



OES PTA Meeting Minutes

OES Library

May 10, 2017

Submitted by Jamie Rothenberger

PTA President Susan McWeeney welcomed everyone and brought the meeting to order at 8:30 am. She recapped the Fun Run:

- Attendance at this year's fun run was down and the run netted approx. \$2,000.
- Although attendance was down the main reason for the lower profit was due to lower sponsorships.
- We discussed the idea of a boosterathon in 2018. Susan said that she would be discussing this idea in greater detail with the Fun Run Chair at the recap meeting.
- The 6th grade basketball game was a success with high attendance.
- Final Spring Carnival figures were out. The Carnival made \$11,600 after all expenses were accounted for.
- In order to have greater attendance at OES activities, we discussed the potential of cutting down the number of activities for next year so that we can really focus on making the events that we have the best that we can.
- Chris Kelly brought up the variety show and only having it every other year as it is a huge commitment for all involved.
 - The PTA brought up that this is something that is fun and a privilege for 6th graders so it would be a shame for some classes to miss the opportunity.
- Nominees for the 2017-2018 PTA board were discussed;
 - We volunteered to contact specific people whom we thought may be interested in some of the open chair positions.
 - At the date of this meeting the President and VP of Fundraising positions were still open.
- STAW week was discussed and Joanie said that she felt that the teachers considered it a success and greatly appreciated all that was done for them during this week.
- Chris Kelly said that she would personally write Thank You notes to the highest doners during our FOO event.
- It was decided to recognize I-9 Sports for all that they do for OES during the upcoming Movie Night.
- Mimi Chou requested PTA funds in order to have water dispensers (similar to those in gyms) installed throughout the school. She brought up that it would be environmentally friendly and more sanitary than water fountains.
 - Keith Eck suggested that the request needed to run through the county and that he was aware that those were currently being installed throughout many Fairfax County schools but did not know of plans for OES.
 - Mimi agreed to follow up to see what was necessary in order to get this done.



The Meeting adjourned at 9:15AM.

Meeting Attendees Included:

Audra Hoebler	
Joanie Dugan	
Mimi Chou	
Jamie Rothenberger	
Susan McWeeney	
Nicole White	
Chris Kelley	
Ismail Nalwala	
Rupa Shah	
Keith Eck	