

Meeting Minutes Timber Trail PTO

March 06, 2023 – TTE Library

Introduction – Lindsey welcomed everyone, and an ice breaker is done.

Thank you for conference week snack bar and for supporting the amazing staff. Tara is thanked for helping with the cereal drive. Timber Trail won an amazing trophy from the Backpack Society, for donating the most cereal to support community members in need.

Principal Update – Michele provided the following information: Honor choir performed on Friday at Rock Canyon. Twelve 5th graders put on a concert. Saturday, we had a cup stacking competition. The kids did a great job. Matt, from BASE, helped as well as Dr. B. There are new clubs starting after spring break. Additional information will come out in emails soon.

This coming Saturday, March 11th, is the state spelling Bee. Charlotte Harris will represent us at the contest. April 1st is the Apple Awards. This honors teachers and classified staff. Mandi Smith and Chris Young will be representing us. Timber Trail received the John Erwin and the Governor's award based on our CMAS scores. CMAS is coming up after Spring Break, the first two weeks after April.

Webmaster Update – Leah informed the group that the next PTO event is the dance on 4/29/23. Information is on the PTO webpage.

Treasurer Update – Desiree passed out the budget. She said that the King Soopers check came in this last month. We also have incoming funds for Costa Vida and Pinos.

Volunteer Update – Dawn said we set up a Sign-Up Genius for conference week. As we move into the dance, we will need volunteers for that, and a Sign-Up Genius will come out for that.

Staff Appreciation Update: Lights Camera Appreciation is the theme. We are doing door decorating. We will have different themes for each teacher. This will be like how we did it last year, with room parents handling teacher classrooms and volunteers handling all other staff doors. A sign-up genius will come out for this soon. For class/family supported SAW, on Tuesday Classroom supplies will be gifted to the teachers based on their needs. Wednesday we will do fan mail, Thursday room parents will provide a gift card to dinner, and Friday will be swag day where we will gift them something that is on their favorite list. Room parents will send out information to loop in families.

Room Parents –Cristina said that she circulated the dance raffle basket sign up and notes 3 classrooms still need to sign up. She asked volunteers to think outside of the basket, as the donation doesn't have to be an actual basket. It is asked if the basket should be child or adult themed? Cristina said either are fine and suggested theming for Mother's Day or a Family gift. Any option is welcome. There is just one basket requested per class.

Dining Out/Comm Events Update – Amy updated the group that we made \$42 from Pino’s, but it was a snow day. We are partnering with Pino’s and possibly The Berg Haus for the dance. Friday March 31st is the Candy Land school event. This is a women owned business that was started by a parent at one of our feeder elementary schools. There is also the Main Event outing on April 20th. For community events, we will have another push for Clothes for Kids.

Secretary – Jana said the meeting minutes went out for January via email. If there are no request for revisions, a motion is made to approve the minutes. It is seconded. These will go on the PTO’s website.

Spring Fling Update – Lindsey summarized the survey results, and they are shown on the tv screen. The results were posted on the PTO website and the link was sent out in the Friday blast. Michele stated that the event is not changing. It is shared that while the dance has traditionally been marketed as a Daddy Daughter Dance, and while marketing will not change, the name change will stand.

Questions/Comments

Various attendees shared their frustration with the changing of the name of the dance. Board members stated that a survey was done, and the results show that the majority are accepting of the change. It is requested that all agree to move forward.

Closing – The meeting is wrapped up and Lindsey thanks everyone for coming.

Attendees:

Jana Krell (Secretary)	Stephanie Clay
Lindsey Gertz (Co-President)	Amy Griffin
Emily Fera	Claire Bryant
Erin Ellis	Michelle Higgins
Jeff Enquist	Jen Barney
Leah Enquist	Annie Kruger
Jenny Randell	Cassandra Haney
Mike Woolridge	Elyse Schelin
Cristina Hulley (Room Parent Coordinator)	Jill Alexander
Desiree Gentile (Treasurer)	Jessica Woodard
Rebecca Jacobs	Victoria Ashcraft
Elizabeth Decker	Aimee Valuck
Taryn Bagroski	Dawn Medina (Volunteer Coordinator)
Jenna Wilson	Jessie Kenny (Co-President)
Michele Radke (Principal)	

