

# Stone Mountain Elementary PTO General Meeting Minutes: April 19, 2023

#### 2022-2023 SME Executive Board Members:

• Lorri Clark-President

- Sadrian Alderson-Co VP
- Molly Sutton-Co VP
- Meg Albrecht-Treasurer
- Lesley Kraehnke-Secretary

Principal/School Representative: Michelle Franci

Teacher Representative: Kylee Duren

**Attendance:** Lorri Clark, Sadrian Alderson, Molly Sutton, Meg Albrecht, Lesley Kraehnke, Katie Kruse, Kylee Duren, Emily Griger, Lisa Land, Meredith Frost, Nikki McNeal, Lindsay Rippe, Betts Merling and Leigh Morton

Welcome (Lorri Clark & Meg Albrecht)

# Admin Update (Katie Kruse)

- Teachers loved the amazing cakes from the Hospitality Committee
- 2nd/3rd Grade Choir concert tonight
- Staff Appreciation Week gift card donations are being sent in to the office from families
- Started process of class building for next school year
- CMAS testing is complete for this school year
- EOY iReady testing window starts next week
- Distributed Cracker Jacks advertising for Rockies Game
- Field Day is May 19th
- Culture Fair is May 23th
- 6th Grade Graduation is the 24th; clap out of school and ceremony in the evening

# President Update (Lorri Clark)

- Elections for the 2023/24 & 2024/25 PTO Executive Board
  - Nominating Committee (Meredith Frost, Leigh Morton and Nikki McNeal) read the following script and conducted the vote:

"This year's Nominating Committee is comprised of Meredith Frost, Nikki McNeal and Leigh Morton. There have been several notices in the Bus Blast advertising the open Executive Board positions. There are descriptions of the job responsibilities for the positions on the table.

The following positions are open for election:

President

Co Vice President

Co Vice President

Treasurer

Secretary

We have received the following nomination for President:

Lorri Clark

At this time, are there any other nominations for President from the floor?

#### \*No other nominees came forward\*

All in favor of Lorri Clark becoming President for the 2023-2024 and 2024-2025 school years:

# Yay? All fourteen attendees (noted above in attendance) replied Yay. No? Zero Nos.

We have received the following nominations for two Co Vice President positions Molly Sutton and Betts Merling

At this time, are there any other nominations for Co Vice Presidents from the floor?

### \*No other nominees came forward\*

All in favor of Molly Sutton and Betts Merling becoming Co Vice Presidents for the 2023-2024 and 2024-2025 school years: Yay? All fourteen attendees (noted above in attendance) replied Yay. No? Zero Nos.

We have received the following nomination for Treasurer:

Meg Albrecht

At this time, are there any other nominations for Treasurer from the floor?

## \*No other nominees came forward\*

All in favor of Meg Albrecht becoming Treasurer for the 2023-2024 and 2024-2025 school years:

#### Yay? All fourteen attendees (noted above in attendance) replied Yay. No? Zero Nos.

We have received the following nomination for Secretary:

Emily Griger

At this time, are there any other nominations for Secretary from the floor?

#### \*No other nominees came forward\*

All in favor of Emily Griger becoming Secretary for the 2023-2024 and 2024-2025 school years:

#### Yay? All fourteen attendees (noted above in attendance) replied Yay. No? Zero Nos.

We'd like to announce the new Executive Board:

President - Lorri Clark

Co Vice President - Molly Sutton

Co Vice President - Betts Merling

Treasurer - Meg Albrecht

Secretary - Emily Griger

Congratulations and thank you!"

# **Treasurer Update** (Meg Albrecht)

- Two Grants were recently approved
  - RTI teachers requested \$300 funding for supplemental Wonders books/materials
  - 5th and 6th grade math teachers requested around \$395 (awaiting exact final number) funding for supplemental math materials for intervention and enrichment

# **Committee Updates**

- New Events Lisa Land
  - Parents Night Out event at PEAK signup is open
  - Lorri requests Lisa to obtain further information to provide a "New Events" budget request for the 2023/24 school year
- Rockies Family Night (Molly Sutton)
  - Cracker Jacks/popcorn, w/event advertising materials, were distributed to every student last week
- VIP & Me Dance (Lorri Clark)
  - 162 tickets purchased to date
  - Last call for tickets will be April 24th
- Hospitality (Nikki McNeal & Lindsay Rippe)
  - Staff Appreciation Week planning is in process



- Katie Kruse to send 'all school' email forwarding information to all families
- Coffee truck ordering will run differently this time; Katie to update google form;
   coffee delivered to teachers
- Nikki and Lindsay agreed to run the Hospitality Committee for an additional school year
- GiftCrowd/End of Year Staff Appreciation (Lorri Clark)
  - Bus Blast language to go out next week
  - Changes/updates made to interface; team gift options, \$2 minimum, email receipt options
  - o Gift cards delivered to teachers on May 22nd
- SME Tshirts (Molly Sutton & Meg Albrecht)
  - Shirts have been ordered
  - Sport/wicking material

- o Kelly green navy and white writing
- Yearbook (Sadrian Alderson for Taryn Nysse)
  - o Books to be delivered to the school May 18th or 19th
  - o Plan to be distributed to students around Field Day/19th

Meeting adjourned at 9:33am

Next Executive Meeting: May 3, 2023 Next General Meeting: May 10, 2023