



Meeting Minutes Wednesday, September 21, 2022

Attendance

Carmen Coulter, Jennifer Graber, Janelle Perry, Lisa Ragsdale, Richard Ragsdale, Annamarie Valdivia

6:09 RR Motioned to begin meeting- JG seconded. General welcome to all attendees

<u>First Motion</u>: RR motioned to officially vote on new board member positions. JP seconded. New membered were voted in unanimously as listed:

- Richard Ragsdale as President
- Janelle Perry as Treasurer
- Lisa Ragsdale as Secretary
- Annamarie Valdivia General Member

Motion Passes Unanimously.

Treasurer Report

- JP went over the budget using the estimated amounts based on last year's income and expenditures.
 Discussion of a teacher stipend suggested by JG. JP suggested including a line item in the budget as a
 miscellaneous for teacher expenses of \$700.00 per year, so that the board doesn't have to vote on small
 (under \$100) teacher expenditures. It will be added to finalized budget which we will vote on when
 completed.
- Big change in income and expense as field trip line items will now all be grouped together in final cost (other than t-shirts which GATE booster will still fund), and the student's field trip payment will now go through the office rather than through the booster.

Field Trips

Second Motion: JP motioned to budget \$1000.00 for LaMadera Park refreshments from Costco & Eegees. AV seconded. **Motion Passes Unanimously.**

Lisa Ragsdale will pick up Costco items and bring to park day of field trip.

Fundraising

Fundraising for scholarships remains the biggest priority for the booster club. There are approximately 110 families in the program at this time.

- Walk-a-thon (Turkey Trot?)- AV motioned we do a walk-a-thon on November 19^{th (TBC)} to fund 8th grade trip, JG seconded . **Motion Passes Unanimously.** Discussion of possible themed races, prizes, how to promote, etc...
- Online 8th grade Trip fundraiser in January- RR motioned, LR seconded, Motion Passes Unanimously
- AV motioned for December (1st or 6th) Skate (Elf) night, JP seconded, **Motion Passes** Unanimously.
- Discussion of a fundraiser to replace Spaghetti Night (don't think we have that venue any longer). RR said he would ask at ATC about using cabaret &/or kitchen space.