

## Meeting Minutes for 2/6/23 · Wading River School Middle Library @ 6:00pm

- I. Call Meeting to Order for PTA- Pledge of Allegiance
- II. Principal's Report
- III. Treasurer's Report
  - See budget report report for specific breakdowns.
- IV. Approval of 1/11/23 Meeting Minutes
- V. President's Report

## **Old Business:**

- Wildcat Wagon: New items are being added and volunteer spots have opened please check our website for sign up. Valentine's Pop Up Shop has been added for 2/14.
- Picture Day: Deborah Aiello and Miller Avenue PTO President Jen Pendzick have chosen Class Act as our new Picture Day Company for next year. 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Grad Photo is scheduled for Monday, September 18<sup>th</sup> (same day as 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade Grad Photo), Picture Day will be Tuesday, September 26<sup>th</sup> and Retake Day will be Wednesday, November 15<sup>th</sup>.
- PTA Council is still selling beautiful SWR Wildcats Car Magnets. Please take a flyer to order online or buy in person at our meetings. We will be selling some at our evening book fair as well. Proceeds support the PTA Council scholarship fund for graduating seniors.

## **New Business:**

- Duck Donut Fundraiser: We are selling DIY Valentine's donut kits of 4 and 8 as well as Quack Cards (half dozen and dozen). Order deadline is 2/7. Pick up will be 3:15pm-5:00pm on 2/13 (please park and pick up your donuts). Deadline for orders is 2/7/2023.
- Yearbook: Kristy Molinelli and Linda from JRC imported the images from Lifetouch for the students and staff. Kristy also imported pictures into each class folder from Whittle Gym that the P.E. teachers gave us. We still need a photo of the Mosaic taken. We will add a section on the 5<sup>th</sup> grade NYC trip since Philly will be after the yearbook deadline. Deborah submitted fundraising applications for the yearbook and ad sales, please be on the lookout for the flyer. Volunteers should be designing their class pages now April 1<sup>st</sup> is the final deadline. Ongoing training and support are available from our JRC Yearbook rep Linda Katz: linda@jrcyearbooks.com, 347-552-0827.
- Spring Book Fair: will take place from 2/27 through 3/3, with a night time book fair during Science Fair on 3/1. Flyers will come home soon on how to sign up for the ewallet.
- Spring Spiritwear: Jen Oliveri found a new company to design the spirit wear shirts called "Inkerprise". New designs were created with different color options as well as hoodies.

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- We discussed a possibility of Field day shirts being designed by the students with the winner's drawing being the design for the t-shirt.
- Legacy Gifts: Recess bags, balls and jump ropes for each class will be delivered to the P.E. teachers to start inflating and distributing. Deborah Aiello is looking into pricing for a Little Free Library for our outdoor learning space (co-sponsored with SEPTA). Kits are available on the Little Free Library website and include Easy Care (recycled plastic) kits that last longer than wooden kits. There are pre-assembled options (with more shipping) also.
- SRO: Kathy Friedlander has volunteered to be our SRO Liaison. 5<sup>th</sup> grade parents should sign up for the SRO 46 Remind for updates and have your child join the google classroom. Look for volunteer opportunities for set design, rehearsal help and the cast party. WHAM will be selling Kisses for the Cast which we will help promote. The PTA will also be selling Program Ads and Bouquets for the Cast. Cast party is scheduled for the Friday 3/24 where students will have the opportunity to watch their performances.
- VI. Our next meeting will be on Monday, 3/20/2023 at 6:30 pm at Wading River School Library.
- VII. Questions/Discussion
- VIII. Motion to adjourn

Upcoming event dates:
Duck Donuts Deadline: 2/7
Wildcat Wagon – Valentine's Day Pop Up 2/14
Wildcat Wagon 2/16
Scholastic Book Fair 2/27-3/6
Science Fair/Evening Book Fair 3/1
SRO: 3/22 and 3/23