

PTO Meeting Minutes: Tuesday, April 4th 8:15am

Welcome

AYA Presentation

- 3rd grade teachers Angie Dufner and Alane Gaspari are Local Coordinators for the AYA (Academic Year in America) organization. AYA places international high school students with host families for one semester or a whole year.

Kathy Day from Valley Cares

- QPR presentation for parents
- Question, Persuade, Refer (but with Elementary we use Report rather than refer)
- Kathy Davy from Valley Behavioral Health teaches this class to middle and high school students. This is the first year that I have had her teach the class for 5th grade students.
- Kathy will provide quick info about the class, answer any questions, and then see if parents are interested in a lunch and learn time for Kathy to present the class for parents.

2017-2018 Board positions available

- President: Open <https://docs.google.com/document/d/1v1t1dQRvryT5Xtx2TL9XUT0DuwuiZjGqoksZpDFrFZg/edit?usp=sharing>
- President-elect: Erin Grady
<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1-SiyDSasCMhQZOCBuBSB2hEFM8tNPYImqhg4hH9gbA/edit?usp=sharing>
- Treasurer: Open
- Communications: Kim Crichton
- Secretary: Sara Sargent
- Please contact any of us at Parleyspto@gmail.com with questions!

Moving back to PTA next year

- District PTO being dissolved
- Would have to become a 501c3 to remain a PTO.

Budget: \$8k remaining to allocate for this year. \$200 Ninja Kids (approved)

1. \$1,000 RWE increase (approved - \$3,000 recoup expected)
2. \$2,104 Cultural celebration (waiting for budget - 50% recoup expected)
3. \$1,650 Lion King (50% recoup expected)
4. \$750 for Teacher appreciation (meals and coffee cart)
5. \$500 - \$1000 for EATS greenhouse
6. \$487 Alisa Oakley - Orton Gillingham training program. Possible READS participation.

Total: \$6,491 - \$6,991 (\$1,877 recoup + ~\$3,000 for RWE)

EATS snack program

- Pass for next year due to volunteer and funding requirements

RWE update - Melissa Bott

Teacher Appreciation May 1- May5

- 2 meals & Coffee cart

Writing contest: Deadline April 27th

- "Heroes Come in All Shapes and Sizes"

Used book fair: June 6-8

- Book collection in lobby

Heritage festival

- PTA will cover up front budget expenses for the event. (\$1,700)
- Plan to recoup expenses at the event by selling artwork and food truck kickbacks.
- Per David, the teachers and staff will cover volunteers via Latinos in Action & Key Club.
- Shelly Barratt will remain the parent liaison for the event and assist in coordinating with Aaron on any needs the day of event and coordination leading up to the program.
- Sara Sergent will create and distribute the poster and flyers for the event as well as coordinate updates to Kim for the Newsletter and assist with any needs the day of the event
- Kellie Hatcher will be selling Parley's Park Apparel at the Cultural Night

Gaga Ball Signage - Thank you Sara!



Newsletter entry guidelines/sponsorships

- Must be a non-profit to be included in newsletter

Fall Fun Run update: Goal of \$35,000

- Fundraising initiatives for next year:
 - AMP Room (Amplified Learning Center)
 - Land Trust to cover cost of STEM teacher
 - PTA to cover cost of supplies for room
 - 3 graded projects per year
 - postponed until after April 15th
- Continued funding for additional classroom aides

What's Next:

April 19: Adventure Bites - Deer Valley Chicken Enchiladas

April 20: Creative Writing Contest Deadline

May 1-5: Teacher Appreciation Week

May 3: Final PTA Meeting & Breakfast

May 10: The Lion King Performance

May 20: Running with Ed

May 26: Field Day

May 29: Memorial Day

June 2: Cultural Night

June 6-8: Used Book Fair

Final Meeting: May 3

- Thank you breakfast