

PTO General Meeting Minutes, 10/21/15

Attending: Jen Woodman, Jenn Middleton, Connie Saxby, Sarah Ladiges, Stephanie Eshuis, Megan Blomquist, Jennifer Long, Michelle McShane, Courtney McCready, Brandi Bock, Laura Baker, Jenny Anderberg, Hawk Cramer, Jenny Waterbury, and approximately 6 parents.

Call to Order: 6:30 pm by Jen W., seconded by Sarah L.

Review Agenda/Minutes - Hawk C. moved to approve minutes from the September 23, 2015 General Meeting., seconded by Jen W.; minutes were approved unanimously.

Verdant Community Health presentation

Jennifer P. with Verdant shared information about Verdant and the many programs they offer, including Move 60, Basics of Bikes Program, 3rd grade swim vouchers, and Health & Wellness classes.

Edmonds School District presentation: student drop-off and pick-up

Members from the school district and design team presented ideas for Traffic & Safety Improvements at Cedar Way, which will be done in summer 2016. The district reviewed three options to restructure the parking and traffic flow; their goals in this are:

1. Increase pedestrian safety
2. Car and bus flexibility
3. Improve flow
4. Increase curb length
5. Tree/environment management

The design team reviewed the three options and asked the school and community to provide feedback about their preferred option. The district and design team will then review the feedback, refine the schemes, and send costs to the district. The district will make the final decision about what improvements will be made.

Treasurer's Report

Jenn M. reviewed the proposed budget for 2015-2016. Jen W. moved to approve; Jenny A. seconded; all approved.

Directory

Jenny A. and Megan have been creating the directory and it's scheduled to be sent home with students later in October.

Spring Musical

Jen W. reported that 16 families showed interest in the Musical; we need 25 for the performance. She then reported that the school district charges a \$40 fee to for-profit organizations for use of school space. Jen is trying to negotiate a different rate with the district.

Sounders Night

Jen W. reported that 31 CWE students and family members are attending the game on October 25.

Skate Night

Jen W. reported that there was good attendance at the September 25 skate night.

Cedar Way logo wear sales

Logo wear sales have been placed and should arrive the first week of November.

Committee Updates

Harvest Fest: Jen M. reported that the necessary number of volunteers has signed-up, and also requested cupcake donations.

Enrichment Programs: Jen W. reported that the next Smart with Art session will be visual arts; Spanish has been extended to the full year; Sports and Edge Performing will continue; Smart with Art will also offer a one-day art class for the December holiday.

Box Tops: The school earned \$993 in the first Box Tops collection of the year; the next collection is due in February 2016.

MLT 5K: the 2016 race will be held at the end of July 2016.

Call to Adjourn: 8:00pm by Jenn M., seconded by Hawk.