



Parking Lot
Fundraising idea: Cornhole Tournament

Rye PTA Agenda

Sept 5th 2023, 6:30-7:30

<https://meet.google.com/ktb-bveb-bcu>

In attendance: Allison Salzer (PTA Pres), Ryn Kaplan Treasurer), Lindsay Beynon (new PTA secretary), Gabe DiSaverio, Michelle Pitts (RES Principal) Kate, Dawn Uliano, Brian Helfrich, Nicole Gable, Sophie Bednarek, Tanya Soares, Anne Gilbert (RJH Principal), Claire Spollen, Michelle Wheeler (School Board)

Topic	Notes	Actions
<p>Approve Minutes (1 min)</p> <p>Meetings will not go longer than 1 ½ hours</p>		
<p>Grant Requests</p>	<p>RJH Granite Sign-Peter (owner of Petey's) donated a new granite sign but they are short \$6800 in funds and would like REF and/or PTA to cover the balance.</p> <p>Ryan is concerned the PTA is for teaching/learning and this isn't something we would typically allocate funds for.</p> <p>Ryan submitted a motion to cover ½ the costs of the sign (\$3400), Alli seconds the motion.</p> <p>Anne Gilbert and Kate abstain from voting, everyone else is in favor</p>	
<p>RES & RJH Update</p>	<p>RES- Michelle expressed a huge thank</p>	<p>I</p>

<p><i>(6 minutes)</i></p>	<p>you for the funds for Assembly Lines</p> <p>Chris Van Dusen-Might come as author of the year</p> <p>Working on other guests (Native American storyteller, Penguin Lady, etc)</p> <p>Collaboration with RJH on laser light show through black history</p> <p>School looks great and even though its been hot the kids are excited.</p> <p>Brian said new AC units will be installed at RES next summer</p> <p>RJH- Kids are excited and it's been a great start to the year. 5th grade is acclimating well</p>	
<p><i>Budget Update-Ryan</i> <i>(5 mins)</i> <i>S</i></p>	<p>\$113K and interest is going to the playground</p> <p>\$22K to operating account</p> <p>Budget for approval will be available next month</p>	
<p><i>Membership Update- Amanda</i> <i>(1 min)</i></p>	<p>About 10 sign ups so far, will send detailed update after I get through this week.</p>	
<p><i>Sponsorships Update- Claire</i> <i>(1 min)</i></p>	<p>Working on sponsors with a goal of \$15K</p>	
<p><i>School Board Update- Michelle</i> <i>(5 mins)</i> RSD School Board</p>	<p>Attended the "retreat" at the end of Aug.</p> <p>Finalizing Plan and Portrait of a Learner</p> <p>Next SB meeting is the 20th</p>	
<p><i>ASE Update- Sophie & Dawn</i> <i>(3 mins)</i></p>	<p>Lot of sign-ups so far</p> <p>Possible Italian cooking class at RJH next session</p>	

<p>Upcoming Events (10 minutes)</p>	<p><u>Debrief:</u></p> <p><u>Open House at RES and RJH</u></p> <p>9/19-OH for 8th graders</p> <p>9/26-OH for RJH</p> <p>9/28-OH for RES</p> <p><u>Trunk or Treat Date</u></p> <p>Friday, 10/27 with 10/28 raindate</p> <p>Ryan to work on DJ & contact Chief Walsh</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>Volunteer Appreciation</p>		