

ROCKAWAY MEADOW SCHOOL PTA

MEETING

January 11, 2018

In Attendance: Abigail LaShomb, Tiffany Hiltz, Anne Smith, Marjorie Pereira, Nicole Brower, Keith Cortright, Michael Hess, Jessica Coe, Vicky Pereira, Bettina Beal, Susie Scholz, Amy Evans
Jessica Perez

Meeting Called to Order at 6:59 pm

Acceptance of Minutes – Abby & Marjorie accept minutes

Treasurer's Report **Abigail LaShomb** is reporting TD operating balance = \$17, 773.70

Corresponding Secretary **Marjorie Pereira** None at this time

Teacher's Report/Presentation Ms. Scholz & Ms. Beal presented on Mindfulness Presentation on school website

-Teaching students to be aware of what you say, where you are & your actions. Talked about the benefits of students being more aware of their actions

Updates

- Class Parties
 - \$60 left
 - A little challenging with new food guidelines
 - Looking at different possibilities for next year
 - Suggestion to submit for a donation at ShopRite for next year.
- Spiritwear
 - Delivered in about 1 week
 - About \$325 in profit
- Holiday Breakfast
 - Canceled due to low participation
- CPR Class
 - Went well may schedule 1 more
 - Adult class to also be scheduled
- Field Trips
 - After reviewing budget
 - Students to pay \$5 across all grades to help pay for field trips
 - PTA will cover teachers, paras, chaperones, nurse
 - Look at 5th grade trip for next year (different line item in the budget)

Fundraisers

- Save Around
 - Going out soon
- Yankee Candle
 - Profit about \$1000

- Coffee
 - Due 1/23
- Gertrude Hawk
 - Marjorie will send information out. Will go out in Feb so it is back in time for Easter.
- Mixed Bags
 - Need a chair

Upcoming Events

- Movie Night
 - Moved to 1/26
 - Drop off event
 - \$7 includes 1 slice of pizza & a drink
 - Need to pick a movie
- Book Bingo
 - 2/2
 - Need water & snacks
 - Kindergarten & lower books needed
- Family Read Night
 - Scheduled for March

Other Commitment

- 5th Grade Moving Up **Jessica Coe**
 - Habit Grill Fundraiser on 2/7
 - T-shirt Fundraiser for field day
 - Update from superintendent – Food guidelines do not apply to 5th grade events
- Dining to Donate **Marjorie Pereira reports**
 - IHOP \$120 profit
 - WoodStack \$50 profit
 - Outback \$182 profit
- Food Days
 - 2/28, 3/1, 3/2
 - No form no food
 - Any child with no food will have a parent called to confirm
 - Looking at how food days works to make improvements in the future

Principal's Report

- Need to come up with guidelines for volunteers
- Draft rules
- Read list of complaints that had occurred after PTA events

Questions, Comments, Ideas.....Adjourn Meeting

Meeting Adjourned at 8:31 pm

Next meeting scheduled for 2/8/18