

CMS PTO Board Meeting
Friday, January 12, 2018
Meeting Notes

Call to Order – 1:05 pm

Meeting agenda and minutes approved separately by vote.

Board Members in Attendance:

President – Kelly Hopper, Vice President – Katie Cole, Treasurer – Kathleen Cooper, Secretary – Leslie Fuller, Volunteer Coordinator – Karin Sissel.

CMS Staff in Attendance:

Principal – Nate Swenson, Associate Principal – Rich Larson, Nolana Holloway

Board Updates

President – Carrie isn't in attendance because she had a car accident. Even though she wasn't present, Kelly recognized her for the great job she's doing getting information to parents, resulting in increased donations and volunteer sign-ups always being full. Big kudos and thanks to Carrie for this. It will be decided at the next presidents council whether food service appreciation will be done as a district or as individual schools. There might be a vendor change for next year's fundraiser and if so, the offering will be similar to this year's. Upcoming staff appreciation events include conference café in February and a taco truck in May.

Vice President – The calendar vendor has been pushing for an order for next year and we're exploring if we can get a better deal if this is approached as a district.

Treasurer – Activity since last meeting included staff appreciate income and expenses (all but \$20 was funded with donations), repairing the popcorn machine and a few more tumbler sales. Kathleen will figure out how to pay for the subscription for the custodians.

Grant Requests

Approved \$150 for chairs for the school store. Kelly will take care of getting them purchased, assembled and installed.

Approved \$282 Equity Committee request for freezy pops and other tropical-themed items that will be used to encourage students to meet and interact with new/more kids at lunch.

Miscellaneous Discussions

The courage retreat and 8th grade base camp have been paid for by the school. Nolana will request a check from the PTO for their portion of the money.

Katie will e-mail Ken Cooper about the possibility of getting equipment that can be used in physical education for circuit training. Note, with equipment will come some maintenance expense.

Meeting adjourned at 1:25 pm.

Notes submitted by Leslie Fuller, CMS PTO Secretary