



Virtual General Membership Meeting Minutes
Tuesday, March 7, 2023 at 7:00 pm

Theresa Wesley called the meeting to order at 7:01pm

Quorum has been met. Approval of agenda.

In Attendance: Zaina Brown; Kristi Galati, Andi Kiehle, Casey Stumpf, Cerra Clough, Dana Bober, Debra McMahan, Erika Ryan, Erin Ford, Erin Zirpoli, James McConnell, Jennifer Canales, Joseph Dolinich, Kriti Achreja, Lauren Shernoff, Lindsey Hill, Matthew Sharpe, Mrs. Ruggiero, Nargess Latifi, Susan Mullen, Theresa Wesley

Zaina Brown – Secretary

- Motion to approve minutes from February 2023.
 - Motion made by Zaina Brown
 - Seconded by Lauren Shernoff
- Passes 20-0
- Please submit any newsletter content ASAP

Cerra Clough - Treasurer

- Spirit Night – Five Guys - \$500
- 5th Grade – Has met their goal
- Teacher Mini-grants from kindergarten, 2nd, and 5th grades have applied

Cerra Clough - OM

- 2/25 – Five Teams were sent; Three placed either 1st or 2nd, the 1st place team will go on to State in April – Tuscarora High School

Brittany Sharpe – VP of Membership (Theresa)

- Total membership at 229

Nargess Latifi – VP of Family Events

- DATE CHANGE - Pastries with Parent on 4/15
- BINGO on 5/19

LaTanya Holland – VP of Fundraising (Theresa)

- Not going to do an additional fundraiser for the Spring; finances are in order for the 2023-24 year so far
- Still looking to get a Facebook Poll for Loudoun United
- SPROUT – Will be emailing for supply list soon

Andi Kiehle – VP of Afterschool Programs

- Dates for Spring Session are 4/12-5/18
- 2:45-3:45, Wednesdays and Thursdays
- Registration is 3/5 at 9pm for PTA, General on 3/8 at 9pm; Closes 3/15 at 9pm
- COBRA has a previous commitment, run 4/26-5/31
- New Classes: Chess Wizards, Mallet Madness, Color Creations, ICode (Must have 8), Little Doctor/Little Vet (Must have 10); Cheer & Dance; Spark Tank (OM Prep)
- Link on the Week Ahead
- 181 Seats Filled Early Registration
- Financial Aid, possible partial scholarships
- Still need someone to do VP of ASP for upcoming year

Theresa Wesley - President

- February 2023 MSAAC Minutes are in the folder, next meeting 03/15; find through LCPS website
- SEAC – 02/15 Smart IEP Goals, 03/01 Meeting – posted on their website; next meeting 04/12
- Special Educator Awards are open
- President and Executive Board of county council have a monthly call with Interim Superintendent

LEAF – Lauren Shernoff

- Meeting held 2/22
- Lost Superintendent; grand jury report; new school board member
- Too much happened, not a good time for a hiatus
- Met Dr. Smith and new Chief of Staff; link to Budget presented in the Week Ahead
- Superintendent Search Committee – firm hired, plan to have someone by June; survey sent to parents/guardians today
 - Andi received an error message at the end; advised to try again; can only submit once
- March 13th – Openings for community to meet with the firm to provide feedback
- Next meeting will be discussing benchmarks and whether the county is reaching them

Spirit Night – Rachel Bryson (Theresa)

- 3/14 – Chipotle – Edwards Ferry
- 3/28 – Solo Pizza
- 4/11 – Moes
- 4/25 - Robeks

Staff Appreciation - Olivia Henson

- Robeks – Smoothie Drop off this month

5th Grade Party Committee – Rachael T. (Lauren)

- Major purchases accounted for; Carnival Theme; Cornerstone donating Carnival Games; Inflatables; everything is a Go!! Able to do more with the high amount of donations

BINGO Committee (Erin Ford; Erika Ryan; Debra McMahan)

- Meeting with Olivia
- Jennifer Canales – offered music services
- Suggestions: Alternate between regular and special games; Blackout either eliminate or have it earlier; move food out of cafeteria

Nominations Committee (Lauren Shernoff; Lindsey Hill)

- All positions are open; interest shown in several positions; need to fill President, Treasurer, VP of Afterschool Programs
- Slate to be presented in April
- President, Treasurer, and Secretary MUST be filled by July 1, 2023 or money will be held and no events will happen until those are completed

Susan Mullen - Principal's Report

- Congrats to the OM participants; will be recognized during Announcements
- Welcome to James McConnell
- 75 students participated in Cultural Fair; 33 countries represented
- Book Fair is 03/20-03/24
- Ceiling tile project will happen; Ms. Marion will be organizing

NEW BUSINESS**Upcoming Meetings –**

- 4/11 - Slate to be announced
- 5/16 – Voting
- 6/06 - TBD

Theresa Wesley – Motion to adjourn at 7:42; Second Lauren Shernoff