Indian Ridge Middle School

PTO General Meeting Minutes

Tuesday, May 26, 2020

Meeting called to order via Zoom by PTO President H Kaplan at 5:05pm

Minutes from the April 9th meeting were approved.

The Treasurer's Report was Feb. 18th to May 25th & included a balance of \$48,429.44 in the bank.

Principal's Report discussions were the following:

- The 8th Grade Car Parade will be held on June 1st from 9:30am to 10:30am & that there may be no charge for the Police Officer detail.
- Teachers are donating & collecting items for needy families with the help from a local church.
- Pick up times/dates are set for art, music & PE items to be picked up by the students.
- No details for the upcoming school year have been set yet but scheduling has been started & entered.
- Grades are due & make-up work is being done.

The Teacher Appreciation gift cards were well received. Some may have gone into the Junk Mail files – Ms Gonzalez is going to check the list to verify.

A vote was held on whether to keep the \$3,000.00 deposit for the 8th Grade Dance with Motiv8 or to get it back – The vote was in favor of getting the deposit back. J Lakosky will contact Motiv8 to get that process started.

As a discussion was being held regarding the status of the new gym floor, news came in that the floor was approved by the District & that it will be done over the summer.

The 8th Grade Car Parade is scheduled for June 1st (as previously discussed) & parents are responding. The slideshow will be out next week & the PTO will provide signs/posters. The parade will loop through the student drop-off area & there will be about 30 teachers attending.

The business banners that are currently being displayed will stay up through the summer.

An addendum to the by-laws was voted on & passed regarding emergency situations such as COVID-19 to allow for meetings to be held virtually.

A vote was held to keep/roll over the funds (Roughly \$48,000.00) for next year & was passed.

The PTO audit & summer meeting dates are being determined.

The PTO Board Slate/Elections were held & the slate, as it appears, was motioned & passed. The Board for 2020-2021 as voted in: Holly Kaplan, President; Nicole Andrews, VP Fundraising; Nicole Raizen, VP Membership; Clara Sanchez, Volunteer Coordinator; Marie Nanni, Treasurer; Julie Ladosky, Recording Secretary, Monica Jobes, Corresponding Secretary.

A discussion was held regarding masks for students for the upcoming school year. Plans have not been made yet but fundraising ideas were given for gators/buffs being made/donated & possibly receiving a yearbook "shout-out/ad". This item was tabled for a later discussion.

Meeting was adjourned at 6pm

The next PTO meeting TBD

*These minutes were prepared by IRMS PTO Recording Secretary J Lakosky