

Meeting Minutes
Hewitt PTA Meeting
June 12, 2019

- The meeting was called to order/sign-in
- Quorum Count - sufficient for a vote
- May minutes approved
- Marleen Maccone
 - Overview of agenda
 - Note of change – Mrs. Flanagan will be speaking on behalf of Mrs. Pryke instead of Mrs. Bauer
- Mr. Flanagan for Mrs. Pryke – Principal’s Message
 - Field Day – was a huge success. Thank you to Mrs. Gerns, Mr. Bosch, Mrs. Marshall and Mrs. McDevitt and to all the parent and staff volunteers that worked so hard to make sure it was fun for all the children.
 - Special Thank you to RVCFD. The 3rd-5th grade kids loved being sprayed with the hose.
 - 2nd grade State Expo will be held on Fri 6/14
 - Fast passes will be used to speed security clearance. If pass is forgotten please go through the security desk.
 - Kindergarten picnic will be on Monday 6/17 and will be moved to Hewitt (back field) since the bathrooms at the Rec Center are not functioning
 - Wednesday 6/19 will be the last Ice Cream Day for this year.
 - Vandalism report: the back shed has been kicked in and damaged. We are working with RVCPCD to resolve this issue
 - The 4th and 5th Grade Awards ceremony will be held on Tuesday 6/25 at 9:30 am - you will be notified if your child is receiving an award
 - Wed 6/26 and Thurs 6/27 are half days. Dismissal will be at 11:45 am.
 - Fri 6/28 is the last day of school. Dismissal will be at 10 am with the clap-out for the 5th graders
 - 5th grade party will be on Wed 6/26 at 7pm at the Rec Center
 - 5th grade graduation will be on Thurs 6/27 at 1:30PM at SSMS
 - Wed 6/26 at 6:30 pm will be the first Reading on the Lawn
 - Classes planned for next year
 - There will be (3) kindergarten classes planned for 71 students
 - There will be (3) 1st grade classes planned for 69 students
 - There will be (3) 2nd grade classes planned for 73 students
 - There will be (4) 3rd grade classes planned for 81 students
 - There will be (4) 4th grade classes planned for 83 students
 - There will be (3) 5th grade classes planned for 74 students
 - There will be (1) RISE1 class planned for 5 students
 - There will be (1) RISE2 class planned for 7 students
- Marleen Maccone – President’s report
 - Kindergarten orientation was a huge success. Thank you to Robin Van Praag and Michael Schwarz

- Field Day was also a huge success. Thank you to Liz Marshall, Hillary McDevitt, Mrs. Gerns and Mr. Bosch and a big thank you to RVCFD
- Social and Emotional Activities
 - PTA hosted a panel discussion
 - Focus in Spring has been on Technology
 - Digital nutrition (age appropriate boundaries, self-control, etc.)
 - Education on the ‘Wait til 8th’ pledge
 - Personal choice for families but giving the education on the benefits of waiting until 8th grade to provide children with a smartphone
 - Parent University programming – partnering with agencies to offer courses to parents with goal to increase parent involvement
- Mental Health Taskforce is being developed
- Jenkins Award presented to Christine Ferazani at the Hewitt Spring concert
- Golden Oak Award is presented to Mr. Doris at this meeting
 - presented to a Hewitt Faculty member that goes above and beyond for our school
- Treasurer’s report – Katie Rocafort for Julie Canty
 - Information as of 5/31/2019
 - Checking Balance: \$33,713.44
 - Money Market: \$8,736.86
 - Other assets: \$3,929.00
 - Total Assets: \$46,379.30
 - Income (7/1/19-5/31/19): \$88,085.17
 - Expenses: \$74,964.20
 - Net Income: \$13,120.97
 - Please submit any outstanding expenses. The PTA books close on 6/30.
- Katie Rocafort – President’s Report
 - Please reach now if you would like to be involved in our committees next year
 - For involvement in a 5th grade committee, please reach out to Kristine Iandiorio
 - Head Class Parent/ Class Parent/ Class Representative will be solicited next week (6/19 at 10 am) on MSA. Emails will be sent this week with info.
 - Info has been sent out for Parents Night Out which will be held on Thurs 6/20 8-11pm at Melissa’s Taqueria and Tequila Bar
 - School Kits Deadline has been extended to 6/21. All kits will be sent home (no school pickup)
 - Ice Cream Coupon pre-order forms sent home. Coupons will be distributed in September.
 - PTA will provide a receptacle for unused school supplies to those that wish to donate them to be used at Hewitt next year (overflow will be donated to charity).
 - Spiritwear pop-up sale on Friday 6/14 after school
 - The PTA is exploring options for online shopping
 - 1st Reading on Lawn will be held on Wed 6/26 at 6:30 PM
 - Summer Reading Triathlon info was sent home
 - Yearbooks go home this week for K-4th grades
- Additional reports
 - Tara Hackett –
 - 5th Grade Trip to Rolling River was such a huge success. Kids got a day of summer camp with activities, pizza lunch and DJ Dance Party
 - Reading of two 5th grade thank you notes
 - TY to PTA for all you do for the 5th grade

- 2018/2019 Executive Board Slate Induction by Mrs. Flanagan for Mrs. Pryke
 - Incoming Co-President: Diana Broegg
 - Advisor: Marleen Maccone
 - Corresponding Secretary: Danielle Falanga
 - Recording Secretary: Megan Reda
 - First Vice President, Head Class Parent & Staff Luncheon Coordinator: Nancy McNally
 - Second Vice President, Hewitt Fair Co-Chair: Megan Janasko
 - Third Vice President, Hewitt Fair Co-Chair: Megan Lindner
 - Delegate to Council: Dana Sanneman
 - Alternate Delegate: Brie Ellwood

- Marleen Maccone –
 - Heartfelt outgoing president’s message
 - Thank you to our exiting Executive Board members
 - Presentation of gifts to exiting e-board members

- Katie Rocafort –
 - Heartfelt thank you to Marleen Maccone for her time, dedication, and devotion as Hewitt PTA President
 - Presentation of flowers to out-going 5th grade parents
 - Coffee and refreshments available in the back

- Meeting Adjourned