

AGENDA

Altoona Elementary PTA Meeting

February 7th, 2022

Join Zoom Meeting:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81124527093?pwd=aFVLeKNXMjhXc1ovNFVRSjcyZ0ZJZz09>

1. Call to order
2. Welcome/Introductions
 - a. Amanda Hintz, Amanda Mertz, Holly Ewing, Stephanie Scheer, Libby Adams, Dawn Roberts, Beth Webb, Megan McLennan, Jessica Sporleder, Mr. Miller
3. Libby Adams- 515 Designs
 - a. Two students at Altoona Elementary, in business since 2018, switching to all SEP items on the online store, variety of items available, can do customizations/personalization, quick turn around time, 10% back to PTA, communication/delivery/pickup/shipping/money/ logistics all goes through her, 515creativedesigns.com, planning an end of the year special item
4. Approve January minutes
 - a. Motion to approve- Holly Ewing (first), Dawn Roberts (second). Approved.
5. Treasurer Report
 - a. Approve January financials
 - b. Motion to approve- Beth Webb (first), Dawn Roberts (second). Approved.
6. Principal's Report
 - a. Everyone doing their best during the continued Covid challenges, sub shortage, everyone stepping up and making the days great for kids.
7. Teacher's Report
 - a. Excited about the indoor recess carts, playground possibilities are exciting, kleenex and sanitizer running low
8. Committee/Coordinator Reports
 - a. Membership- Jessica Sporleder/Amanda Hintz/Amanda Mertz
 - b. Spirit Wear- Amanda Hintz/Dawn Roberts
 - i. See info about from 515 Creative Designs
 - ii. Ram National Elite Apparel- option for a large one time order (same company as the district booster orders). They have a minimum 12 items per design. In the past we've used A-Team. Want to request designs before moving forward with Elite.
 - iii. Desire to do both. Offer a year round option from 515 and then a large one time order once a year.
 - c. Homeroom Parents- Amanda Hintz
 - i. Valentine's Parties on Monday. Teachers emailed out requests.

- d. Hospitality- Beth Webb
 - i. National School Counselors Week
 - ii. Stocking the fridge soon
 - iii. Gearing up for conferences
- e. Book Fair-Amanda Mertz/Amanda Hintz
 - i. Sign-up genius coming out for conference book fair.
 - ii. Set up on Sunday March 6. Conferences on Mar 8 and 10.
- f. Santa's Attic- Jessica Sporleder
- g. Warm Kids Warm Hearts- Kristy Litwiler
- h. Social Media- Holly Ewing
- i. Fundraising-
 - Altoona Fun Run- Jessica Sporleder/Amanda Hintz
 - a. Date locked in for Spring 2023
 - Restaurant Nights- Megan McLennan
 - a. Sugar Shack on February 24.
 - i. Fliers going out the week of Feb 24
 - ii. Need to take the flier with to the restaurant night
 - iii. 10% back to PTA
 - b. Posey and Jett's
 - i. Saturday, April 9
 - Cookie Dough- Amanda Hintz
 - a. 1,638 tubs. Added a few extras of each kind to pad for errors.
 - b. \$24,780 in sales. \$9,912 is our take-away.
 - c. Bought incentives. Big cookie cake to top seller and top selling class. 20 small cookie cakes to randomly drawn sellers.
 - d. Pickup on March 2. Possibly a 12:30 or 1:00 start time. Volunteers needed!

8. New Business-

- Spirit Wear Discussion
 - See above
- Indoor Recess Carts
 - Working with Posey and Jett's
- Playground Project
 - Surveyed teachers about priorities. Pebble rocks are the #1 request to update. Met with Planet Playground. Phased plan.
 - District funds summer of 2024, submitted Prairie Meadows grant, looking into Polk County Betterment Grant
 - Send ideas to the PTA!
- Library Books

- Part of the proceeds from Fun-run fundraiser will go towards the library
 - Proposing to spend \$5000 of the proceeds for new library books.
- Golf and Games in the Halls Discussion
 - Looking into alternatives: family fun night, movie night

9. Next PTA meeting – April 11th, 2022— NO MEETING IN MARCH

10. Adjourn