

Westchester PTA
General PTA Meeting Minutes
November 9, 2021 at 6:30 pm

Call to order: Carli Suarez called to order the general PTA meeting at 6:35 pm November 9, 2021. Meeting adjourned at 7:07 pm.

Agenda and Minutes: The agenda for the current meeting was posted online prior to the meeting. Minutes from the last meeting on October 12, 2021 were posted online. Kristin Lester motioned to approve the minutes. Geri 2nd. All approve. None oppose.

Financial Report: The financial report was posted online for review prior to the meeting and Carli presented. MaryBeth motioned to approve the budget as-is. Geri 2nd. All in favor. None oppose.

Book Fair: Kristin provided the update. The next book fair will be from February 4 – 11. We currently have \$10,513 in Scholastic dollars, which we use to purchase magazines for the entire school. Marybeth motions to take all profit in Scholastic dollars. Geri 2nd.

Principal's Report: Ms. Goodman provided the update.

- Holiday store is coming up next week.
- The Harvest Drive ends on Friday.
- Covid vaccinations will be tomorrow from 12:00 pm – 6:00 pm. The second dose will be offered on December 1 from 12:00 pm – 6:00 pm. If parents want to accompany their child, they can. There will be another round of vaccinations after the holidays.
- There is no school on Thursday
- Report cards will be available on Friday.
- There will be field trips again.
- The Kindergarten classes will have swimming classes at the aquatic complex.
- The 4th and 5th grades have planned end-of-year trips. The 4th grade will have a trip to Sea World in March and the 5th grade will have a trip to Universal.
- Today is picture makeup day.

Audit: The audit has been completed. At the end of the school year we had 176 members and 139 paid for. We started the year with \$17,900. As a 501(c)(3), we call roll over funds each year. Geri motioned to approve the audit. Mike 2nd. All in favor. None oppose.

Standing rules: These are rules that the PTA operates off of beyond our bylaws. They need to be reapproved each year. They have not changed from last year. Tamara motions to approved as-is. Anthony 2nd. All in favor. None opposed.

Yearbook: Yearbooks are \$25 and starting to move. It's recommended to get ads in now. Parents can send the ad form and money in to the front office.

Safety town: Safety town will be on January 13, 14, 20, and 21.

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Upcoming dates:

Thursday, November 11: No school and Monster Mini Golf

Friday, November 12: Report cards

Monday, November 15 – Friday, November 19: Holiday store

Monday, November 22 – Friday, November 26: Thanksgiving break

Meeting adjourned by Carli Suarez at 7:07 pm.