

Grange Hall General Membership Meeting Minutes

September 11, 2019

Grange Hall Cafeteria

President Barker called the meeting to order at 6:13 pm. In attendance were:

Officers:

Amiee Barker, President
Brian DeFazio, Treasurer
Katie Imel, VP Membership
Meg Rosenberg, VP Fundraising
Sarah Battle, Secretary

Courtney Jones, Principal

Committee Chairs and Guests:

Kayla Turner, Julie Davis, Christina MacPhee, Aaron & Jess Hogan, Jean Finney, Melissa Warriner, Robin Minozzi, Jenny Hidge, Lorin Kain, Silke Wirz, Drew Throckmorton, Krissy Hamlett, Pamela Willard, Colleen Franklin, Andrey Lantz, Rebecca Schneeberger, Dawn Tarentelli, Tiffany Cole, Lindsey Foreman, Chandley Jones, Kathy Heiland, Erin Medearis, Laura Hare, Deborah Stone, Erin Lundrall, Amy Stamp, Greta Stewart, Steve Callear, Kathy Swain.

Quorum Certification

A quorum was established.

Approval of Minutes

The minutes from June 6, 2019 PTA General Membership Meeting were previously submitted for approval. There were no corrections and the minutes stand as presented.

Treasurer's Report

Amount on hand \$76,411.13.

2018-2019 audit was completed over the summer by Meg, Katie, Brian and Elizabeth Merrill. Audit motioned by Mrs. Jones and second by Laura Hare with all in favor.

2019-2020 budget was presented with addition of kindergarten – 3rd grade book carts and 4th & 5th grade novel studies with a cost of \$750. Grandparents breakfast was changed to a program (no monies will be collected) and the addition of the executive board dinner. Budget was motioned by Laura Hare and second by Katie Imel with all in favor.

Principal's Report

Bulldog Bulletin will go out each Sunday for school communications. The school website is currently being updated but should be up and running soon. Grange Hall is reaching out for new business partners.

President's Report

Communications will be sent via Bulldog Bulletin, Facebook and the PTA website. The room parent meeting will be September 17th. To sign up to be a room parent and pay student fees visit GHPTA.com. PTA shirts will be for sale this year for \$20.00. The shirts are made by Deborah Franklin. The PTA theme this year is "Parent Like A Champion!" Remaining open positions are Outreach, Community Representative & Enrichment. Sub-committee members are also needed. Box Top App is being implemented (demonstration provided). Clipped box tops will continue to be excepted until March 2020.

Officer's Report

Katie Imel: Membership drive happening. Hoping for 100%! Currently we have 39% membership. 2nd grade is currently in the lead. The class that earns 100% membership will get a certificate and a sweet treat.

Meg Rosenberg: Fun Run recap, Grange Hall earned 37,000.00 last year and purchased a new kindergarten playground that should be constructed in the next 2 weeks.

Elizabeth Koneru: All events this year will be Co-Ed to support the Chesterfield County initiative of inclusion. Grandparents breakfast will be a program this year. The dates of all events are posted to the PTA calendar.

Sarah Battle: Acknowledgment of received PTA thank-you from 2nd grade teachers. Shout out to the teacher reps that come to each PTA meeting and to Laura Hare for the new painting in the cafeteria!

Committee Reports

Andrey: Update on carnival – Parkway Baptist will provide shuttle service again this year, police presents will be for safety, food trucks will be available with proceeds donated back to the school, volunteers & supplies are still needed. Be on the lookout for the sign-up genius.

Laura: Reflections submissions are due by October 23rd and the theme this year is "Look Within."

Amiee: Denim Drive currently has 150 items but more are needed.

New Business

Mrs. Jones discussed Chick-Fil-A night will be September 19th and will be all day instead of just the evening. This is the same evening as Back to School Night and the rock your school event. Be prepared for an evening of family and fun. Food trucks will also be at this event from 5:00 – 8:00. The Parkway Shuttle will also be used.

Meg Rosenberg: Consider changing spring fund raiser from APEX to Boosterthon. Boosterthon would be an ongoing relationship throughout the school year and not just 1 week. Boosterthon theme this year "Wild West." Lessons would be teacher lead with videos. Boosterthon also offers apparel so could benefit spirit wear. Annual fee would be \$2,000.00. Changing the spring fundraiser to Boosterthon motioned by Sarah Battle, second by Laura Hare with all in favor.

Adjournment

With no further business the meeting was adjourned at 7:38 pm with a motion by Sarah Battle, second by Meg Rosenberg with a unanimous vote.

Authentication of the Minutes

Respectfully submitted for approval by Sarah Battle.