



Parking Lot

Fundraising idea:

Rye PTA Agenda
October 3rd 2023, 6:30-7:30
<https://meet.google.com/ktb-bveb-bcu>

***In attendance:** Allison Salzer (PTA Pres), Ryn Kaplan (PTA Treasurer), Amanda Moore (PTA VP) Lindsay Beynon (PTA secretary), Michelle Pitts (RES Principal), Anne Gilbert (RJH Principal), Dawn Uliano, Jennifer Bell, Staci Ryan, Tanya Soares*

Topic	Notes	Actions
<p><i>Approve Minutes (1 min)</i></p> <p><i>Meetings will not go longer than 1 ½ hours</i></p>		
<p><i>Grant Requests</i></p>	<p>Jacque Defreze: \$144 for subscription to Pixton and \$54 for subscription to Kahoot.</p> <p>Maggie Hanna: \$408.74 total for a Calming Corner for her classroom of 15 students.</p> <p>Jen Bell: \$1000 total for French Language Performances in 5th and 6th grade.</p>	<p>Ryan motions to approve total amount (\$198), even though Jacque said she would cover Kahoot portion.</p> <p>All approved</p> <p>Per Michelle P, the hope is to have similar areas like this in more classrooms. Ryan motion to approve, all approve with one abstention</p> <p>Working with Jeffrey, who she is learning from for future classes. Ryan motions to</p>

	<p>Anne Gilbert: \$800 for Wedgewood festival</p>	<p>approve, all approve</p> <p>Working to make this more of a community event with student participation (Chili cookoff, cornbread cookoff, etc). Needs the money for popcorn and cotton candy machines and misc prizes.</p> <p>Ryan motions to approve, all approve</p>
<p><i>RES & RJH Update (6 minutes)</i></p>	<p>Michelle: wanted to know whether there were any questions about anything being done this yr</p> <p>Anne: Thankful for PTA support at open houses. Encouraged people to come listen to Katie Greer and her presentation on internet safety</p>	<p>No questions were posed</p>
<p><i>Budget Update-Ryan (5 mins)</i> S</p>	<p>Michelle asked about \$500 allocation for RES and RJH for misc things (to be used like a smile fund)</p> <p>Michelle mentioned assemblies are how we tie curriculum & students together and said more money for this line item would be helpful</p>	<p>Ryan reallocated \$ from field day line item for this amount</p> <p>Ryan is keeping the line "as is" for now but will keep in mind for the future</p> <p>Ryan motions to approve the budget and all approve</p>
<p><i>Membership Update- Amanda (1 min)</i></p>	<p>18 new memberships</p>	<p>Need to account for the memberships generated during K orientation in the Spring</p>
<p><i>Sponsorships Update- Claire (1 min)</i></p>	<p>No new updates</p>	

<p><i>School Board Update- Michelle (5 mins)</i> RSD School Board</p>	<p>No new updates</p>	
<p><i>ASE Update- Sophie & Dawn (3 mins)</i></p>	<p>Great start with the (8) classes offered during the first session</p> <p>Next session begins 10/30</p>	<p>Alli asked that parents can look back and confirm pickup times</p> <p>Dawn is hoping the Italian cooking class at RJH happens next session</p>
<p>Upcoming Events (10 minutes)</p>	<p><u>Debrief:</u></p> <p><u>Trunk or Treat Date</u></p> <p>Friday, 10/27 with 10/28 raindate</p> <p>Dawn to run with gift baskets</p> <p><u>Restaurant Fundraisers?</u></p> <p>We did Vida and Dough last year. Vida is always successful</p> <p>Ice Skating at Puddle Duck?</p>	<p>DJ is confirmed, Ryan to confirm PD this week. Need to reach out to Partners Bank, the Library & Jeremy W.</p> <p>Sign-ups went out this week</p>
<p>Blue Ribbon Ceremony</p>	<p>Michelle P said they aren't sure what they are doing but will submit a grant request for money ASAP. Huge celebration 12/8</p>	<p>Alli said we could do a vote for necessary funds prior to the next meeting, if needed</p>

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