

**DATE:** Tuesday, February 21, 2023

**PLACE:** Storm Grove Middle School, Media Center

**ATTENDEES: Storm Grove:** Chris Taylor, Ada Hermoza-Ross, Aqila Rhodes

**Excused Storm Grove:** Shana Nathaniel

**Parents / Business Partners:** Marie Gruber, Michele Murphy, Callie Marques, Ilda Pimentel, Juan Pimentel,

**Excused Parents/Business Partners:** Sally Brown, Winncy Schlitt, Monica Pryor

**Unexcused Parents:**

**MEETING SUMMARY: DISCUSSION / TOPICS**

- 1) Call to Order: The meeting was called to order by Marie Gruber at 3:25 pm.
- 2) Visitors: Januarie Lloyd, PTSA President, Bob Galbraith, parent.
- 3) Minutes: Aqila Rhodes motioned to approve the minutes from October 18, 2022, December 13, 2022 and January 17, 2023. Juan Pimentel seconded. Motion passed.
- 4) Current SAC Treasury balance is \$7,885.92 No current request for funding.
- 5) Chairman updates: None at this time.
- 6) Principal's updates:
  1. Incoming sixth grade night is scheduled for April 12<sup>th</sup> from 5-7 pm. It will more interactive. Staff is designing a "passport" that students will take to different parts of the campus in order to familiarize themselves with the campus. Example – meet the principal, go to guidance, go to the school store, etc. There will be a small gift if they complete their passport. Expecting 355 new students.
  2. Spring sports are starting – baseball, softball, and girls lacrosse.
  3. Flag football tryouts are after Spring Break.
  4. MPA's for our music programs are currently happening.
  5. Gradtastic for 8<sup>th</sup> graders will be at Sea World this year on May 19<sup>th</sup> . It is less expensive than Universal (\$125) with less kids in the park at one time for safety.
  6. On February 15, a sixth grader had a BB gun in their backpack. Another student reported it and the student was detained by the Sheriff's office.
- 7) PTSA update: 550 cookies sold for Valentine's Day Cookie Grams. Teacher and staff appreciation week will be May 8-May 12. It will be a "Las Vegas" theme this year, with

multiple days of lunches. PTSA will be paying for Kona Ice for the teachers for the next to last day of school.

- 8) New Business: discussions about needs for parent volunteers and discussion about things parents are needed for middle school compared to elementary school. Additional discussion about lunch detentions and parents not getting a phone call home letting them know. There were additional concerns expressed about the lag between the event that caused lunch detention and the actual detention. Bathroom passes were also discussed.
- 9) Assessment Calendar – May 2<sup>nd</sup> ELA testing for all grades, May 9<sup>th</sup> Math testing for all grades including EOC classes. May 11<sup>th</sup> Science for 8<sup>th</sup> graders and Civics for 7<sup>th</sup> graders. All assessments this year will be for one day.
- 10) Old Business: Yearbooks will be on sale online until March 18, 2023.
- 11) Next meeting will be March 14, 2023 at 3:15 PM.

Meeting adjourned at 4:10 PM.