



Isham PTO Meeting Minutes for September 16, 2021

Meeting called to order at 6:34pm on google meet. 9 people attending

- **Welcome and Introductions** Jenna Williams
- **Board Reports**
 - Secretary, Beth Watson
 - May minutes approved: motion by HK, 2nd by BB
 - Vice President, Bambi Bowser
 - Social media keeping it short and sweet and related to PTO
 - Treasurer, report given by Jenna Williams
 - Jenna has been stand in treasurer until now
 - You can link your Amazon account through Amazon smile to Isham PTO. We received a donation from them into our account.
 - A teacher request was made from last year so we will figure that out. It will have to come from this year's money because we closed out last year's budget.
 - All membership ins and outs were made. We give membership to united and they split between all schools and give back to us later in the year after paying for fine arts festival.
 - There was one teacher request for this year from Mrs. K, a kindergarten teacher. Amount of \$128.10. Motion made and approved by KH, 2nd by AJ
 - Motion to approve treasurer report, BB and 2nd by KH
- **Principals Report: Mr. Brady**
 - Covid has been challenging, we are doing everything we can to work with parents and students and we will get through this.
 - New staff: New K teacher, added 1st grade section taught by Miss Morrison and two new preschool staff and numerous new support staff.
 - Conferences: coming up Sept 29th from 4:30-8, Oct 7th no school but conferences all day from 11:30-7pm. Night conference meals would be great for the teachers if PTO can provide.
 - Mum fundraiser just ended. Lots of mums sold! Thank you thank you thank you! We will make it work at pick up on October 5 and if you want to help we welcome you! There will be sign up genius going out to sign up to help. This was not a PTO fundraiser but this money we work together with. It all benefits the school.
 - Grizzly ticket: new this year. Part of PBIS- Positive behavior intervention system. Whenever see anything positive students get a ticket and put their name on it and every Friday they draw names and student picks a prize. Kids are enjoying it and very receptive and like the drawings and prizes very much.

- Update on Mrs. Watts. She now lives in Michigan and is loving life! Playing tennis, pickle ball or golf all the time.
- **Old Business, New Business and Announcements**
 - Events coming up: September 24, family outside movie night?? Still waiting for approval but hoping we can pull it off. We have projector, screen and popcorn machine. We need people to help with popcorn. Free popcorn, bring water and a blanket, 7:45pm. Waiting for board approval. If willing to help contact Jenna.
 - Conference meals: any ideas are welcome for restaurants to cater. If anyone interested in helping that would be great to coordinate. Reach out to Jenna to help.
 - Walk a thon: Trying to do in October. Could do during gym, Mr. Webb offered to help coordinate. Looking to get donations from private business. Hoping to provide t-shirts for whole school. Helen offered to help with walk a thon, thank you Helen! We are in need of fundraising. Goal is to provide new playground equipment for the school.
 - April/May is school wide fine arts festival. Isham PTO is looking for Isham fine arts chair to be on fine arts committee. Reach out to Jenna if interested.
 - We would like to bring back second vp position. Would like to revise bylaws to include 2nd vp, social chair position. Also called membership chair would be in charge of non fundraiser events. Motion made to change bylaws to include second VP position. BW second by BB. Motion passed. Bylaws added:
- **ARTICLE V Duties of Officers**
- **5.3 The Second Vice President shall serve as the Membership/Social Chairman and shall be responsible for coordinating the Isham PTO Membership. Additionally, the Second Vice President shall be responsible for coordinating additional activities to generate increased member participation throughout the year, including contacting new families that enroll during the school year. The Second Vice President is responsible for scheduling a babysitter and coordinating Hospitality for the monthly meetings. The Second Vice President shall serve a one-year term.**
 - Motion made to approve new treasurer for the 2021-22 school year. Sherri Dragovich. Motion passed.
 - Motion made to approve new 2nd VP for the 2021-22 school year. Ashley Rediger. Motion passed.
 - Both will be sworn in at the next meeting by Mr. Brady.
 - Next PTO meeting is October 15 at 9:30am in person. If we can't be in the school building we are hoping to meet outside. We will keep you informed where that meeting will be.

Motion to adjourn made by KH at 7:07pm

Thank you!