

**Alanton Elementary School
PTA Minutes
General Membership Meeting
Tuesday, April 9, 2019 9:00 AM
AES Learning Commons**

1. Meeting called to order at 9:03 AM by Jenn Macgregor, PTA President
2. Pledge of Allegiance: Jenn Macgregor
3. In Attendance
 - a. Please see attached roster
4. Minutes
 - a. The minutes from the March 12th general meeting are posted to the website. There were no changes or additions. The minutes stand as posted.
5. Reports of Officers
 - a. Treasurer's Report: Ashley Hall provided a written report.
 - i. Total Income: \$32,235.60
 - ii. Total Expenses: \$17,184.04
 - iii. Year to Date: \$15,051.56
 - b. Principal's Report: Charlene Garran provided a verbal report
 - i. Spring Break 4/15-4/19
 - ii. National Library Week 4/8-4/12
 - iii. Assistant Principal Week 4/8-4/12
 - iv. Kinder Registration 4/23 at 9 AM
 - v. Volunteer Breakfast 4/26 at 9 AM
 - vi. Spanish Immersion info Meeting 5/3 beginning at 8 AM
 - vii. Classrooms are getting new ViewSonic boards to replace the Promethean boards
 - viii. Staffing Updates-New Hires
 1. Reading Specialist: Lynn Lear
 2. Grade 1: Sarah White
 3. Grade 1: Alyssa Cardwell
 4. Grade 2: Amanda Shea
 5. Grade 5 Spanish: Elizabeth Moran DeWald
 6. Special Education Assistant: Amadeo Martin
 - ix. Staffing Updates-Departures
 1. Retiring: Linda Gardner, Susan Anderson, Deb Walsh, and Caye Harvey
 2. Moving: Elizabeth Davis and Jaqueline Portillo
 3. Transferring: Katie Aladj
 - c. First Vice President's Report: Mindi Friedman provided a verbal report
 - i. Working on Fidgety Fan as a vendor for next year
 - ii. May- rising 5th graders will be polled for their t-shirt sizes for the September Field Trip
 - iii. Working on determining a t-shirt sponsorship

- iv. Also working on a possible long-sleeve option
- d. Second Vice President's Report: Kathleen Brennan provided a verbal report
 - i. AES PTA Emily C Parks and Rosa Edwards scholarship applications are due 4/11. Currently, no applications.
 - ii. Be sure to vote No for the National PTA proposed dues increase!
 - iii. Membership is the same; 391 members
- e. President's Report: Jenn Macgregor provided a verbal report
 - i. Thank you to everyone for coming
 - ii. Thank you to the board and all the volunteers
- f. Correspondence Secretary's Report: Jenn Macgregor provided a verbal report
 - i. Handwritten thank you cards from all AES Kindergarteners for sponsoring their field trip to see Frozen.
- g. Volunteer Liaison: Jenn Macgregor provided a verbal report
 - i. Please remember to log your volunteer hours
- 6. Committee Reports
 - a. Book Fair: Heather Thomas provided a verbal report
 - i. Book Fair raised \$11,894; \$3,00 in cash to the learning commons, \$700 in books, and \$1700 in online scholastic
 - ii. Proceeds go towards all the technology in the learning commons and supplies for Maker Space
 - b. Dine Out for Alanton: Jenn Macgregor provided a verbal report
 - i. Panera: April 9, 2019
 - ii. Sweet Frog's: June 11, 2019 (final location)
 - c. Future Fridays/Career Cluster: Jenn Macgregor provided a verbal report
 - i. April: Government and Public Administration
 - ii. May: Education and Training
 - iii. Looking for volunteers to contribute for each month
 - d. Premiums: Jenn Macgregor provided a verbal report
 - i. Reminders to link your VIC card to AES, as well as Amazon Smile
 - ii. 4th quarter box tops will start after spring break
 - e. Fifth Grade Bridging: Renee Hosang provided a verbal report
 - i. Luau theme
 - ii. Ring pops instead of cakes and cupcakes
 - iii. Pool party on 6/13
 - iv. Chris Miller will repair the bridge
 - v. Dominos Pizza will be provided
 - vi. Plan to have a potluck meal for the chaperones
 - vii. Each family is asked to contribute \$20 towards the bridging
 - viii. Kona Ice and a DJ will be provided
 - ix. School gift is money towards a laminator
- 7. Unfinished Business-None
- 8. New Business-None
- 9. Announcements
 - a. Congratulations to the March volunteers of the month
 - b. Alanton Staff Appreciation Week: 5/6-5/10
 - c. Next PTA Meeting at Spring Musical; 6/10 at 6:30 PM at Cox HS

- d. Congratulations to Nancy Julcher-selected as one of the top 5 city-wide teachers of the year
10. Meeting Adjourned at 9:52 AM by Jenn Macgregor

Submitted by,

Meghan Massie, Recording Secretary

_____Minutes approved as presented _____Minutes approved as amended

Date Minutes approved _____