



Woodburn PTA Membership Meeting

Location: Woodburn ES Cafeteria

Date: May 19, 2022

Mary Cunningham, PTA president, convened the meeting and welcomed everyone at 7:10pm.

PTA Business

- **PTA Recap and volunteer appreciation**

- Mary Cunningham recapped PTA events and activities since the last meeting, including community building activities, enrichment activities, fundraising, and school, teacher and staff support
- Thanks to Bridget Gannon for making sure that every student and staff received a free Woodburn t-shirt this spring.
- Thank you to all our amazing volunteers!
- Join us for the fun run tomorrow at 5:30! Fundraising is not required to participate.

- **Budget Update**

- Rebecca Leach, PTA treasure, provided an overview of the updated budget, including top expenses for the year and fundraising goals
- Our budget to pay for the SY21-22 programming is about \$23,000
- Top expenses: field trip support, teacher classroom fund, teacher appreciation events
- The Fun Run fundraising has been very successful and raised over \$5200 so far.
- We should end the year on balance

- **April Membership Meeting Minutes**

- Meeting Minutes are posted on the Woodburn PTA website
- April minutes approved by unanimous vote, all in favor

- **PTA Board Elections**

- The nominating committee presented the list of nominees for the PTA board:
 - President: Katie Sessa
 - Vice President: Bridgette Walsh
 - Treasurer: Dan McGarry
 - Secretary: Abby Jenkins

- Motion to approve these nominations approved by unanimous vote
- We still need lots of committee chairs positions to be filled:

- Need: communications chair, enrichment chair, membership chair, teacher appreciation chair, fundraising chair, arts program chair

Principal's Update

- Ms Richman, Principal of Woodburn shared a few updates regarding:
 - Thanks to the PTA and outgoing board
 - SOL scores are positive, retakes are beginning. We will make accreditation in all areas.
 - Class placement meetings begin next week. Families are invited to share input with Ms. Richman.
 - Next year, pausing on Positivity Project (P2) and moving to more explicit lessons on empathy and Social Emotional Learning, using a program called Second Start.
 - Dr. Brabrand, Superintendent, is visiting Woodburn next week.
 - Field Day
 - Summer events and programs

Meeting adjourned at 7:45 pm

___ Minutes approved as presented: _____

___ Minutes approved as corrected : _____

Leslie Borkenhagen, PTA Secretary (signature)

Mary Cunningham, PTA President (signature)