

**Hooker Oak PTO Meeting  
September 14<sup>th</sup>, 2016 - Meeting Minutes**

*Meeting called to order at 6:02p.m. By Co-Moderator Celeste Cramer*

**PTO Members in Attendance:** Rita Brown, Celeste Cramer, Peggy Dev, Alicia Leonard, Jennifer Parks, Melissa Rose & Lachlan Waterbury

**Teachers/School Staff in Attendance:** Brian Holderman, Pauline Daughtry, Stacey Calderon & Beth Hensley

**Parent/Guests:** Amy Risen

**Secretary:** Melissa Rose

**PTO Members Absent:** Courtney Aiken, Badri Ghimire, Kari Grace & Lindsay Wyrach

**Appreciations**

- Callie Bilinski to Melissa Rose for Jog A Thon work
- Melissa Rose to Celeste Cramer for Jog A Thon training
- Melissa Rose & Celeste Cramer to all the Parents that supported Jog A Thon by volunteering & donating supplies or helping students to fundraise

**Old Business**

**August PTO Minutes**

- Not ready, Melissa to prepare for October meeting for vote

**Principal Reports by Brian Holderman**

**Music & Fine Arts Programs**

- Classrooms established with dedicated teachers
- Rooms will fit thematic themes

**Title 1 Status**

- 1.5% from qualifying (approximately 12 students)
- Encourage families to apply for free & reduced lunch
  - Brian to include note to parents in Sprouty
- Pauline Daughtry available to assist with paper work
- If qualify would be available in 2017/2018 school year

**Teacher Reports**

- Stacey Calderon (Kindergarten)- ABC Boot Camp (Letter A Day), Letter fashion show coming up next week, pumpkin patch field trip coming up, Enjoyed garden with Big Buddies
- Beth Hensley (4<sup>th</sup> Grade) - 9 field trips scheduled before winter break, Laura Holman working with CSU scientist on Science wing to be used by all classes on wing 2, Railey's sponsorship of monthly treat to sample, will start visiting garden soon

**PTO Committee Reports**

**President Report by Celeste Cramer**

**T-Shirt Sponsors**

- Paula Fishkin picking up, will distribute to class rooms
- Fully covered by T-shirt Sponsors, excess to gear fund
- Adults available for parents committing to 3+ driving trips

**Event Report by Celeste Cramer**

**Jog-A-Thon**

- Great feedback
- Left over lunch went to Torres Shelter
- \$3000 Pay Pal, 16,000+ deposited = \$19,000+ Raised

**Soup & Serenade**

- Wed Oct 19th 5:00 - 7:30
- Move stage outside of Room 22
- Ken Gimble arranging music
  - Brian will serve as music liaison
- Volunteer Spot to be set up by Celeste Cramer
- Leadership will make poster

**Light Parade**

- \$40 Entry by 10.8
- First meeting Thursday 1:30-2:30
- Will hand out flyers which Celeste will create & candy or light ups
- Open to whole school who can wear field trip shirts and Wizard of Oz cast in costume or field trip shirt

**Fundraising Report** – No Report

**Publicity Committee Report** – No Report

**Arts Committee Report** by Jennifer Parks

**Wizard of Oz Production**

- 56 students auditioned and received parts
- Music & script available on google drive only
- Brian to explore video/Photography rights - TBD
  - Possible additional cost

**Parent Volunteer Coordinator** – No Report

**Green Committee**

**Upper Grade Report** – No Report

**Treasures Report** by Lachlan Waterbury

- Final Jog A Thon results - TBD
- First classroom disbursement complete
- \$10,000 estimate in bank + Grant \$
- 5th Grade Field Trip Fund
  - District gives \$120 per child, PTO/Parents offsets cost
  - Budget is available if needed

**New Business**

**Azad's Fundraisers**

- Moving forward to schedule 2 sessions (K-2 & 3-5)
- Melissa Rose to discuss further with Azad to schedule for Oct or Jan - TBD

**Learning Center Fund**

- Request PTO Sponsorship for Read Naturally \$599
- Will benefit 30 students
- Budget line available
- Rita Barron motioned to approve \$599 one-time payment for Read Naturally, Jennifer Parks seconded the motion, approved vis unanimous vote even if in excess of budget line

**Measure K**

- Funds to school if passes
- Phone bank volunteers needed 9.15 from 5:30-8:30pm
- Advertised on Hooker Oak Facebook

**Hooker Oak Gear**

- Rita Barron & Melissa Rose to take over managing gear and sales
  - Will inventory gear in basement
  - Potential for blow out sale after school
  - Will research and order new gear including new t-shirt colors for Fall 2016/2017
  - Will send one time form home for fall orders and then sell at after school or school wide event

*Meeting adjourned @ 7:04 pm by Celeste Cramer*

*Next Meeting – Wednesday October 12<sup>th</sup> from 6:00-8:00 pm at Hooker Oak Library*