



NATE MACK

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Parent Teacher Organization

PTO MEMBER MEETING MINUTES

Sept. 12, 2018 - 2:30 PM - Nate Mack Library

I. Opening

- Spaghetti and Bingo Recap - The bingo was an incredibly success event. Great turnout and a lot of fun. We are looking to have this event repeated, possibly in January. The spaghetti dinner was a lot of work so future bingo events will have simpler food options. Nachos, trail mix bar, and popcorn bar are ideas that have been discussed.
- Donuts with Dad Recap - The move to Fall was a big hit. We were pleasantly surprised at the amount of volunteers and support the event received. A big thank you to all who helped.

II. Business

- Gaga Pit Installation - 9/22 at 9:00 AM - Our gaga pit is here and ready to be installed. A location has been selected after meeting with Coach Spencer. Volunteers signed up during Donuts with Dad. The NM Parking Lot sale is the same day. Please come on down if you would like to help out. The recycling bins for GATE will be installed on the same day.
- Budget - The Executive Board has approved the 2018-19 budget. If any member would like a copy of it, please email the Board directly. There were no major changes from last year's budget. The art class asked for help with the Legacy Wall. The PTO will supply the funds in exchange for help during Harvest Festival
- 2018-19 Annual PTO Gift - The Executive Board approved this year's PTO fundraising gift of a greenhouse. The Board needs to meet with Ms. Juliano and Farmer Rosalie to discuss types and budget. If anyone has a contact that can assist with purchasing the greenhouse, please contact the Board.
- Bike Rodeo - CCSD is holding a training for anyone interested in hosting a Bike Rodeo. This is not something the PTO can take on at this time. If anyone (parent or staff) would like to head this up, the PTO would provide support. Please contact Krystle Bartucci.
- Spirit Merchandise - A large amount of new spirit merchandise has been ordered. Keep an eye out for a sales flyer to come home. The PTO will be hosting a after school spirit sales table. Volunteers will be needed to help with sales.
- Membership - Currently there are 70 members. This number is down a bit from last year so we will be doing a second membership drive.

- Nate Mack PTO Facebook - If you have not liked our Facebook page, please do so. (@natemackpto). We would appreciate everyone "liking" or marking "interested" in our events. This will help them appear more often in people's feeds.

III. Events

- Bake Sale - 9/18 & 9/19
 - Volunteers are needed. Signup Genius has been a great help in reaching out and scheduling volunteers. (<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70a0c4cacac2ba1f94-bake>)
 - Please look for the Bake Sale flyer to come home this week. This year there will only be one location for bake sale (no need for Kinder sales table because the gate opens onto the main playground).
- Harvest Festival - Harvest planning is at a separate meeting. Anyone wanting to help out or be involved in Harvest is welcome to attend. Please email the Board for exact dates, times, and locations.
 - Looking for a hotdog donation. If anyone has a contact, please email the Board directly.

IV. Guest Speaker

- Henderson Public Library - Bethany Lafferty spoke about the upcoming programs at the Green Valley Library, including a third grade reading program this Fall.

V. Open Forum

- Ms. Juliano
 - There will be a Harry Potter event after school on Sept. 28. This is to raise funds for both the robotics team and for Missoula Theater. The event will be similar to the May the Fourth event last Spring.
 - The grant for the outdoor learning commons / classroom has provided picnic tables under awning. The Quail Ridge Young Men's Group helped build them.

Next PTO Member Meeting - Oct. 10 at 2:30