

**Peck Place School PTO Agenda**  
**September 13th, 2023**  
**7:00 PM Virtual**

1. Call to Order/ Pledge 7:02

2. Teacher's Report - Susan Lukianov

3. Principal's Report - Mrs. Lasto

- Thank you to everyone for listening to videos and reading communication. It's very helpful. Open House was great to see all the parents. Thanks for being invested in your children's learning.
- First two weeks-Setting expectations and procedures. This week benchmark assessments started. We need to meet each child where they are and then make goals for each child to move them forward. If we have concerns you will hear from us. If your child ended the last year on a tier, they will begin this year on a tier. Staff will meet every 6 weeks to discuss who needs more support and who can end tiered instruction.
- Pik My Kid- car tags need to be in windows, especially if someone was absent and there were staff changes. Could possibly be a reset glitch. Keep checking it until the glitch is resolved. Teachers will follow Pik my Kid.
- Thank everyone from PTO for all the support from back to school luncheon and other requests, even physical labor. Kudos and thank you.

4. Officer's Reports

President's Report - Anastasia Ganim

- Welcome new and returning families. Thank you to those that helped and attended the welcome back picnic and balloon deliveries. Membership drive is active through September and October. Eligible for the Family Directory as a part of the membership. Spirit Wear sale coming soon. Thanks for interest in being a room parent. Lottery happening soon. Links and info in the chat of this zoom.

Vice President's Report - Nikki Coppola

- Committees need chairs: Bingo-Ziti Dinner, Butterfly Kisses Dance, Graduation Committee (5th grade family), 6th grade Paugy Party.
- Dianna volunteered to chair Paugy Party and Uma volunteered to chair Bingo-Ziti Dinner.

Treasurer's Report - Mindy Adams

- Reviewed the 23-24 proposed budget and took a vote on it. Mindy explained line items that were reduced and increased. Vote to approve - Budget passed. Mindy continued to go over expenses since we last met.

Parliamentarian's Report - Courtney Marchese

- Revising by-laws this year. Stay tuned for updates.

Secretary Report - Dianna Fueherlein

- Reviewed notes from May 2023 meeting. Vote to approve the meeting minutes. Motion to Approve Rozina 2nd Uma- Voted to approve.

## Board of Education Report - Jamaira Quiles

- Attended in person. Board was very happy to see people in person. If anyone can go, please do. Mental health grant was approved. Accepted a social worker. After school program has some budget left, around \$60,000 for Peck. We can continue for this year. Summer Camp Grant highly praised. Thanked Peck and Mrs. Lasto for hosting. \$150,000 left over for the summer program. Tricia gave a shout out to Dr. Jalil and Mrs. Locklear. Took a tour of facilities to assess what was done. New playground and roof improvements.
- Jamaira has questions about the HVAC. How do they handle it? Can she just go and ask?
  - Dianna - as a parent you have a right to ask anything at BOE meetings to share concerns. Parents can also email BOE members.
  - Tricia - your role is to report minutes from BOE back to us and ANY parent can go to a BOE meeting and make a statement. BOE is not allowed to make comments back. It is not a conversation. You can always reach out to Central Office, Mr. Gray, and principals.

## 5. Committee Reports/Updates

- Golf Tournament - Jeff Silverman
  - Friday, 9/22. We have 98 commitments so far and are at 85% capacity. Thanks to Mrs. Lasto, Rozina, Anastasia for helping with communications. An after party will follow the golf tournament with lots of great raffles at the Orange Ale House. Tickets are still being sold for that \$50.
  - Mrs. Lasto thanks Jeff for stepping up to chair the event.
- Fun Run - Dianna Fueherlein
  - Thursday, October 5th. Register all your children. Classroom competitions. Staff competitions. Booster is a company that oversees the run. Company will do pep rallies and hype all the kids up, character enrichment, fitness events. 35 minutes of walking or running. A nice goal would be \$1 per minute from donors. Lots of amazing sponsors. Colored class shirts will be provided to every grade level with sponsors on back. Register and be entered to win a Book Fair gift card!
- Theater Program - Dr. Jalil
  - We received an after school program grant for last year and this school year and a theater program was inquired about. Dr. Jalil wants PTO to run the theater program after school and the grant will pay for the things necessary to put on a show. Committees and subcommittees would be necessary. Possibly start after Thanksgiving. We will put this in the press and make a flier. Reach out to the PTO or Dr. Jalil. Dr. Jalil can make a committee sign up and count on her for a set design.
- Halloween Fair - Rozina Jaser, on behalf of Erika Higgins
  - Saturday, October 28th 4 - 7 PM at Peck Place. Pizza truck booked. Can purchase pizza by the slice. DJ. First committee meeting tomorrow at Chips Pancakes.
- Picture Day - Rozina Jaser
  - Monday, 9/18 and Tuesday, 9/19. You can pick your background with this photographer. Child will come home with a QR code on picture day.

## 6. Old Business

## 7. New Business

## 8. Announcements Book Fair coming up the week of 10/11.

Adjourn- 1st Dianna 2nd Erin All in Favor.