

VL PTA Meeting April 18, 2017

1. Call to order 7:03pm
2. Welcome and attendance
3. Board Report:

President:

- Post Mortem Forms Due by May 16th (these affect next years budget!!) Fill out with current budget and any necessary changes to budget for next year.
- Please submit reimbursements within 2 weeks of event.
- Induction of new officers – May 16th
- PTA closet reorganized – Thanks Amy, Stacey, and Tami!! For future items please use clear bins to store items.

Treasurer:

Expense vouchers need to be submitted within two weeks within event end date.

Science Fair budget has been updated.

Grant money has been deposited for wireless microphone.

Box Top check - still waiting for it.

Teachers:

K will be growing their own plants. 1st grade study of community trip to police and library. 2nd grade small

3rd grade

4th grade - just saw BB

5th grade

6th grade -

Principal:

Donut Day went well. Thank you to 6th grade party committee and to year book committee. STEAM night went very well and we will be bringing it back next year. Staff changes for next year, there will be 5 sections of 5th grade next year. Mrs. Jefford will be teaching the 5th section. Mrs. Marquez will be moving to bilingual Kindergarten, Mrs. Gorero will be leaving and Ms. Northfel will be moving to 2nd grade. Social Science standards rolling out next fall. Junior achievements coming. MAP testing will be starting the week of April 24. Last day of school is May 30th, will be half day and no kindergarten attendance, their last day is Friday.

4. Committee reports:

- VL Reporter - Erika Dix
Spanish Translation, trying to figure out ways to increase readership.
- Plant Sale - Leslie Fletcher
Need volunteers, help with unloading plants once they are delivered.

- Donut Day - Tami Johnson & Jennifer Schiavone
Went well. Used Christy's Delights for coffee and it went well, however, they still might be a bit to expensive.
- Teacher Appreciation - Stacy O'Keefe
May 1st - 5th. Outdoor Camping Adventure Theme
Tuesday - Teacher breakfast
Wednesday - Trail mix bar at the teacher lounge
Friday - Teacher luncheon
- Labels for Education replacement – Maryann Graham
Coca Cola is revamping their program. Could use this program to replace Labels for Education.
- Bike to school - Maria Hall
Bike club in Palatine will be helping out. Will also be doing a raffle prizes. Kids will have a chance to walk during recess if they are unable to bike to school.

5. **Upcoming dates:**

- 5/1-5/5: Teacher Appreciation
- 5/10 Bike To School
- 5/12 Plant Sale
- 5/16 Final PTA meeting
- 5/18 Field Day (5/23 rain date)
- 5/22 6th Grade Celebration
- 5/30 Last Day of School (half day)

6. Adjourn 7:52pm