<sup>th</sup>
  - Chipotle, Shopping night at Snapdoodle and Evereve, Rider1 Spin Class (Dates: TBD)

### **Programs – Andrea Obert and Tiffany Parker**

- Smart with Art started Oct 1<sup>st</sup>. All art instruction happens on Tues on assigned day.
- Reflections- Due date Nov 1<sup>st</sup>.
- After school classes have started

### **Volunteers – Susan Ho**

- Teachers to resend list of classroom volunteer sign ups.