

Rye PTA Agenda

Date: 10/6/2020

Next Meeting

Parking Lot

Time: 6:30

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

Location: Virtual-<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83333296643>

In attendance: Board members: H. Mills, T. Dennen, M. Wheeler, R. Kaplan
 S. Lull, L. Arsenault, H. Moore, M. Daniels, R. McCann, C. Spollen, S. Bednarek, M. Curtin, D. Uliano, M. Wrobel, J. Seal, M. Veloso, K. Keller

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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>	
Approve Minutes		Sept		Approved <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Budget Update (RK)	:05	Partner's Bank is our Bank & they've been great! Partner's is now linked to the bank account. Chalk Back was a success! Doing well so far.		
Sponsor Update- (CS) Partners voting?	:05	\$6,550 \$2000 Pending Premium donors can have a "feature" but no one has asked for it yet.		

		Businesses and people in Rye have been generous.		
School Board PTA member @ school board meetings		Next meeting is 10/21. 5pm @ RJH, masks & social distancing required or tune in online.		
Membership Update- (TD) Keeping track of membership- How many? Add Form Website? More outreach?	:10	Membership Google Spreadsheet created. Notices have been effective! Will reach out to former members who have not re-joined. Tax ID is available. Contact PTA.		
RES & RJH Updates- S. Lull, L Arsenault		RES is making it work! There has been a lot of community support. --Might be some grants for indoor game grants. REF made a big donation. Teachers know PTA is here to support.	-	
Grant Updates- 2 new requests: 1. Bike racks 2. A. Goss 3. Legos?	:15	1. Bike rack, hold 10 bikes each, wants 2, \$999 each + shipping --Ryan will look into cost @ local shops. --Little Harbor had racks built into the ground. --Ryan will touch base with Marie. In-favor, doing research. 2. 3rd grade team is requesting 4 I-pod Touch- \$800pictures to post for families.		

		<p>--4 3rd grade classes this year, but probably not 4 next year. --Could also check with REF --Other grades are using older phones or iPads. --RES has 3 this year, and 3 in the budget for next year. --K & 3rd are often asking for new devices, not much from the other grades. KK- does yearbook. Pictures from teachers are very helpful! --2 for 3rd, 1 for K= 3 in total for \$600</p>		
<u>ASE Update-</u>		Not running.		
<p><u>Calendar of Events</u> Calendar here</p> <p><u>October event:</u> (notes from September: Trunk or Treat/ Raffle Baskets; Photo Shoot; Carving Party) Drive-in Movie</p> <p><u>December event:</u> (notes from September: Holiday Lights contest) Stocking Eleves?</p>	:15	<p><u>Monster Mash</u> reimagined- --Flock of "boos"- Flocks of Ghosts People who have been "booed" have a sign for door. ----How to make it inclusive? Have families sign up who want to be booed, must boo someone you don;t know well? Put decal on mailbox if haven't been booed, but want to. ----Use a QR Code with instructions</p> <p>--Truck or Treat</p> <p>--Auction- online? Biddingforgood.com (Claire)</p> <p>--Recommendation-Trick or Treat 10/31 5-7 ---New ways to "give out" candy</p>		

<u>Social Dilemma (HM)</u>		<p>What can we do in our community to educate about ills of smartphone/social media and youth? --Educational campaign like back to school flyer/Covid-19 --How to do this amid Covid-19 & constant access to devices? --Wait to 8th --Sharon Maxwell, <i>The Talk</i></p>		
<u>Fundraiser-</u> Chalk Back- success! Movie (Drive-in)- Will revisit Take-Out Dinners- Try this again, new/other venues?	:10	<p><u>Stocking Elves</u> Gave 200 stockings to local teens through donations via amazon & venmo (Operation Blessing)</p> <p>Want the people to receive it, need it. Covid first responders? NY, CT, NJ? Local groups?</p> <p>2 pieces- Donations & Putting stockings together as an event</p> <p>What is PTA involvement? Sponsor? Promote? Location?</p> <p><u>Take-Out Dinners</u>- More to come...</p>		
<u>Grants Requirements</u> Clarify what types of Grants the PTA approves				
<u>Next meeting date</u>				

Future Dates / Times / Agendas:

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