

West Irondequoit Central PTSA
October 12, 2021 Meeting Minutes

I. Attendance Sheet on file.

II. Julie Boland opened the meeting at 7:01 p.m.

III. Meeting minutes were approved.

IV. IHS Student report. *No student in attendance.*

V. Treasurer's Report

- Melissa Levesque.
 - Bank balance 9/30/2021: \$ 28,045.99
 - 2020-2021 Budget Vote. Unanimously approved.

VI. Administration/Principal/School Reports:

- District
 - *Michelle Cramer (Assistant Superintendent of Human Resources)*. District website has been updated. We are working on our Strategic Plan, which is on the website.
- WICPTSA VP Administrative Affairs
 - *Erica Kane*.
 - Wants to know who we are all using for spiritware
 - Seem to be several different vendors
 - IHS doesn't do spiritware (IHS spiritware is through the bookstore due to sports team requirements.)
 - Everyone should reach out to Erica for help with volunteers at any point
- Listwood
 - *Amanda Sabocheck*. Playground night with cider and donuts, great turnout. Just finished sale for Leo's pies. Birthday books (every month) – kids who are having a birthday that month get a book, pencil, and note from the PTSA; parents sign up to volunteer for the month. School pictures today. Listwood spiritware and book fair coming up. Planning bingo night and carnival.
- Southlawn
 - *Jackie Andersen*. October 15 Trunk or Treat. Upcoming: fundraising and events. Leo's Pies, next month gratitude event. Planning Bingo in the winter, spring carnival.
- Dake
 - *Amanda Insalaco*. Working on honor roll event (considering breakfast, tootsie rolls/gelatin free options?). Spiritware is big: people are requesting stickers, face masks + the usual; working on sale to be in before the holidays.

- IHS
 - *Adrinne Raines*. Good feedback for new open house format (one-on-one rather than classroom). Did not have bake sale (usually biggest fundraiser), had prepackaged snack sale – okay sales. Just finished Homecoming, PSATs coming up. Chorale is coming up, other things. Yearbooks on sale now. Small events coming up, planning more staff appreciation (farm to table event). Need to fundraise for spring events (prom, etc.). Challenge of not having as much building presence. Planning virtual post-high school planning workshop (all grades). Thanks to Dake for sending reps during open house.
- *No reps reporting from Briarwood, Colebrook, Brookview, Seneca, Rogers, Iroquois.*
- Principal Report
 - *Alicia Spitz (Brookview and Seneca)*. Thank you for help with picture days. Lots of fundraisers going on, esp. K3. Spiritware. Gearing up for Halloween parades on 10/29. Ideas for Bingo night – renting space at the high school and doing a movie night; or doing an outdoor movie. No food in the auditorium, but concession stands outside.

VI. Other Reports

- Reflections Art and Literature Contest
 - *Tabatha Cleckner*. Rules and Entry form for this year are posted on WICPTSA website.
- Wellness Week
 - Coordinated through Lindsay Snyder. Erica will follow up with Lindsay and follow up with building reps if there's anything to do. K-3 Wellness announcement daily.
- WITA
 - *Scott Steinberg (President of WITA)*. Thanks to PTSA. Looking forward for school-related professional recognition day. Tuesday Nov. 16 – recognize people who work in the schools who are not teachers or administrators.
- Board of Education. *Rosa Vargas-Cronin*.
- Membership.
 - *Colleen Smith*. 178 members. We had 2000 members 6-7 years ago. Coming up with other collaborations and PR to promote. Our website is upgraded. PTSA calendar is now online available for all members, can be updated.
- Thank you for WICPTSA for providing a prize for the spirit week contest at Central.

VII. Meeting Adjourned at 7:32