

Spring Creek Elementary PTA Meeting
Friday, January 19, 2024
Room 201

Start time 10:20

Members in attendance: Nicole Hill, Crystal Blodgett, Ashley Rayback, Cristina Bray, Lindsey Stockdale, Jenny Wright, Stephanie Siswick, Ruth Ann Snow, Kimmy Martinez

Non-Members in attendance: Daybel Salcedo

Call to Order/Introduction: Lochsley Allred (PTA President)

- I. Principal Update: Ruth Ann Snow
 - A. WEDA testing happening now
 - B. STEM Fair Feb 1st
 - C. Parent teacher conference coming up beginning of February (7th and 8th)

- II. Community Outreach Report: Kimmy Martinez
 - A. We have a robotics applicant- Hoping to start program in February
 - B. Several new staff in our after school program
 - C. Theater program will be performing "Beauty and the Beast." We have a strong relationship with the NOORDA theater. Performance on March 28th.
 - D. Considering a lottery system for our after school program next year.

- III. School Board Report: Lochsley Allred giving Jennifer Partridge written report
 - A. School board is taking community feedback on three policies, you can give feedback on provo.edu
 - B. The Timpview project will not take care of some of the school wings
 - C. Two community meetings will be held on the Dixon property if you are interested in attending.
 - D. Jennifer Partridge has an instagram [@jeniferprovoschoolboard](https://www.instagram.com/jeniferprovoschoolboard) if anyone wants to follow her

- IV. Parent Teacher Conference Dinner: Jenny Wright
 - A. Taking ideas for PTC dinners
 - B. The date is February 8th

- V. Founders Day at the Capitol: Ashley Rayback (Region 10 Director)
 - A. February 9th is Founder's Day at the Capitol. Anyone is invited to attend to meet with our state legislators. We discuss legislation that is important to children and issues regarding education.
 - B. PTA tour, taking the 8:16 train. Tour the capitol at 10 am.

- VI. Election of one more member of the Nominating Committee**

Lochley nominates Crystal Blodgett as the last member of the nominating committee. Cristina seconds. Unanimous votes.

Positions up: President Elect, Treasurer, Secretary

- VII. Report on Santa Shop-Pamela Foster
 - A. Teacher feedback was positive for Santa Shop
 - B. Kids waiting in the hallway, maybe remind teachers to have them bring a book
- VIII. Golden Apple Nominations
 - A. If you have a teacher you'd like to nominate, let Lochsley know
 - B. Amy Wright is being nominated as Outstanding Educator
- IX. Staff Appreciation Week
 - A. Door Coordinator: PTA usually hangs door decor supplies at PTC, we need someone to be in charge of keeping track of who is doing what doors, possibly hosting a decorating event, etc.
 - B. Food Coordinator-Jenny and anyone else looking to help
 - C. Book Donations Coordinator: Wish list for books from the teachers at the book fair, families can sign up and donate books. Maybe community businesses would donate books for those whose wishes aren't fulfilled. -Nicole Hill
 - D. General Decorations Coordinator: book-themed, and also make sure the teachers feel appreciated
 - E. Spirit Days (can we incorporate books and gratitude?) Maybe dress in the teacher's favorite colors? IDEAS. Dress like a book character
 - F. Friday before decorate

Upcoming Events/Volunteer Opportunities:

- X. Battle of the Books-Thursdays March 28th (? time) 1:30-2:30 possibly
- XI. Events:
 - A. STEM Fair: February 1st-Need one more judge, Lochsley will send the form to Ashley.
 - B. Parent Teacher Conferences: February 7th-8th
 - C. Founders Day at the Capitol: February 9th
 - D. Set up Staff Appreciation Week: March 22
 - E. Staff Appreciation Week: March 25-29
- XII. Volunteer Opportunities
 - A. STEM Fair Judges
 - B. STEM Fair PTA Table
 - C. PTA Table at PTC
 - D. Staff Appreciation Week
- XIII. Official PTA Business:
 - Treasurer Report: Tyler Steele (Treasurer)
 - Secretary Report: Cristina Bray (Secretary)
- XIV. PTA Volunteer Spotlight: Olivia Goldman
 - A. Nicole Hill and Crystal Blodgett

Next Meeting will be on Friday, February 16 at 10 am.

Meeting adjourned at 11:30am.