Attendance: Carla, Maria, Casey Luong, Jen McCamis, Carli, Cathy Niekamp, Julie

Executive Board Reports:

- Principal: Lisa Mays
- No news
- Are we supporting Cincinnati Museum Center next year? 2 visits per school year
- Yes, will continue
- President: Carla Berkshire
- Touched bases with PTO members for next year to get open reports, will publish next week to get new positions filled
- Will get survey developed to send to families next year and possible activity cuts
- Will ask what events are priorities and what PTO funds are priorities (what priorities do they have for the funds the PTO raises)
o Goals for 2019-2020 Fun Run
- Picnic tables, indoor recess activity improvements. Plan is about $\$ 3500$. Need to decide before promoting Fun Run to families
- Considering Adirondack chairs, plantings, etc.
- Challenge of using that space is bees, hornets- stinging insects
- Talked about a more outdoor-type classroom - will get staff input and decide at the next meeting
- Indoor cart- separate from Fun Run? Get some games to be checked out for indoor recess
- Lisa- can we do a drive, for parents to donate games?
- Gameright Games - will donate games if you host a game night and purchase
- Makers space area
- Experiences
- Virtual Reality Cart
- Summer planning- will talk about more next month
- $5^{\text {th }}$ grade bathroom remodels were a hit
- Possibly having the bathroom floors redone over the summer ( $2^{\text {nd }}, 3^{\text {rd }}, 4^{\text {th }}$ grade bathrooms)
- Will Jacki and Kevin apply a basecoat in the bathrooms?
- Ordered welcome cards to sign and send to incoming $2^{\text {nd }}$ grade families, will order Vistaprint business cards
- New family packets - need to update those for next Fall
- Vice President: Maria Rigling
- No news
- Treasurer: Carli Goodrich
- Carnival updates
- 2018 fund distribution is inaccurate
- 2019 expenses due to purchasing game prizes
- 2019 Raffle expenses- where is that coming from?
- Maria- there shouldn't be as much expense, will look at this. Carla purchased table cloths, wrapping supplies
- Silent Auction expenses should maybe be a little more- Carli will look at this
- Assistant Treasurer: Megan Wagner
- N/A
- Recording Secretary: Joy Trudics
- N/A
- Corresponding Secretary: Joy Trudics
- Sent card in for Jill Delatore after car accident
- Administrative Professional's Day coming

Committee Reports (Past Month- March/April)

- Tiger's Lair Cleanup
- Got a decent amount of weeds pulled
- Discovered the pump in the pond doesn't work, had an estimate and walk-through with expert. "Demucked" the pond, still working on that. Replacement of the pump and recommendations for fish
- Jacki has been replacing the fish periodically

Committee Reports (Future Month- April/May)

- Restaurant Takeover- City BBQ (April 17) \& Scoops (May 16)
- Spring Showcase - May 2
- Teacher Appreciation Week (May 6- May 10)
- Julie- asked to do the lunch on Monday so she can be here to help (5/6), will use free City BBQ lunch on that day. Carla scheduled that
- Coffee cart, breakfast buffet
- Popcorn bar with fun toppings and trail mix fixings
- Candy leftover from carnival- do a candy bar or candy bouquets
- Wednesday will have a clothing truck after school and will have a happy hour at Old Bag of Nails (Pallet of Threads)
- Box of post-it notes
- Maria coordinated with PVN and ask that homeroom parents send out suggestions to families in conjunction with something the homeroom parent may be planning
- PVN decorating the sidewalk is very popular, would like to do that on the Sunday prior to Appreciation week for Monday
- Other activities: encouraging students to write a note or bring a drawing, encourage parents/families to write a thank you, wearing the teacher's favorite color, everyone snips a flower or brings a bundle of something from their yard (would need a container for the teachers)
- PVN does the flowers/plants on Weds so can coordinate to do it on the same day
- Tiger Pride Art Contest
- To go out this month for voting next PTO meeting
- Field Day- May 30
- Popsicles for kids supplied by PTO

Old Business:

- $\quad$ Shed \& playground cart are in use
- Status of soccer goals
- One is in, had to send back materials as it was received with the wrong parts, Carla will look into what was ordered
- Carnival
- Next year look at electronic bidding and pairing down the baskets. Adding a minimum bid to each basket in \$5 increments
- Thank you to Lisa and Paula for coordinating the student organized raffle items
- Book Fair Scholastic profits- $\$ 863$ cash, Lisa will supplement with her money to give to teachers to give $\$ 500$ allocation to purchase books. Will supplement difference with what we're giving Debbie for the IMC. In the past, gave her half of the total profit. Total for teachers and Debbie will be $\$ 2500$.

New Business:

- Proposal to replace water fountain in $2^{\text {nd }}$ grade hallway over the summer
- Flower planting in the front beds (Julie)
- Lisa would like to have it prior to $1^{\text {st }}$ grade visits if possible, was thinking May $4^{\text {th }}$ starting around 10a-4p (ish)
- Possible replacement of the wooden memorial plaque in the front, a former staff member. The sign is unreadable.
- Cathy- talk to Mrs. Nation, Elizabeth Lunsford or Patty Cahill to see who it was for and what they did for replacement
- PTO Positions and Voting next month

Next Meeting: Tuesday, May 21, 2019 @ 6:30p

