

Dr. Mona Jain Middle School Parent Teacher Organization (PTO) Meeting Date: Monday, April 19, 2021

Call to Order: 5:30pm

Welcome: President

Approval of Minutes: Minutes from the March 8, 2021 meeting were approved as submitted.

Board Reports

- President:
 - The secretary position on the board remains vacant as well as committee chairs for Teacher Appreciation, Spirit, and Fundraising.
 - At the May meeting, we will begin taking nominations for board positions for the 2021-2022 school year.
 - SAC sponsored the April First Friday.
- **Treasurer:** Current balance is \$2,158.60 (does not include 2 pending deposits). At the May meeting, an end of the school year financial report will be provided.

Committee Reports

- Spirit Night –A total of \$1,079.30 has been raised from the Spirit Nights this school year. The March Wolves Head Spirit Night was highly successful with \$275 raised. February Dairy Queen Spirit Night was \$137, and Texas Roadhouse on April 5th was only \$100 (restaurant ended up giving a flat donation). The next Spirit Night is Wednesday (April 21, 2021) at Panera Bread on SR70. Additional scheduled Spirit Nights include Chipotle (May 4, 2021) on SR70 and Menchie's Frozen Yogurt (May 20, 2021 on SR70. School is including all in-coming students for next year during their phone call reminders.
- **8**th **Grade Celebration** A drive-thru event will occur on Wednesday May 26, 2021 from 4:30-6:00pm. PTO is helping to coordinate. There have been 2 committee meetings held so far. More details will be made available shortly.
- **Teacher Appreciation Week** April 26-30, 2021 A planning committee has been actively working and has events planned for each day of the week. A flyer detailing the events has been created and will be emailed to the teachers and staff.

Principal's Report

- Mrs. Lindsay thanked the parents that attended the Gullett SAC meeting in March. More staff will be provided for the school.
- On May 19, 2021 textbooks and devices will be collected for all on-campus and elearning students. PTO volunteers will be needed to assist.
- PTO volunteers will also be needed for the 8th Grade Celebration. A PTO and on-campus committee is working on the celebration and the school will contribute money to support. A video awards program will be created.
- PTO volunteers are also requested to assist with yearbook distribution.
- National Junior Honor Society will have their induction ceremony on May 6, 2021 at 5:00pm. Volunteers are requested for this event as well.
- Lakewood Ranch High School graduation will be held on June 3, 2021. Since the middle school will be complete for the year, there will be no conflict with any planned events.
- Progress Reports will be distributed Thursday, April 22, 2021.
- A parent volunteer to participate in developing the 2021-2022 school year calendar of events was requested.
- The Math Bootcamp was very successful, and the rewards provided by PTO/SAC were greatly appreciated.

Old Business

• **PTO Lucky Grams for St. Patrick's Day** – Only 32 grams were sold for a total of \$32.

New Business

• **Renaissance Reward for Fourth Quarter** – The school requested assistance from PTO with arranging for Kona Ice. School will provide the date and an estimate of the number of students.

Upcoming Events:

Next PTO Meeting Date: Monday, May 17, 2021 Spirit Nights:

- Wednesday, April 21, 2021 Panera Bread (SR70)
- Tuesday, May 4, 2021 Chipotle (SR70)
- Thursday, May 20, 2021 Menchie's (SR70)

Teacher Appreciation Week: April 26-30, 2021

Adjournment: 5:56pm