

## Mosby Woods Elementary PTA

### Meeting Minutes

Tuesday February 19, 2019

**Welcome and Call to Order:** Meeting started promptly at 6:30. Those present introduced themselves to the group.

#### **Principal's Notes (Mr. Pietzman):**

- International Night was a great success (despite the rain) with lots of families/students attending, participating in shows and sharing/tasting food from their countries.
- Thank you to the PTA for school assembly "Under the Sea." Students enjoyed this experience.
- Last week was a busy week with Valentine's day and the 100<sup>th</sup> day of school where the kids had great fun and celebrated. Ms. Levis organized the Candy grams and every child (1060 students) received at least one! Students shared their love with Ms. Blevins (6<sup>th</sup> grade teacher) by sending cards – she will be out the rest of the year due to undergoing cancer treatments.
- The Fair Oaks Police Station donated thousands of pairs of socks to our school again this year!
- Read Across America will be celebrated along with Dr. Seuss Spirit Week. On March 1<sup>st</sup>, kids will be able to dress up as their favorite storybook character.
- Career Fair at Mosby Woods will be held on March 20th. There will be an morning and afternoon session. Mrs. Dwyer and Zinn (school counselors) are looking for parent volunteers to share their career with students for one or both sessions. More information can be located on the Mosby Woods website.

#### **Guest Speaker:** Ms. Cox, Technology Teacher

Digital Citizenship keep kids safe. Using technology safely is a shared responsibility. Skills are taught for students to be a full participant in the community and to teach them how to make smart choices. Resources for students and families can be found on:

<https://www.fcps.edu/resources/technology/technology-literacy/digital-citizenship>

#### **President's Notes:**

January fundraisers for the PTA went well:

- Domino's Coupon Fundraiser: \$190
- Ice Skating Family Event: \$100
- Freddie's Restaurant Spirt Night: \$90 (limited by the Snow Day)
- Refreshment Sales at International Night: \$140
- Chuck E Cheese: Over \$800. They have been great supporters of our school, allowing all register sales to go back to our school and increasing the return of sales to 20%

The PTA currently has some exciting positions opening up on the board for next school year. Please consider taking one on, it is important to have a voice at the table. Opening positions on the board include:

- Vice President
- Vice President of Fundraising
- Treasury
- Membership and dues
- Secretary

There are also positions as committee chairs. They are as follows:

- Afterschool Enrichment • School Supplies • Book Fair

Moive nights will be discontinued due to the lack of volunteers. There are opportunities to shadow the current chairs. We are looking at outside vendors to manage the After School Program if we have no volunteer to chair.

Opportunities are also available for the Yard Sale, Book Fair, Spring Fling Committee, Staff Basketball Game.

**Committee Updates:**

- Next restaurant night will be at Chipotle on Feb 26<sup>th</sup>
- School Supply lists are being reviewed by the teachers.

**Upcoming fundraisers:**

- Feb 26<sup>th</sup>: Chipotle Restaurant Night
- Ongoing through Feb 28<sup>th</sup>: Domino's Card
- March 22<sup>nd</sup>/23<sup>rd</sup>: Yard Sale
- March 28<sup>th</sup>: Domino's Pizza Night
- April 4<sup>th</sup> SPRING FLING/BOOK FAIR NIGHT
- April 11<sup>th</sup>: Staff Basketball Game/Spirt wear and Refreshment Sales
- OTHER: School Supplies and Art Works

**Meeting Adjourned:** 7:15pm

**NEXT PTA MEETING:**

TUESDAY MARCH 19<sup>th</sup> 630-730PM IN THE MOSBY WOODS LIBRARY WITH GUEST PARENT EDUCATION SPEAKER, RACHEL BAILEY. THE TOPIC WILL BE MOTIVATION.