

Reid PTO Minutes May 1, 2017

In Attendance: Laura O'Connor, Pres; Amy Greene, Sec; Michele Kelly, Keli Henley, Amanda Thurman, Meggan Mangona, Jason Castle, Toni Tayloe-Haddix, Lisa Sayers, Crystal Sprowl, Chris Campbell

Minutes: Approval 1st Laura, 2nd Meggan

Principal's Report: Testing is over this week. Makeups will be Friday-Tuesday. 5k, 8th grade dinner/7th and 8th grade dance- May 12th, Kindergarten graduation is May 17th.

New Programs: 6th and 7th grade farewell breakfast is May 19th, catering by McDonald's. Cost around \$300.

Wild at Heart Zoo Fall 2017, November 20-21 for the entire school. Bring in around 12 animals. Offers a more hands on experience for the kids about 30 kids at a time. Cost \$2000

Cosi on Wheels for late Sept. 2017 cost about \$1000

Mobile Ed Spring 2018 We will see how the Mobile ed program goes next week before we make a commitment for next year.

Staff Appreciation: May 11th is the luncheon. Donations needed

Scheduled programs: Mobile Ed STEAM Museum for May 10th and 11th

Box Tops: Flyer going out for kids to turn in any Box Tops expiring before Nov 2017

Fundraisers: 2017-2018 school year Trophy Nuts is planned for spring. Best results set for Sept 15, 2017

Scholarship: Applications due May 11th for a \$500 Reid student scholarship. Toni Tayloe-Haddix will help read and choose the winner.

Requests: Middle school starter fund-voted and approved giving \$5000 for next years 7th-8th grade classes. \$200 field trip assistance being given to Mrs. Mayfield for the Kindergarten bowling trip. Some of the speaker systems that the teachers use are old and not working anymore. Laura will look into getting new ones. Chris Campbell looked into the same type of system and 2 would cost \$1600. Jason Castle found one on Amazon for around \$88. Laura is going to order it and have a teacher try it out before the end of school so we can see how it works.

Need to survey the teacher and find out if IXL is worth it before we purchase it again for next year.

Election: no one challenged the position of President, Secretary, or Treasurer. Michele Kelley and Amanda Thurman both ran for Vice President. Ballots were cast and Chris Campbell tallied them up. Michele Kelly will be the new Vice President for the 2017-2018 school year.