Matthew Turner PTA General Membership Meeting

MTE-Multipurpose room

January 16, 2019

Call to Order: The meeting was called to order at 7:05 by Brandy Cabral

Board Members in Attendance: Brandy Cabral, Tamara Small, Stephen Slater, Michelle Snowden, Sara Michaud, Erin Moore, Julie Seymour, Karen Gill, Sasha Dorman, Karen Gill, Diane Gramil, Angela Leja-Piano, Rachel McGee, Nicole Newton,

Review Minutes from last general meeting 8/31/18. Nicole Newton makes a motion to approve minutes from last general meeting, Diane Gramil seconds. Motion carries.

Treasurer’s Report: Presentation of the check registry from July 1, 2018-June 30, 2019 and the treasurer’s report. Michelle Snowden makes a motion to approve check registry, Brandy Cabral seconds. Motion carries. Nicole Newton makes a motion to approve the overall treasurer’s report. Sasha Dorman seconds. Motion carries.

President’s Report-Brandy Cabral: The talent show will be run by teacher Brandy Shelton and her husband Matt Shelton. Permission slips must be returned by the Wednesday before the Friday Jan 25 tryouts. Rehearsal is mandatory and the show is March 1, 2019.

Principals Report-Steve Slater: International Night was Amazing! There was great energy, good vibes and Gigi was exceptional at chairing the event. STEAM Night is coming up with the help of Lisa Saari and Jamie Dodd working hard. Lawrence Hall of Science will be on campus. Lisa Saari will be showing the DREAM BIG engineering movie to all students who will then get to do science experiments based on things in the movie.

Teachers Report-Erin Moore: Safety Patrol is doing a great job in the rain and cold weather! They are really appreciated. The rehearsals for the musical begin for the 3/4/5 grade play about The Great Lakes. The Art Docents are doing great and we love having the art room!

New Business-Angie Piano: Winter Fundraiser Results-

Sees Candy $13,834 sold for a $4,000 profit

Mixed Bags $6739 sold for a $2700 profit

Karen Gill: PTA Elections Update- Every board position is open this year. 2 applications have been received. Deadline to turn in applications is 2/22/19.

Kim Macenski: Inquiry on behalf of Kelly Chau. Is there an opportunity for the new outreach position to include Core Inclusion/Room 21 student education? Gia Quinn is starting an inclusion/diversity program in the classrooms to teach kids about the wonderful things that make us diverse. This is not a program paid for by PTA specifically but the BUSD.

Auction Update:

105 tickets sold! (Appx 50% sold out) Goal is $50,000 profit.

Garden Plan: See Report. The garden team is hoping to upgrade the garden area in phases, as money allows. It will hopefully include an easy maintenance ground cover, new garden boxes with fresh soil for the teachers as well as an outdoor learning space.

Westminster Video, Julie Seymour: A huge thank you to the PTA for supporting Outdoor Education as well as the many other things you do for the teachers and school!

PTA Website is up and running and has current information so please check it out

Meeting adjourned 8:24pm