

MINUTES

Louisa May Alcott Elementary PTA Minutes

Founded December 17, 1953

July 15, 2020

The meeting was called to order by Kelly Mattingly at 4:39 p.m.

In attendance

Kelly Mattingly, President; Femina Mildh, Vice President; Sherry Schneider, Treasurer; Crystal Milosh, Auditor; Tammy Payton, Parliamentarian, Melissa Rivera, Hospitality, and Michelle Riley, Principal.

Approval of Minutes

The minutes of the April 2020, May 2020, and June 2020 were read. Moved by Sherri; second by Femina, Approved.

Volunteer Hours

Kelly collected volunteer data from Board members. This will count towards hours of 2020-2021 fiscal year.

Principal's Report

- There are a lot of families upset with the determination to start the 2020-2021 school year remotely. Most families requested onsite learning. Please express your feelings to John Evans at the Board of Education;
- TK4 is full!
- Christian has been back on campus doing a deep cleaning;
- Jaimie Chappel is retiring;
- There has been no discussion about lowering the class size limits due to the COVID-19 situation;
- Talk of a slow roll-out to get back to fully on campus learning;
- Air conditioning will be done at the end of July!
- New playgrounds should be installed by the end of August; and
- Plans are for the fence to be installed in October.

President's Report

- Sherry will get Crystal the books for the end of year audit;
- Our Facebook coordinator, Kara McDermot, is moving! We will need to find a replacement. In the meantime, Crystal has given Kelly access to the page to post;
- Do we need to get planners for the 4th and 5th graders next year? Ms. Riley will check with Ms. Beane & Ms. Bennett and get their opinion;
- What kind of fundraising can we do online? How much will we need to raise if we will not be funding fieldtrips. Let's explore our options & get creative! Maybe we put together a gift box with supplies, t-shirt, Alcott facemask!!

Open Table

- The virtual 5th grade promotion was very nice! There was a drive up "parade" where the students were given their diploma & a goodie bag;
- The school is in need of new lunch tables.

Meeting adjourned at 6:03 p.m. Next meeting will be August 12, 2020.