

Riley PTO Meeting Minutes
November 9, 2021 - Approved
6:30 PM - Riley Cafeteria

Meeting called to order at 631pm

Pledge of Allegiance recited

Attendees – Christie Shaffer, Michelle Piggott, Tom Rollis, Amanda Moran, Dana Nickols, Alicia Luttig, Jackie Brown (via zoom) Sarah Doak, Esther Haviland, Heather Hager

Previous Meeting Minutes – Reviewed, no changes, Heather motioned to approve, Michelle 2nd, all approved

Financial Report – June and July reports not available in print, however reviewed verbally by treasurer to the group, Christie motioned to approve the June report, Michelle 2nd all approve. Esther motioned to approve July report, Dana 2nd, all approve. September report reviewed Christie motioned to approve, Michelle 2nd, all approve. October report reviewed, Michelle motioned to approve, Esther 2nd, all approved. Balance of funds remaining from the Run Raiser event, \$4484.08, discussed options on where to move those funds to. Amanda motioned to move this balance to the playground fund, Esther 2nd, all approved.

Playground – Christie has been in touch with Tim from the playground company to get updated quote and discuss other structure items as the warranty and life of the rope structure is only 3-8 years. For the cost we felt it was important to invest in structures that would last much longer. Tim has been unresponsive to multiple requests for this information. Playground committee will plan to meet and explore other options and companies to get the project moving forward again.

Also discussed putting a bench or two on the playground (like the ones in the courtyard)

Events – Checking with Mr. Corr to see if we'll be able to hold some of the events this year in the building, more to come. Alicia and Amanda will take the lead on the son event and hold it early next year. JoAnne will continue with the Lugnuts event and use the online ticket purchase option again. Trunk or Treat in October was a huge success, kids had a blast! So many fun set ups!

PTO Newsletter – Dana would like to get a newsletter published at least one per trimester if not more frequently as a way to remind parents of the fundraising opps with Kroger/Amazon as well as promote more parent involvement in the PTO. Goal is to have it printed and sent home in Friday folders as well as emailed and posted on social media.

Quick Mentions – last call for pencil sharpeners will go out to instructional staff to get this purchase wrapped up.

Open Discussion –

- Trying to get more staff/teacher involvement in the PTO. Mrs. Brown and Mr. Corr working on this with all staff.
- Next PTO meeting scheduled for 1/11/22 at 630pm at the school, exact location TBD. Dana will create events on the FB page with the rest of the mtgs for this school year.

Adjournment – Heather made a motion to adjourn, Amanda 2nd, all approve, adjourned at 726pm