

**Simpson Elementary School  
PTA Board Meeting Minutes  
Friday, February 10, 2023**

**Members Present:**

Dana Zamuel, Mary Catherine Jennings, Stacie Olson, Lauren Forster, Beth Goldstein, Julie Miller, Katie Berrigan, Megan Skurski

**Call to Order:**

Dana Zamuel, PTA Co-President, called the meeting to order at 9:31am.

**Approved the previous Board Minutes (January 6th, February 2<sup>nd</sup>)**

**PTA Business:**

-Father/Daughter dance was a huge success. Last-minute tickets being requested was a problem. Next year we will plan for 10% more people than have purchased tickets and have that many tickets in reserve for the last minute requests.

We will also plan on partnering with several restaurants to capitalize on the dinners our families are having prior to the dance. The committee will also look into more 360 degree cameras as that received a lot of positive feedback.

-The nominating committee was successful and has most of the positions filled.

-School supply kits for next year are in process.

-Autograph books instead of a yearbook will be available this year for the first time for people who do not want to buy a yearbook or missed the yearbook deadline for purchase.

-Dr. Connery will be submitted for the "Outstanding Principal Award"

-The events calendar has been updated as necessary

**Treasurers Report: Lauren Forster:**

-Teacher grants have been approved.

**Academics/Arts: Megan Skurski:**

-Arts and education options for next year and the end of this year are being considered

**Communications/Publications: Beth Goldstein:**

-Yearbooks are almost completely sold out (89 to go and a waitlist will be created once these are sold out)

**Family/Community Outreach: Stacie Olson:**

-No updates

**Finance: Heather Reich (absent presented by Dana Zamuel):**

-No update

**Health/Environment: Sara Wiggins (absent presented by Dana Zamuel):**

- 5<sup>th</sup> grade t-shirts have been delivered
- Hand print wall has been completed
- Signs for 5<sup>th</sup> graders will be on sale in March
- The Simpson Braves game will be 4/23

**Staff/Student Services: Julie Miller:**

- Staff appreciation for Valentine's Day planning is completed
- APD will occur 2/14
- The next Spirit Night will be 2/23

**Next Meeting March 3, 2023**

**ADJOURNMENT** Dana Zamuel adjourned the meeting at 10:40am.