## **Evergreen School PTA General Meeting Minutes**

December 11, 2024

President: Audra Koplowitz Vice President: Melissa Juniewicz VP, Fundraising: Siobhan Rossiter VP, Fundraising: Leah Peckerman Honorary VP: Erin Mullman Treasurer:Melissa Bernstein Secretary: Emily Goldstein

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Call to order at 7:05pm

- Pledge of Allegiance
- Welcome
- Reading/Approval of Minutes
- 1. Honorary Vice President Report
  - a. Thank you for Halloween- everyone's flexibility
  - b. Mascot naming Election during Election Day
  - c. November had Parent Teacher Conferences
  - d. Trimester 1 grades 1-4 Power School report cards accessible 12/18 (P and K will receive later)
  - e. Governor Ed award winners recognized by BOE in January
  - f. upcoming : Spirit Week next week (themed days), Thursday 12/19 Holiday Sing a long and parties at 2:15 hosted by room parents.
  - g. Bittersweet: Mrs. Marvelli is retiring at the end of January will plan to celebrate her
  - h. Board Referendum to be voted on in January
  - i. HUGE thank you for Stephanie and Susana for car line help in the AM
- 2. Teacher Liaisons
  - a. Skaar/Keller:
    - i. Halloween was great,

- ii. No School November
- iii. Fourth grade made floats
- iv. Working on progress reports
- v. Google Form for Teachers to pick games for indoor recess
- vi. Author visit: Daniel Kirk during Read Across America
- vii. Mascot is named: Teddy want to use Teddy throughout the school!
- 3. President's Report
  - a. Thank you for clothing donations- in lieu of candy grams money raised will be going to Tiny Tim Foundation
  - b. Thanksgiving food drive to Veterans
  - c. Friday 12/13 Holiday Craft Fair
  - d. Holiday Parties coming up
  - e. March 21- Brain Show (2 assemblies during the day and one at night)
  - f. PTA websites getting it up and running
- 4. Vice President's Report
  - a. Holiday Parties on Thursday 12/19 at 2:15 non-holiday specific, let MJ know about alternates will be attending the parties
  - b. Continue to communicate with grade reps
  - c. Staff gift cards are purchased and getting ready for distribution
- 5. Vice Presidents' Fundraising Reports
  - a. Kidspirations for Mothers Day delivery
  - b. Candle Sales \$250
  - c. Holiday Shop: end of week will receive small envelope with budgets, cash or check (Evergreen PTA)-- students shopping Thursday (and after school until 5:30) and Friday
- 6. Secretary's Report
  - a. Membership update: 273 with 45 teachers...so 318 total
- 7. Treasurer's Report
  - a. Two banks : Unity \$32,851, PNC: \$8,771

- b. Major expenses: holiday gift cards, scholastic books, holiday craft fair, and 4th grade shirts
- c. Income: Craft fair and pretzel income
- d. Notes:
  - i. Funds from Tricky Tray are split between Unity and PNC
  - ii. Several large checks are still outstanding
- 8. Committee Reports
  - a. 4th grade
    - i. Ms. K scheduled field trip is paid for by the PTA
    - ii. Amazing Race 1/17
    - iii. Yearbook photos can be submitted, open for sale
- 9. Adjournment 7:44 pm

Next Meeting is set for virtual January 22, 2025