

Cedar Mill PTC meeting
January 9, 2024

Held in person and via Zoom.

Attendees:

In person: Amy Chamberlain, Shira DeGrood, Andrea Edgecombe, Kristi Nelson, Eva Novick, Jason Pearl
On Zoom: Lauren Garbutt, Reem Hasan, Kara, Sirenia

Meeting Minutes:

Principal Update:

- Fifth graders will “fly up” to visit Tumwater Middle School. There is also a parent night on Feb. 29.
- Tomorrow is a PTC-sponsored assembly on sharks. Also upcoming is the Fifth Grade Musical.
- First to fifth grade students will take a survey to assess students’ perspectives about the Kindness in the Classroom curriculum. There will be subsequent assessments later in the school year.
- During the staff development day, staff will discuss tribal history/shared history and math professional development.
- The staff room was updated over winter break and floors in the staff bathroom were updated. The previous bond had funds earmarked for fencing improvements so all elementary school playgrounds are enclosed during the school day. That project will also look at the fire lane gate to bring it up to code.
- There are two new positions on staff that provide extra support for special education and kindergarten.

President Update:

- Provided committee updates for Art Night, Movie Night, and Oregon Battle of the Books.
 - Art Night is Friday, Jan. 19. Art Literacy projects will be showcased and Art World Art School will help students make an art project. Donations of plastic tub lids are needed to use for paint palettes.
 - Movie Night will be rescheduled to a different date in February. A Blu Ray player was ordered. Discussion regarding movie license renewal. Curtains will be installed over spring break which will permit movie night to occur at other times of the year.
 - OBOB permission slips will continue to be accepted this week.

Motion to renew movie license for one year.

Vote: Motion approved.

Treasurer Update:

- A summary of updates in revenue and expenditures will be shared at the next meeting.

Ways & Means Update:

- Exploring school merchandise (logo branded T-shirts, sweatshirts and socks) and Dine Outs.

Volunteer Update:

- Upcoming volunteer opportunities include Art Night, OBOB, Work Party, library, and lunch room.
- Revised “work party” schedule permits volunteers to help whenever their schedule permits. A training document provides instructions on what to do and how to use the office machines.

Secretary Update:

- No updates.

Open Items:

- Cub Scout Pack 207 update. Recent activities include pine wood derby and camping trip for fifth and sixth graders.
- Science Fair update. Will sell excess poster boards for cheaper than retail. Students will receive mini-flier for awareness that Science Fair is upcoming. Will start accepting entries January 26 through February 12. The Science Fair is March 7.
- The next community meeting is April 16. That meeting will be a listening session. The last community meeting of the year is June 11. That meeting will be elections and approval of next year’s budget.
- Vice President is still an open position for this year. Will be looking to fill the President position next year.