



**Long Creek Elementary School
PTO Business Meeting
Thursday, February 1, 2018
6:00 – 7:15 pm**

Meeting Minutes

Meeting called to order at 6:09pm

Discussion Items

PRINCIPAL UPDATES

- Magnet Lottery first round has closed. LC is projected to have approximately 140 seats. The Magnet Office visited LC this morning and did Facebook Live with the Orchestra class.
- An inquiry made to District Office about whether or not PreK will be in the building in the Fall – awaiting a response.

PRESIDENT UPDATES

- School Dance is tomorrow night. There will be a DJ, a photographer, and food. If families did not RSVP, the cost will be \$8.00 at the door. If you have a child attending, a chaperon is required to remain on the premises for the duration of the dance.

VP OF FINANCE UPDATES

- Sonia will electronically send the financial statements to Board and Chair Members to allow time for the Cyberbullying Workshop that will begin when meeting adjourns. Reported that the PTO manages about \$50,000 in gross receipts each year, and explained that everything families do to help donate, allows the PTO to reinvest in LC.

VP OF OPERATIONS UPDATES

- New Spirit Wear designs will roll out soon (Camouflage, Pink, Purple, Green and Navy). Long Sleeve, Short Sleeve, and Hoodie are the options. Flyers are being made

and will be put in teachers' boxes. Once orders are placed, it'll take approximately two weeks for delivery.

VP OF ENGAGEMENT UPDATES

- (Yolanda) The Nominating Committee is recruiting for PTO President and VP of Finance for next school year. Would like everyone to spread the word.
- (Alma) The Reading First Program will be starting soon and will run for 10 weeks for PreK - 2nd grade. Will confirm dates with Principal. Parents/volunteers can choose to read on a Monday or Wednesday (or both) for approximately 15 minutes. The books have been hand-picked by the Literacy Council through Wells Fargo. The books are donated to the classroom after being read. A Sign-Up Genius link will be provided soon. Also, would like a reader for each classroom on March 2nd (Dr. Seuss Day). A Sign-Up Genius link will be provided soon.
- (Alma) EOG Testing Initiatives for 3rd - 5th graders, test-taking skills, educate parents on what to expect and resources to use at home in preparation of EOG testing. Will reach out to principal and teachers.

MISCELLANEOUS

- Next meeting March 8th

Meeting adjourned 7:04pm. Cyberbullying Workshop began.