

Mount Rock PTO Board Meeting Minutes 11.9.2022 (4 pm at Mount Rock Elementary)

Virtual Option: <https://meet.google.com/ckm-effw-gnx>

Attendees: Rachel Weyant, Amber Whitney, Kristi Lightner, Julie Friscia, Caroline Byers, Mary Schlusser, Laura Wettstein, Misty Bixler (virtual), Principal Ward

Call to Order: Rachel

Treasurer's Report:

- Race for Education – profit of \$12,407.49 so far
- Taxes due in one week

Old Business:

- RFE
 - Went well, no issues; it was good to have at the track because there was a gated area
 - May need to purchase a container of beads for next year
 - Lesson learned – need thicker pipe cleaners so the beads stay on
 - 69 students had 15 or more labels
 - Mrs. Dyson's class won the donut party for the # of labels
 - Mary suggested tracking electronically next year
 - Summer is putting a manual together for RFE
 - Will explore an online donation option for next year
 - Mary is researching options
 - Possibly a PTO Venmo account
 - Send mailers out that have an online giving option
- Fall Fest
 - Need to purchase new skeletons for next year
- Orange Frog Cart
 - Provide snacks and drinks one time per month
 - Chapstick
 - 20 teachers total
 - Put the cart in the faculty room
- Spirit Wear
 - Orders due 11/18
 - Santa will be distributing PTO gifted shirts to each student on 12/22 (he's booked already)

New Business:

- Hospitality
 - November 21st and 22nd for conferences
 - Parents can bring homemade foods this year
- Breakfast with Santa – Caroline is chairperson

- 12/3 – Santa will be there 8:45-10, breakfast is 8:30-10:30
- Needs a volunteer from PTO to be onsite the day of the event
- Caroline is setting it up the night before, but is unable to attend
- Principal Ward is going to get 4 student volunteers to replenish food, engage with kids at the craft tables
- Caroline is going to ask for donations from local businesses
- Holiday Gifts through Scholastic – Amber is chairperson
 - Amber is contacting the consultant to find out how to best order the books and receive them in time
- Spring Fundraiser
 - Still need a chairperson and ideas
- Field trip Buses
 - Principal Ward expressed concern about the field trip buses and suggested we investigate chartering buses
 - Amber volunteered to get quotes from bus companies
- Send out Amazon Smile reminder

Next meeting is scheduled for 12.14.2022 at 6 pm at Mount Rock Elementary