

**Riley PTO Meeting Minutes**  
**February 11, 2020 - Approved**  
**6:30 PM - Riley Library**

**Meeting called to order at 6:32pm**

**Attendees** – Nicki Wilcox, Sarah Doak, Dana Nickols, Heather Hager, JoAnne Prince, Selina Mills, Christie Shaffer, Phyllis McLellan, Mandi Bliesiner, Jackie Brown, Tanna McGee, Tammy Van Norman, Kris Ely, Joseph Corr

**Previous Meeting Minutes** – were reviewed, no changes, Tanna made a motion to approve, Mrs. Brown 2<sup>nd</sup> - approved

**Financial Report** – New savings account was opened to hold funds specifically for the playground equipment, financial reports reviewed, no changes, Selina made a motion to approve, Christie 2<sup>nd</sup> – approved

**Quick Mentions** –

- Teacher's money – form went out to staff for any request to use the unspent fund
- Lugnuts Game is scheduled for May 1<sup>st</sup>
- Rewards programs flyer is made and will go home in Friday folders, and posted on peach jar
- Bowling Mania event broke even for budget, was a fun event
- Student council is giving \$500 towards the playground equipment, the current savings account balance, except \$1000, will be moved over into the playground account (about \$9000)
- Daddy Daughter Dance event Feb 29<sup>th</sup>, flyer is out and committee is meeting to work out details
- Jesi working on the thank you to Lowe's
- PTO purchased snow 'brick' makers for the kids to use on the playground, they love them
- Play balls need to be filled with air, we talked about keeping a pump in the playground shed so the kids could pump them up when they need it

**Playground structures/Fundraising ideas** – Mr. Corr showed the group the various structures he picked out from Landscape Structures Company (they also did the East Lansing School playgrounds). The new playground committee will meet with Tim from Landscape Structure Co. to discuss plans, look at the site etc and this info will be brought to the next meeting. The following prices are for the structure only:

Venti – \$37910

Crab Trap - \$65150 (much larger)

Zip Krooz - \$13195 (x2 if we get a double)

We also need to cover cost of the initial wood chip load and excavation of the site

**Family Movie Night** – will be held March 13<sup>th</sup>, showing Frozen II, will have costume contest – winner takes home the movie, will pre-sell tix to have an idea on how much popcorn/drinks to have. All funds will go towards the playground structure from ticket sales, and concession sales will be used to pay for the movie license and popcorn cost. Planning a 3<sup>rd</sup> movie night, likely May 15<sup>th</sup>, will do a poll for what movie to play. May continue to offer concessions if they sell well

**Staff Appreciation Update** – will be done May 5<sup>th</sup>, thinking of a Mexican food theme (Cinco de Mayo)

**Open Discussion** – discussed other fundraising ideas for the playground and will form a committee for this purpose

- Pop can drive
- Scrap run
- Open gym time
- Casino trip

**Adjournment** – Heather motioned, Phyllis 2<sup>nd</sup>, adjourned at 7:35pm