

# Rye PTA Agenda

**Date:** 9/1/2020

**Time:** 6:30

**Location:** Virtual

**Next Meeting**  
10/6

Parking Lot

1. [School Board Dates](#)
2. Reflections- Arts recognition via PTA (2020/2021)

In attendance: Board members: H. Mills, T. Dennen, M. Wheeler, R. Kaplan  
S. Lull, L. Arsenault, M. Curtin, D. Uliano, Dhirendra, M. Mars, C. Fast, Amber, C. Spollen, S. Bednarek

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Item <small>(I: Info, D: Discussion, A: Action)</small>	Time	Notes	Action Steps <small>Pending: <input type="checkbox"/> Cancelled: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Done: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></small>	
<b>Approve Minutes</b>		Aug		Approved <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>Budget Update (RK)</b> Bank information	:05	Board meeting regarding the Budget happened today. Discussions with principals to follow.  Still have a hefty budget to work with, We will not receive the income of past years, but still want to be there for the schools & community however we can.		
<b>Sponsor Update- Claire</b> Did we approve the Sponsorship Levels?	:03	Sponsorship asks is going to happen now. -Partners has a voting system to sponsor organizations. Vote to get PTA funds! ---Need to check back about voting (needs to be in person?) ---Willing to help out throughout the year too. ---Claire is going to check back in		

		with Partners about sponsorship.		
<b>School Board</b> <a href="#">PTA member @ school board meetings</a>		Meeting tomorrow.		
<b>Membership Update-</b> Keeping track of membership Membership Letter		This year is going to be a little different, but still worth joining! The PTA is going to do our best to build and help community. Stay connected via emails and FB posts.		
<b>RES &amp; RJH Updates-</b>		RES- 1st week back. Staff is enthusiastic about the return. -Look for teacher videos on Friday.  +20 new students ---2nd grade is full ---3rd grade added another class (13 per class)  -Please be patient during drop off & pick up.  Is there a way for new families to meet each other? ---There is a Hangout App (House Party) ---Per grade? ---RES will look into something virtual (S. Lull) ---Host a new student Zoom (L. Arsenault)	-	

<b><u>Grant Updates-</u></b>	:05	H. Warden is looking to submit grant, needs clarification.  No grant requests at this time.		
<b><u>ASE Update-</u></b> Last Spring families were told they could apply spring costs to the fall. Is there a plan now?	:15	Not running.		
<b><u>Calendar of Events</u></b>		<a href="#">Calendar here</a> Need to look into what we can do this year. -Discussion off-line. ---Reimagined Monster Mash Like a Trunk or Treat, but with the Raffle Baskets -Cars/trunks/tables, distanced -Mix with Jack-o-Lantern event -Wear Costumes -Totally different & use an online raffle platform..  Any <b>ideas welcome!</b> Email any PTA member! -Jack-o-lantern? Kids carve, set up at night, walk-about. -Photo Shoots, with local photographer -Holiday lights contest, drive around -Chalk Back		
<b><u>Website- MW</u></b> What needs to be updated? ASE? Sponsorship? Membership?				
<b><u>Fundraiser-</u></b> ✓Yard Signs- HM	:05	<b><u>Yard Signs-</u></b> Placed around town. Seems well received.		

<p>Masks- TD (not possible at this time). Other gear, will look into.</p> <p>Chalk Back- MW</p> <p>Movie (Drive-in)- Will revisit</p> <p>Take-Out Dinners- Try this again, new/other venues?</p>		<p><b><u>Chalk Back</u></b>  <u>Goal</u>-To beautify the school grounds and welcome back staff and students.  <u>Locations</u>- Parking lots at both schools. \$10 per spot.  <u>Date</u>- 9/12 &amp; 9/13 (rain date next weekend)  <u>Details</u>-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Families will purchase a parking spot at either RJH or RES to decorate with sidewalk paint or chalk. We could set a theme or allow for open creativity.</li> <li>● Available parking spaces will be identified to maintain 6ft social distancing. Even spaces 1 day, odd spaces the next (require masks?).</li> <li>● Spaces will be #ed, Even #s on 9/12, Odd on 9/13</li> <li>● The PTA will use Sign Up Genius to organize the event.</li> </ul>		
<p><b><u>Grants Requirements</u></b> Clarify what types of Grants the PTA approves</p>				

<b>Next meeting date</b>				
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**Future Dates / Times / Agendas:**

*Meetings: first Tuesday of the month, unless otherwise stated.*