

Westchester PTA
General PTA Meeting Minutes
January 18, 2021 at 8:15 am

Call to order: Carli Suarez called to order the general PTA meeting at 8:19 am. Meeting adjourned at 8:55 am.

Agenda and Minutes: The agenda for the current meeting was posted online prior to the meeting. Minutes from the last meeting on December 14, 2021 were posted online. Geri motioned to approve the minutes. Stephanie 2nd. All approve. None oppose.

Financial Report: The financial report was posted online for review prior to the meeting. Danielle provided the update. There was income from yearbook ads and community nights. Expenses were for reimbursements for Kids of Character, Reflections, and some meetings. While we have approximately \$33,000 in the account, \$12,000 of that is to be paid to Fun Services. Deb motioned to approve the financial report. Stephanie 2nd.

Principal's Report: Mr. Hartner provided the update.

- Many students and staff are out sick.
- Class pictures are postponed due to Covid with no reschedule date yet.
- Field day is postponed until the end of the year.
- The honor roll breakfast has been postponed.
- Fourth & fifth grade trips are still scheduled to take place.
- On-campus Covid vaccinations are scheduled by the health department and there is no date scheduled for Westchester yet.
- Book fair is still scheduled for February 7 – 11 with limited volunteers due to Covid.
- There has been an issue securing a second guidance counselor. There is someone coming from the county to help out for a couple days.
- FSA testing will take place on campus. The schedule is posted on Westchester's website.

Safety Update: Officer Kerner encouraged parents to go to the Coral Springs PD website at coralsprings.org to watch videos on how to stay safe.

Holiday Shop: The question was raised whether or not to use Fun Services for next year's holiday Shop. Fun Services has reward points that we can use to purchase incentives for students. Ms. Geraine requested incentives for iReady and Reading Plus.

Committee Updates:

- Audit: We have to plan for a midyear audit. There needs to be a chair for the committee.
- Safety Town: Safety Town was held last week and another two sessions this coming week. The volunteers that signed up were greatly appreciated.
- Reflections: There will be a Zoom meeting next week for the county-level submissions. Deb will let the parents know whether any kids placed at the county-level.

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Upcoming Dates:

January 25: SAC meeting at 2:15 pm in the Media Center

February 3: Report cards

February 4: Jeremiah's Ice Community Night

February 4: Book Fair setup

February 7 – 11: Book Fair

February 8: PTA Meeting

February 14: Early Release

February 21: No School

Meeting adjourned by Carli Suarez at 8:55 am.