

Indian Ridge Middle School  
PTO General Meeting Minutes  
Thursday, April 9, 2020

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

The Treasurer's Report included a balance of \$54,000.00 in the bank. A discussion was held regarding the progress of the new gym floor. The District tentatively has a board meeting in June to vote on setting aside \$50,000.00 towards the new gym floor & then IRMS would be responsible for the remaining balance – Around \$25,000.00. IRMS does have \$40,000.00 in escrow for the flooring.

Mr Murray reported that the remainder of the school year is still in question but that online learning will continue & that a lot of new things will be implemented as we move forward.

Discussions were held regarding the following:

- Straight A Cabaret &, that due to COVID-19, letters would go out to the outstanding students.
- The Book Fair generated \$5,825.00.
- Last year's taxes & insurance are due.
- The 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Dance has been cancelled. A motion was made to table whether or not to get the deposit back from Motiv8, the event company, pending more information on holding the date for next year & if the quote from this year would carry over to next year. The motion passed.
- The 8<sup>th</sup> Grade counsellor(s) are reaching out to the 8<sup>th</sup> Graders.
- Teacher Appreciation will be a little different this year with everyone receiving \$50.00 gift cards from Amazon. Funds may be utilized from other end-of-year activities that are now cancelled. A motion was made regarding the \$50.00 per teacher & was passed.

A Nomination Committee was chosen to elect a PTO Board for next year. The Committee members are Allison Christopher, Danielle Greico & Clara Sanchez.

Virtual elections were amended for emergency situations & Survey Monkey is going to be set up soon for the elections. A motion was made & passed.

Online teacher meetings are being held every other Thursday.

Meeting was adjourned at 5:42pm

The next PTO meeting will be on May 11, 2020, via Zoom (Until further notice)

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