

EHS PTA General Membership Meeting

March 5, 2021

Present: Gina Luscher, Brenda White, Yvonne Davis, Michelle Hartley, Jen Goodheart, Cindy Dean, Deb Payne, Heather Blakely, Mee Yoke McGuire, Jocelyn Sievers-Bailey

5:59 PM Call to Order by Brenda White

Minutes accepted as written

Individual Reports

President's Report-Brenda, thank you for being present and showing up and all you do!

Treasurer's Report-See attached; all is well. Sponsorships are coming in for the auction, Jen made a large deposit today. Jen met with Eric Peterson-taxes have not been filed for the past two years. He is willing to help get us and will meet with Jen by the end of the month.

Admin Report Liaison Report-Deb Payne-Reflections-4 students received their awards, the Play-amazing, the basketball team, thank you for helping with the rooster bus and supporting our school! Classroom Grants-thank you so much for funding so many amazing programs: robotics, board games, Avid field trips, literary magazines, state cross country meet, DECA, soccer equipment. Cheer tryouts are coming up at the end of March. SAT is March 13, 3.5 hour late start for everyone not taking the test. Culture Shock on May 17th in the Gym is the Sparking our Cultural Connections. Thank you for the Valentine's Day treats!

Committee Reports

Membership no report given.

Hospitality-Gina Luscher is taking care of Staff Appreciation week in May.

Sammy's Closet-Jocelyn reported we spent \$646.48; the freezer is full, the fridge is full and the closet is full! We will assess what is needed in April. Member questions: How many families are served, will and can Sammy's be open over the summer?

Classroom Grants-Brenda passed the grant applications around to preview. She has everything in a one drive file for next year. Revisit expectations for grants in the FALL-should we focus more on classrooms? Raise the budget, include more people, etc.?

Auction-Cindy and Mee Yoke, we are in full auction mode! HALF OF THE TICKETS ARE SOLD! Great Alumni response this year. \$12,000.00 in sponsorship funds have already been collected-thank you so much Brenda and the sponsorship team! Items are being procured and the spread sheet is being accessed. Form must be in by March 29...items are desired but contact Cindy and Mee Yoke for drop off delivery. The next meeting is Thursday, March 7 in the Career Center.

Unfinished Business

Nominating Committee-Yvonne Davis, Karen Zulinke and Julie Bell have agreed to be the nomination committee. All four executive positions will need to be filled for next year.

Staff Appreciation Week-Gina is working with Mrs. Brown and the Intro to Leadership class to help make the week festive and let the staff know they are loved and appreciated. She's

working on a reusable cup and the coffee shop teacher to create a nice gift to give the staff. She's working on the details for the week. Gina will work with the allocated budget and report to the team.

New Business

Golden Acorn, outstanding educator, outstanding advocate, etc. nominations will be sent out soon. The PTA banquet is May 29. We would like to dig into the historical pieces and find a way to recognize PTA award winners. We will recognize on our own and not be a part of the official PTA Golden Acorn awards.

Upcoming Events

Everett Public Schools Foundation Fundraiser, "Sammy," **March 14**, 6:30pm, Civic Auditorium

Everett Special Education PTSA Fun Run, **March 24**, 11am-2pm, Everett Memorial Stadium

EHS Auction Donations Deadline, **March 29**

EHS Auction, **April 20**, 5-9:30pm, Everett Community College

Staff Appreciation Week is **May 6-10**

The next PTA Meeting, May 7 (No April meeting)

Meeting Adjourned 6:59 PM