Paxton Keeley PTA Meeting

Call to order

Paxton Keeley PTA meeting was held at Paxton Keeley Elementary on February 6, 2024.

Welcome- Hainsworth Approval of minutes

Minutes from November 14, 2023 meeting.

Budget

- Review PTA budget- Amanda
 - PTA approved to pay up to \$500 for a storyteller for Comet Culture Night

News/Events

- Upcoming PTA Sponsored Events
 - Spring Book Fair: Feb 26-29
 - o a sign-up genius has been sent out by Mrs. Patton in the Paxton Post
- School events
 - Classroom Valentines party: Feb 14, 2:15-3pm
 - o Teacher Conferences: Feb 26-28
 - Technology museum: Feb 5-15
 - this is a volunteer opportunity for guardians
 - Kindergarten Round Up: March 7 4:30-6:30pm
 - PTA gifts each incoming kindergartener a book
- District news
 - No school: Feb 16-19
 - No school: March 1
 - Summer school enrollment March 5, 2024

New Business

- Reminder: next meeting we'll take nominations and vote on new VP and secretary
- PTA teacher grants Sara Osman
 - 19 submissions. \$2,408
 - Need to review and approve
 - all grants were approved

Updates

- Valentines Donation
 - o PTA presidency voted to donate 46 Valentine cards to the school.
 - Approximately \$285
- 5th grade party- Katie Bukowsky
 - o Party will be held at ARC May 10, 2024
 - o February 27, 6:30pm, Zoom
- Book Fair- Mary Hodge
 - o Feb 26-29
 - PTA will give a gift voucher to each teacher to use for a student who may not be able to purchase a book.
 - 100% of the revenue goes to the library
 - o Please sign up for a shift
- Staff Appreciation- Samantha Thornton
 - Teacher/Staff Conference Dinner Feb 28th

- Holiday Meals- Mayra
 - PTA was able to help 20 families and provide Hyvee meals. Thank you to Sarah Sadewhite and Amos Fatoma
 - This was done with the support of our Partner in Education- Hyvee
 - 10 families were recipients this was about \$800
- Foaming Fun Run
 - o Friday, May 3rd this is a new date
 - 5-6:30, race starts at 5:15
 - o Need committee leader Stephanie Eads will lead
 - o this is a free event to families that PTA puts on
- April 19th for Comet Culture Night (tentative Ms. Miller is checking with the team)
- Paxton Update- Adrienne
 - we are done with iReady testing
 - o Mrs. Patton sent out the APR report
 - o attendance is always important
- Principal Q&A
 - o question about the boundary lines meeting that was tonight
 - the new elementary school is supposed to open in 25-26

Announcements

Next PTA Meeting - March 5, 2024, 7pm