SCARLETT MIDDLE SCHOOL PTSO



Meeting Minutes May 16, 2022 – 6:30 pm

Our Mission: To facilitate close cooperation among parents, teachers, and students in order to raise funds for a variety of enrichment opportunities and foster a strong learning community!

Welcome and Introductions

 Attending: Gerald Vazquez, Dr. Peterson, Nicky Geyer, Victoria Engling, Mimoza Ramaxhiku, Adelaide Lancaster, John Franks.

Principal's Report - Gerald Vazquez and Dr. Peterson

- **Day of Awesomeness** Dr. Peterson discussed the agenda for the Day of Awesomeness. Students who raised over \$150.00 can go to the prize tent. Other events will be available to all students. They plan to hold it rain or shine, so students will have to dress for the weather.
- **NWEA testing** NWEA Spring testing is happening now. Math NWEA testing will take place from 8:15am to 10:20am on Thursday. Next Wednesday, students will take the Reading portion.

End of Year Planning

- 8th graders will be done with academic requirements by June 3rd. 8th graders attending an AAPS school in the Fall will keep their chromebooks and chargers over break.
- 8th Graders will go on a golf field trip on June 6th as well as an outdoor end of year celebration. A Kona Ice truck will be provided by the PTSO.
- Tuesday, June 7th, it's optional for 8th graders to come to school. They will arrive at Huron at 12:45pm for the 8th Grade Farewell ceremony.
- 8th Graders can also opt out of going to school the rest of the week.
- On Wednesday, June 8th and Thursday, June 9th, similar outdoor end of year celebrations will happen for the 6th and 7th graders.
- Friday is an early release day with no lunch. They will be in school from 8:15am to 10:43am.
- ChromeBook collection for 6th and 7th graders will take place Wednesday,
 June 8th. Students attending summer school can keep their chromebooks.
- Mr. Vazquez wants to end school on a positive note. He thanked the PTSO for their partnership with the school administration and staff.

Secretary's Report

 Mr. Vazquez motioned to approve the minutes for April. Mimoza Ramaxhiku seconded. All approved.

President's report - Nicky Geyer

- 8th Grade Celebration The estimated expenses for the 8th Grade celebration will be just under \$3000.00. This can come out of the 8th Grade Dance Fund and some of the Hospitality Fund.
- **PTSO Board Elections -** We plan to finish the slate and take a vote at the June meeting. We would like to have the meeting in person if possible. Nicky is also updating the bylaws.

Treasurer's Report - Mimoza Ramaxhiku

- The April balance is as follows:
 - The ending Savings Balance was \$10,778.89.
 - The ending Checking Balance was \$25,501.80.
 - o The CD Balance was \$6,048.85.
- These amounts do not include the money made from the Day of Awesomeness.

PTOC Report - Harmony Hoekzema

• In the fall, the PTOC is thinking of doing communal restaurant nights in which the schools will share the money made.

Meeting Adjourned.