



**PTO Meeting Minutes for Monday, October 9, 2017.**

**2017-2018 Board Members:**

President: Natalie Rosemier

Vice President: Courtney Urban

Treasurer: Rachel Lamb

Secretary: Susan Dolce

**Also in Attendance:** Angela Sauer, Shalin Gray, Kelly Flenner, Elizabeth Piscitelli, Angie Burkholder, Angela Iacofano, Melissa Hopper, Kelly Flenner

- Call to order at 7:06 pm
- Welcome & Pledge of Allegiance
- Approval of September Minutes - Kelly Flenner approved, Melissa Hopper second
- Treasurer's Report – Rachel Lamb
- Recap on completed events:
  - Kick-Off Carnival (KOC) - sold a total of 208 wristbands and made \$686 in food / concessions
  - Read-a-thon – school made \$3924
  - Book Fair – Shawte Lawson is running. Plan to use Scholastic dollars for teachers to buy books.
- RHS Board Meeting update
  - Melridge PTO (and other RHS organizations) recognized for their service
  - Debate on Rt. 608 new RHS elementary school location
- Update on-going & upcoming events:
  - Melridge County Fair 10/11 - NEED VOLUNTEERS!
  - Riverside Rocks 5K Fundraiser – PTO voted to donate \$50. Agreed to evaluate each charity request individually based on how it impacts our district and our individual elementary.
  - Reverse Raffle 3/9 - Need a committee. Will be at Quail Hollow.
  - Skating Party 10/12, 6:30 – 8:30 p.m.





- Pizza Bingo 11/17 @ LaMuth, 6-9 p.m. Will have a small Chinese auction for the kids. Looking for basket donations. \$5 per person = pizza & 6 games of bingo. Kids guaranteed multiple wins and prizes. Attending adults must also buy a ticket.
- Membership (car magnets)
  - 118 Members
  - Mrs. Martin's class won the pizza party for the most members. Natalie will contact for scheduling.
- School Directory - Complete and emailed to parents.
- Spirit Wear – it's in. We also have stadium blankets, \$15/ea. Will be getting some new items this winter.
- Kalahari Fundraiser 2/4 - Can make reservations now. \$129/night with waterpark tickets. Starts noon Sunday to all day Monday. PTO earns \$10/room if we have at least 10 reservations.
- Teacher Requests
- Principal Weber's Remarks
  - In October, we will be doing "Socktober" where we collect socks for SubZero Mission.
  - Held first "Leader of the Month". Brueger's donates bagels & cream cheese.
  - We completed rock painting and Dot mural this month to celebrate uniqueness.
  - PTO donated popsicles during the week of 90-degree weather. It was much appreciated.
  - Mrs. J bought books using money requested from PTO. She received many thanks from her children who are enjoying the books.
  - Lego robots are in for Mrs. Walczak. She plans to start a robot club.
- **Meeting Adjourned** at 7:52 p.m.

### Upcoming Events:

October:

- 10/12 & 13, Th & F - No School
- 10/12, F – Roller Skating Party, 6:30-8:39 @ City Skate Center, Painesville





- 10/20, F – Pastries with Parents, 1<sup>st</sup> Grade, 8:30am @ Melridge Cafeteria
- 10/25 - Parent / Teacher Conferences (Manna Catering)
- 10/31, Tu - Classroom Halloween Parties, parade at 2:45 p.m., parties at 3 p.m. ½ Day K parade at 11:15 a.m., party at 11:25 a.m. @ Melridge. PTO will provide donuts.

November:

- 11/2 (Mrs. Weber food) & 11/9 (PTO potluck food) - Parent / Teacher Conferences
- 11/7 - No School, Tu, Election Day
- 11/17 - Pizza Bingo, 6:30 p.m. @ LaMuth



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