Watts PTO Meeting Minutes January 9th, 2018

- Call to Order Misty Whittman
- In Attendance: Misty Whittman, Timothy Gilliland, Brian Miller, Emily Blanford, Dana Hammant, Beth Ann Ellinger, Jill Stevens, Joell Bough, Brenda Colton

Vice President's Report - Brian Miller

- Students met with Mr. Miller and Mrs. Petty to review behavioral and academic expectations
 - o Goal Setting
 - o Beginning a Random Acts of Kindness Campaign
 - No referral recognition for 2nd quarter (90% of students earned a "No Homework Pass" and ice cream treat)
- Email sent to all parents regarding the nature of current Apps students at the middle school level are
 using

"Treasurer's Report - Jennifer Elleman (Mr. Miller shared report)

- Wish List items for teachers
- Scholarship for Ski Club
- Donation to Adopt-a-Family through the district
 - o Budget was approved

Recording Secretary - Meryl Matthews

Minutes from the November 2017 meeting were approved

Staff/ Faculty Reps – Mary Mariscalco and Beth Ann Ellinger

Committee Reports

- A. Business Partners
 - a. Rapid Fire take-over scheduled for Tues. January 16th
 - b. Contacting City BBQ for future date
- B. Curriculum Reviewed the results of the calendar survey sent out to the community
 - a. Based on the responses, 2018-19 and 2019-20 calendars were created and posted on the district's website
- C. Directories
- D. Fall Party
- E. Parent Advisory Thursday, January 25th
- F. Family Night March 8th
 - a. 5 Raffle items were purchased during holiday sales
 - b. Volunteers for advisory baskets
 - o Advisors contacted parents to inquire about a volunteer
 - o A paper was sent home with students at advisor request
- G. <u>Lunches for the Homeless</u> 2nd Wednesday of every month lunches sent to St. Vincent DePaul
 - a. Every month our school donates 50-100 bagged lunches

New Business

- A. Science Dept. earned \$10,000 through MAC Grant
 - a. Money will fund an aeroponic growing system and technology for students to research the benefits and future implications for the innovative growing method

Important Dates

Tues. October 6th February PTO Meeting Wed. October 11th Chipotle Takeover