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ALLENWOOD PTG MEETING MINUTES

**April 15, 2021
Meeting 7:00pm
(Via Zoom)**

Attendees

Individuals representing from the PTG Board included:

Lauren Galok: President
Megan Kirby McCay: Vice President
Nicole Inkrote: Second Vice President
Lauren Chasinov: Recording Secretary
Chrissy Byrnes: Corresponding Secretary
Jessica Baker: Treasurer

Individuals representing from the Allenwood Administration and Faculty included:

Dr. Erin B. O'Connell - Principal
Ms. Christine Piermattei- Kindergarten Teacher
Ms. Nancy Griffin- Kindergarten Teacher

Parents represented include: Kristen Coman, Gina Patrone, Sharon Zanette, Evey Ross , Jennifer Schieck, Dio Duarte- Johnson, Andrea Kubas

Salute To The Flag

Lauren led the group to the salute of the flag

President's Report - Lauren opened up the meeting discussing committees open for next year. The following committees are currently open for next year: Dining Out, Mayfair, Teacher Appreciation, Science Fair, Theater Club, TerraCycle, BYOP/ Trunk or Treat, Field Day, and Yearbook. We would like to ideally fill these spots by June because some events begin their planning over the summer and our new volunteers will have the opportunity to work with our

current committee heads before we all go our separate ways for the summer. It would be impossible for the Board members to take over all these committees. In addition, as we get closer to normal everyday, we would love to see the large participation and support of our parents as we have seen pre-Covid. At this time Lauren cannot guarantee what programs we will be able to hold, however it is better to be prepared because the guidelines are constantly changing for the better.

There are some important dates coming up, that are also listed at the bottom of the agenda. Permission slips for the Science Fair are due to the Main Office tomorrow. The Fair is open to all 3rd, 4th, and 5th grade students and will be held virtually on May 18th. The packet can be found on the PTG website. Monday, April 19th, is the last day to purchase tickets for our Designer Bag Raffle which will be held on Thursday, April 29th. Thank you to our bag sponsors for their continued support. Pictures of the bags and their sponsors are also on the PTG website. And next week is Earth Day Spirit Week. The week starts with the students wearing their grade level color on Monday. If you are not familiar with the colors, they are listed on the bottom of the April newsletter under the flyer.

Treasurer's Report:

TREASURER REPORT 4.15.21			
<i>Summary of Activity</i>			
<i>3.18.21-4.15.21</i>			
Deposits		Expenses	
Source	Amount	Description	Amount
Boone Supply Fundraiser	1,429.93		
Gertrude Hawk Fundraiser	1,289.75		
Spring Bunny Craft Sales	661.29	Spring Bunny Craft kits	426.00
Designer Bag ticket Sales	654.28		
4th Grade Hydroponics Project	450.00		
Artsonia payout	403.63		
Dragon's Den Summer Sales	115.02		
Interest Income	4.87		
Total	5,008.77	Total	426.00
General Account Balance 3/17/21	\$52,341.90		

Playground Account Balance 3/17/21	\$228.11		
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Principals Report:

Dr. O'Connell shared her excitement for the kindness program that Mrs. Smyth has been running. She thanked the PTG for the donation to make this program possible with the costumes to use during this time. Dr. O'Connell revisited the conversation regarding a full day and mentioned it is still being discussed. Dr. O'Connell mentioned that it has been more "normal" being in contact with the 5th grade committee regarding activities for our 5th graders and recognizes the Teacher Appreciation Team for all the suggestions for our teachers.

Committee's Reports/Updates:

Dining Out- Presented by Chrissy Byrnes. Jersey Mikes on Rt 70 will be hosting a dining out for Allenwood School on April 27th from 4-8 pm. Save the date for a May 20th Dining Out event at The Coal House in Sea Girt from 12- 9pm, 25% will be given back to our school. Both establishments have been extremely supportive.

Scavenger Hunt- Presented by Lauren Chasinov. Our Summer Scavenger Hunt will take place June 2-4th. We are currently looking for volunteers to hide summer objects in yards during this time frame. A sign up genius and more information will be provided to CPOS to go out in our weekly emails. Stay tuned!

Book Fair- Presented by Kristen Coman and Lauren Chasinov. Our book fair will be back but in a different location. We will be holding our book fair at the Wall Community First Aid on Lakewood Road, on May 21 and May 22nd. Times will be released shortly. Thank you to Georgiana and Jon Syby for working with us to get this off site book fair something to look forward to .

5th Grade Committee Update- Presented by Kristin Coman. The committee has been hard at work thinking of ideas how we can celebrate the graduating 5th graders. As of now there will be an outdoor picnic at Allenwood. A "monster" kickball game has been scheduled with a 25 inch ball and Ms. Salt and Mr. Merritt have graciously agreed to help. Tossing around lunch ideas to keep things safe and will be in touch with the allergy committee.

Other Business-**Capital Project- Door 17 Shelter and Shade Area.**

The Board voted and the local company RCP won the bid. Lauren will be in touch with the board to get this project underway.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- ❖ 4/16 Virtual Science Fair permission slips due
- ❖ 4/19 Last day to purchase Designer Bag Raffle tickets
- ❖ 4/19- 4/23 Earth Day Spirit Week
- ❖ 4/27 Dining Out- Jersey Mike's, 4-8pm
- ❖ 4/29 Designer Bag Raffle, 6pm
- ❖ 4/30 Allenwood Spirit Day
- ❖ 5/3- 5/7 Teacher Appreciation Week
- ❖ 5/18 Virtual Science Fair

ADJOURNMENT