

Lakeshore Elementary PTO

General August Meeting Minutes

Date, Time, and Location: Tuesday, August 10, 2021, at Carson Park-Lower Pavilion from 6:30 pm-7:30pm.

Meeting called to order by President, Holli Jacobson at 6:30p.m.

Attendance: Colleen Miner, Deb Lewis, Holli Jacobson, Robin Miller, Nika Schwarz, Dani Dedman, Jake Lau, and new parents, Dan and Emily were present. There were 9 members in attendance: No guests in attendance.

***Introductions:**

***Principal's Report:** Colleen Miner said that they are busy planning for the 2021-2022 school year and determining what school will look like. Several new staff have been hired due to many retirements from last year. As of now, school will take place 5 days a week. Free breakfast and lunch will be provided again this year. K-2 students will be picked up on Hudson Street and grades 3,4 and 5 will be picked up by parents on Lake Street. If a family has a younger student in K-2, then all students in that family will be picked up on Hudson Street.

***Treasurer's Report:** The report was prepared by Tiffany Butterfield and was made available via email for the meeting. (See attached Treasurer Report). Tiffany was unable to attend this meeting, but informed members of an update on the PTO tax exempt status. Tiffany notified Chip, our accountant, that we hadn't heard back from the IRS yet. Chip thinks it would wise of us to file as a new entity and he is working on getting that figured out. Hopefully we will have more information from him soon. The PTO would also like to do something nice for Chip to show our appreciation for helping us out with our tax-exempt situation.

*** Welcome Back for Teachers:** The board decided to have Silly Serrano cater lunch for teachers on Tuesday, August 31. Silly Serrano will deliver the meal and set up at the school. The cost for the meal would be \$602.06 and would include a taco bar consisting of carnitas, chicken, tortillas, taco toppings, rice, and bean. Robin Miller is organizing this event.

*** Appreciation Days:** PTO would like to plan for Crossing Guard and Bus Driver Appreciation Days in advance, which takes place in February. Currently, Lakeshore has 2 Crossing Guards and 6-10 Bus Drivers. PTO would like to purchase some sort of gift certificate, along with donuts and hot coco as we have done in past years. PTO will continue to plan for this Appreciation Day.

***Fundraising:** Culver's Night is back on for this year. Families can visit the Culver's on Brackett Avenue between 4-7pm on September 21 and October 26th. A portion of the sales will benefit Lakeshore PTO.

***What will PTO events look like for the 2021-2022 school year:** As of now, it is uncertain what events will be like, due to the Covid pandemic, however the PTO is committed to schedule and

provide activities for students. As more information and guidance is provided, PTO will continue to plan and schedule events. Deb Lewis provided a list of scheduled events for the 2021-2022 school year. If events are cancelled or rescheduled, plenty of notice will be provided to families.

***New Officers:** Robin Miller will be the new Vice President and Dani Dedman will be our new Communications Officer for the 2021-2022 school year. PTO will be looking for an additional Communications Officer. If anyone is interested in this position, please reach out to the PTO.

*** Water Bottles:** The PTO thought it would be a nice idea to provide all students with water bottles again this year.

Meeting Adjourned at 7:30p.m.

Minutes compiled by Nika Schwarz, Secretary