



Viola Gibson PTA Exec Meeting Minutes

09/08/20 6:30 p.m.

Zoom meeting

Meeting called to order at 6:30 p.m. by Eric Christofferson

Attendees: Eric Christofferson, president; Sarah Mersch, vice president; Anne Kapler, co-secretary; Julie Rosenbohm, co-treasurer; Sarah Eischeid, co-treasurer; Heather Spangler, co-volunteer coordinator, Ashley Hoppe, co-volunteer coordinator

1. School Update
 - a. Social distancing circles have been placed
 - b. Roof repair is in progress
 - c. Most classes will likely be 15-18 students, but lists are not complete.
 - d. Will return to regular PTA meeting schedule in October.
2. Erin Sneller is nominated as co-secretary. Approved.
3. School Supplies
 - a. Preorders have been sorted and delivered to classrooms. Students who are doing virtual learning and ordered school supply packs will receive their supplies when they come to the building to pick up their Chromebook.
 - b. Eric will sign a contract with the same company for next school year.
4. Outdoor Classroom
 - a. Started work on Aug. 10 to put in concrete pad. Work is delayed due to the derecho and the resulting other work needed across the district.
5. GaGa Ball Pit Repair
 - a. Estimate \$200 to \$300 to repair due to damage from the derecho
 - b. Eric may do repairs this weekend; more information to come
6. Trail Painting
 - a. Sarah M has concrete paint so we can add art to trail/playground before school starts
7. Classroom Barriers
 - a. We'll use vinyl and PVC pipe to make 112 barriers (5 per classroom + 7 for the art room). Not sure when supplies will arrive. May need assistance to cut and assemble the weekend of Sept. 19-20.
8. Fundraising update
 - a. Mabels Labels
9. Drop-in Volunteering

- a. Rebecca Long is working with Denise on putting together contactless drop-in volunteering. Teachers will assemble materials for projects that volunteers can pick up and complete at home. Will likely offer monthly
- 10. America Reads
 - a. Committee voted to cancel the event this year
- 11. First week teacher appreciation
 - a. Heather will put together first-week teacher appreciation event
- 12. Gator Gallop
 - a. Gator Gallop event: Week-long celebration on a bingo card -- activities would include physical activities, community-building activities, etc.
 - b. Date: Week of Oct. 12
 - c. Fundraising goal: \$13,000
 - i. \$1,000 donation to support playground can kick off the Gallop
 - ii. All student/family donations will be collected via PayPal
 - iii. Will celebrate the grade that brings in the most
 - iv. Working on raffle to incorporate virtual learners
- 13. Next meetings: Monday, Sept. 14th at 6:30 p.m.; Wednesday, Oct. 1 at 6:30 p.m.

Meeting adjourned at 8:04 p.m.