

Adams PTA Agenda – March 13, 2017 4:00

I. Call to order and welcome/introductions/door prize sign-up

Time 4:04

Quorum Present yes

II. Secretary Report/ motion was made and minutes were approved

III. Treasurer Report

- Proposed Changes:
 - Retirement Fund to Sunshine Fund
 - PTA Council Scholarships to High School Scholarships
 - Spring Spirit wear(track meet) to Track Meet /Spiritwear Donation

Ms. Blumer made a motion to accept and Mrs. Simmons seconded the motion. All changes approved.

IV. Student Council Report (Welcome Student Council!)

- Thank you for your help with Scoopie Night - Thank you for volunteering at the tattoo booth
- Mrs. Calteux has been attending and working with Mr. Mike to run the Spotlight on Staff writing project
- Student Council presented “How to put on Winter Gear’ to younger students, helped with Random Acts of Kindness Week and had a Fancy Dress Up Day
- The Humane Society Drive was a big success! We raised \$100 and logs of supplies for the animals
- Scoopie Night was a big success too but we will wash our hands and/or wear rubber gloves next time
- Student Council helped with Box Tops and Milk Jugs.
- The last spirit awards went to Mrs. Munch and Mrs. Inman
- Student Council will be voting on Fun Run t-shirts and helping at the St. Patrick’s Day Dance this week

V. Principal Report

- **Conferences** (thank you to PTA for all the meals provided to the staff during conferences! We are so appreciative on busy days like that)
- **SOP’s and Why:** Standard Operating Procedures help create ownership with routines and procedures so that the students can be more successful with expectations
- **Wisconsin Forward** Testing starts next week with 3rd grade, then 4th grade, then 5th grade (before Spring Break)
- **Jump Rope for Heart** info is coming soon from Mr. McCarty
- **Humane Society Follow Up**

VI. JAC Report (Next Meeting 4/4 @ 6:00 at Jackson Nomination letters due)

VII. Fine Arts Committee updates

- **Kohls Wild Theatre is March 29 1:30 for grades K-2**
- **PTA Reflections Contest** -list of all winners from Janesville:
<https://docs.google.com/a/janesville.k12.wi.us/document/d/1ZI3wADPa3a-tnH4ZjFoeH--04j3JTYRshV4JFWX8mM/edit?usp=sharing>

Congratulations to these State Award Winners for their amazing work:

Maggie Giese - Award of Excellence - Dance Intermediate

Raya Elliott - Grand Winner - Photography Primary

Griffin Eldridge - Outstanding Interpretation - Photography Intermediate

Feona Zipperer - Grand Winner - Photography Intermediate

Raya Elliott - Award of Excellence - Visual Arts Primary

Janiya Davis - Award of Excellence - Visual Arts Intermediate

Thank you to all students who entered the Reflections Art Contest! We are proud of you all!

Thank you to Ms. Zdrale for having these projects on display!

VIII. Funds Distribution Committee: Poster maker updates? Popcorn machine and materials were purchased! Thank you!

IX. Unfinished Business:

- **St. Patty's Day Dance & Bake Sale** – A brief planning session will take place after this meeting. We will meet after school on Tues/Wed this week to put up decorations .Kohl's Cares volunteers did not sign up to help with this event. We will try again another time! Thank you to Liz and Lori for coordinating! Thanks also to everyone who has signed up to help with the event!
- **Scoopie Night:** Thanks to everyone who worked at our last event. The class that won the custard party was Mrs.London's class! Congrats. Our next and last Scoopie Night is April 25th. Thank you to Lori and Liz for coordinating
- **School Store** – March 23 & 24 (set up Wed. 3/22 @ 1:30) & May 31, June 1 (setup Tues. 5/29 @ 1:30). Thanks to Lori, Liz, Darcie B. and Rebecca for coordinating
- **Donation drive for Humane Society** - This was a huge success! Thank you to everyone who was involved and helped make it happen for our school and the Humane Society! Thanks to Heather, Lori and Ms. Munch for coordinating.Thanks to Lori, Rebecca, Heather and Liz for setting up donations for the assembly!
- **PTA Awards:** Heather, Liz, and Lori are working on nomination letters. If you have not submitted your response to the survey to share details or past experience working with the award winners, please do so to help up write the best letter we can! We will be sharing pictures of these award winners on FB and sending out an email to our membership in April during Volunteer Appreciation Week. Thanks to Liz for coordinating
- **H.S. Scholarship update:** Liz will schedule with the schools. We have a March 15th deadline we have to get beyond before we can schedule.
- **Student Council T-shirts:** Order forms are due this week and will be submitted to MMPR end of week. Thanks! Thanks to Heather and Lori for coordinating

X. New Business

- **Fun Run T-shirt voting** -Thanks to Ms. Zdrale for organizing this special project. Please vote before you leave.
- **Kindergarten Orientation** - Thursday, May 11 from 4-5:30 pm
 - PTA reps will be there (Liz, Rebecca and Lori :) so they can say a few words and also promote Papa Murphy's night
- **Board Member Search:** Next year we will have two openings in the board - President and Secretary. If anyone is interested in volunteering for this position, please contact Liz P or a board member. If we have more than one person interested in a position we will hold a vote in our May meeting.

- **Volunteer Appreciation Week:** We are hoping to do a few things for this week which is the last week in April. If you would like to be involved or have ideas, please let us know!
 - Mrs. Simmons will talk to Mrs. Spafford about the numbers of volunteers and we could plan something in the spring for all of them
- **Square 1 Art Fundraiser:** Thanks to Ms. Zdrale for overseeing this awesome fundraiser. Orders will be due by March 30th!
- **Fun Run T-shirt Orders will be sent out in April.** Students and families will be able to purchase this design as a special promotion for our Fun Run this year as opposed to the shirt being offered as a prize! :) We hope it goes well.
- **Fun Run updates:** We are in the early stages of planning. We would love to have a kick-off assembly to get students excited about fundraising for the event. Is this something we can do. WE will be forming a planning committee to meet over the next few months. We would love your help. Please sign up to help! We are looking into some donations for top-earner prizes. If you have connections, please let us know!
- **Teacher Appreciation Week:** Thanks to Lori for starting plans for this. Our theme this year will be a superhero theme. :) If you would like to help with this special week, please join our committee.
- **Fundraiser proposal for Wilson School outreach:** Wilson school does not have a pta/pto. As such would we consider organizing a fundraiser (example: Papa Murphy's Night) where we would donate 50% of the proceeds to Wilson school to help pay for something that a PTA would otherwise support, like an assembly. Can we do this?

VIII. Other/Door Prize winner Lori Calteux

IX. Adjourn Meeting (motion)
5:14

* **Next meeting is Monday April 3 @ 4 pm. Please note this is NOT the 2nd Monday of the month. Meeting Day had to be changed due to Spring Break**