

HICKORY POINT PTA MEETING

April 14, 2023

Meeting attendees: Mrs. Robertson, Kate Riggs, Caroline Kang, Stephanie Tasman, Jim Briskin, Dr. Deely, Sara Stern, Erin Rosenberg, Dana Schneider, Maryann Czarnota

1. Welcome

Straight to election, We have quorum. Last month we presented the slate with the new co-president, Afsha Gillani, and treasurer, Maryann Czarnota, continuing for another term

We need a motion from the floor to vote, Dana Schneider made a motion. Stephanie Tasman seconded the motion.

Kate Riggs proposes Afsha Gillani as co-president and Maryann Czarnota as treasurer.

All in favor raise their hand. All hands raised.

All opposed raise their hand. No hands raised.

The slate has been approved.

2. Dr. Deely's Report -

- Kindergarten countdown starts on 4/26. Continuing to work with the bus company to help facilitate behaviors, assistant has been approved for bus B.
- Planning field day - May 30. Committee is working on this.
- Looking forward to first grade show next week at Shabonee
- First week of May is staff and teacher appreciation

3. Mrs. Robertson's Report (Teacher liaison)

- Tons of thanks to the PTA for the latest luncheon

4. Committee Reports

- Birthday Signs (Dana Schneider)
 - Will welcome new co-chairs for next year - Melanie Alexander and Smitha Doherty, will ensure smooth transition. Will purchase a new set of lawn stakes soon.
- Book Fair (Stephanie Tasman)
 - Staff have been using scholastic dollars
- Environmental (Anna Formeller)
 - No update
- Event Volunteer (Caroline Kang)
 - All sign-ups have been posted for the remainder of the year
- Family Night (Kate Riggs)
 - Ready to go. Kona Ice, Sweet Ride will be there for purchase. Tables will be out. A few more raffles will be available. DJ, Spirit Wear on demand.
- Fundraising (Kate Riggs)
 - Over for the year
- Gifts & Teacher Appreciation (Caroline Kang)
 - Working on teacher appreciation week
 - Monday- yard signs and chalk sidewalks, breakfast sign up
 - Tuesday - mailbox treat
 - Weds- flowers and plant for staff
 - Thurs - lunch by Viccinis
 - Friday - raffle day
- Hot Lunch (Kate Riggs)
 - Dessert days going well, hot lunch spots filled
- Philanthropy (Dana Schneider)
 - Done for the year
- Room Parent Coordinators (Stephanie Tasman)
 - Working on teacher appreciation and end of year gifts
- Second Grade Party (Kate Riggs)

- Ready to go. Sent out ordering link this week to order shirts and lunches.
- Spiritwear (Stephanie Tasman)
 - Excited for on site Human Kind working with us. Will be at family night.
- Welcoming Committee
 - New second grader beginning on Monday and will be welcomed by committee
- Yearbook (Kate Riggs)
 - 4/30 is last day to order yearbook and have it shipped to school
 - Committee is finishing taking pictures and creating pages
- 5. District Updates
 - Club 27 - Bowlero 4/28
- 6. Board Updates
 - Co-Presidents (Kate Riggs and Caroline Kang)
 - none
 - Vice President (Stephanie Tasman)
 - Sending gift to Ms. Tauber for her baby
 - Treasurer
 - none
 - Secretary
 - none
- 7. New Business