



Old Mill Elementary PTA Meeting Minutes
October 11, 2018
Teacher's Lounge

Members present: Jill Kowalski, Casadi Peterson, Julie Ward, Stephanie Discher, Amber Overton, Corine Cook, Amber Peterson, Chrissy Shakespeare, Amanda Noyce

Meeting Conducted by: Jill Kowalski

Thought: Chrissy Shakespeare

Pledge: Casadi Peterson

Minutes Approved: Casadi Peterson, Elizabeth Witt

Treasury Report:

The Fun Run committee did an excellent job staying in their Fun Run budget. The PTA Budget is looking really good for the year and we have the money we need.

District PTA Update

Wasatch now has a communications director. She is great for PTA because she is a good resource and it is a full-time position. She is very excited to help PTA get our message out more.

Reading levels have increased across the district. There are 41 districts in Utah. 2 districts got recognized for making an 11% increase and Wasatch was one of them.

There is talk about a gas tax being proposed. 10% gas increase that would go to a general fund, and partial will go back to education. Teacher Salaries is where the money would go. Wasatch is the 3rd lowest paying district for teacher salaries in the state when compared to cost of living.

Venmo – District is going to have a treasurers meeting and have the treasurers present a case to support the use of VENMO.

The next district meeting is November 13, 8:00-1:00. This will be a district tour where officers are invited to attend and get to know the district. This has been a very enlightening tour in the past and is recommended for all officers.

Principal Discher

Principal Discher needs to know when the PTA is getting money to Janet for various things. She also wants to express a huge thank you for SLC dinners, they were really appreciated and raved about.

Event Wrap up –

Fun run was amazing and was a big success. Amanda would like to be more involved in the budget side of things next year. Only 150 kids didn't get a prize bag. Discussions were had about changing the prize levels and adjusting sponsorship levels. A meeting about next year's fun run and possible changes will be scheduled soon.

National walk to school day was successful as well.

Book Fair – We had \$12,100 in sales. We were \$400 less in sales when comparing to last year. There were more volunteers this book fair and new help was found. When scheduling volunteers for the book fair we need to make sure a PTA officer, or book fair chair is assigned to every shift. The next Book Fair is January 22-25.

Meeting adjourned at 11:13 AM