

Allen Parent Council

Meeting Minutes

In attendance: Kairos Marquardt, Lisa Querijero, Peter Batra, Michele Barkoot, Heidi Harris, Torey Madura, Anatheia Collar, Kelly Faunce, Laura Turner, Elizabeth Peters, Kerry Beal, Caitlin Rowe

- 6:35 - Call to Order
- Principal's Report
 - M-STEP is in full swing. The state is responding to feedback.
 - Kids are persevering and have a fantastic attitude
 - NWEA, SRI, & Benchmarking for report cards still remain
 - Final Eagle Extravaganza will be field day, June 10.
 - School Improvement Team is crafting goals for next year.
 - Staffing next year: All teachers staying @ Allen except Mrs. Lowe who is retiring.
 - 2/3 split and 4/5 split likely
- Teacher Grants
 - Heidi H. moved to approve all with full \$263 to Ms. Hamilton. Anatheia C. seconded. Grants were approved unanimously.
- Spring Assemblies
 - Group unanimously approved funding two assemblies with the same group who brought *One World Taiko* and *Laser Science*.
 - *Update: The staff selected Robotics & Math Magician for next year's assemblies*
- Fun Run
 - We're low on money, but working our way to the goal.
 - Heidi H. wondered if we were booking again for next school year. Torey M. moved to have the Get Movin Crew run our fun run in the fall. Lisa Q. seconded. Approved unanimously.
- Silent Auction

Monday, April 27, 2015

- Questions still arise about an event geared for adults. Discussion about a smaller-scaled auction with limited items available for bid.
- Sprit Wear
 - Enough of each item ordered to get price break. Items will be available for sale at Country Fair (June) and Curriculum Night (September)
- Book Fair
 - Earned over \$3,000 of Scholastic Bucks
 - Incentives to book now for spring. Extra incentives to do a second book fair. Group opposed switching from Barnes & Noble; Torey M. will run Scholastic Fair in March 2016.
- 8:00 - Anatheia C. moved to adjourn. Meeting adjourned.