

## Arleta PTA General Meeting Agenda

April 14, 6-7:30pm | Virtual via Zoom,

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6:00-6:10	Say hello, roll call, hope that technology works 😊	All
6:10-6:15	General Business	Melissa
	1. Approve minutes	
	2. Treasurer Report	Chelsea
6:15-6:30	Family resources and support	Allison List, Arleta Counselor
6:30-6:40	PTA support discussion & vote	Chelsea
6:40-7:00	Principal Update	John Horn
7:00-7:30	Questions / check in / feedback	All
7:30	Meeting adjourned	

Next Meeting is May 12<sup>th</sup>, 6pm

## Arleta PTA General Meeting Minutes

March 10, 2020  
6:05 - 7:30 PM

**\*\*NOTE:** Meeting took place prior to school closure and the events discussed are either postponed or cancelled\*\*

**Approval of Minutes:** Carrie motioned to approve the minutes of February 11, 2020, and Jen seconded. They were approved.

**Treasurer Report:** Sent by Chelsea. There are some checks that haven't cleared from the previous month, but otherwise, we are on track for the year. Bottle drive made \$500 so far.

**Run for the Arts:** Friday, April 10, with a back up day of April 17. Pledge forms were sent home. The money goes toward visual and musical arts projects in our school, such as a puppet show made by Kinders and weavings made by the whole school. Teachers agree on the projects. Theater is an option, too. We need to make it a priority to use these funds, as there is a bank of \$30,000 waiting to be spent.

**SUN Program:** Curtis Scott and June Carter with Portland Parks and Recreation discussed the SUN (Schools Uniting Neighborhoods) Program at Arleta. The idea is to have activities happening in school when it would normally be vacant. It is intended for both children and adults, whatever is needed by the community. Multnomah County is the principal agent. 90 schools are served by SUN.

He talked about the lack of stability with Arleta SUN. Parks lost 70 positions, and that's why we lost Megan Grillo last year. Sadie Atwell is our current SUN site manager.

They are looking at a better registration process for Arleta. There will be a registration night, with forms for parents to complete. They will be processed before classes begin.

The focus with SUN is to target young kids who are falling behind on academics. SUN is not child care. It is intended to work hand-in-hand with the school administration. Take suggestions to Sadie or June.

Is SUN going to start charging for classes at Arleta? The answer right now is No. We are a 100% supported school.

Is there a procedure for when students who are not enrolled in SUN are at the school causing disruptions? Yes. They have radios, and they radio the leader.

SUN has some volunteer needs. When students transition from one place to another, it's a challenge to make sure students end up in the proper place. There are other programs on the playground after school, and students don't always hear or pay attention when called. Serving supper is another area where they can use volunteers, so instructors have more time with students. Having a parent volunteer in class is helpful, too.

Summer SUN program will be available for sign ups in early May.

There is a family night for SUN program on March 20. Come see what SUN students have been working on!

**Spring Thing Fundraiser:** We will start promoting it more soon. It takes place April 26 from 4-7 at Hallowed Halls. We welcome new ideas. We need donations of bottles of wine and auction items. There will be discounted tickets for teachers: \$15 instead of \$20.

**Principal Update:** There are going to be staff changes. Jo Little isn't coming back. We have an opening for a 1.0 position in counselling. All 4-5 classrooms will become blends next year, for at least two years. It is programmatic, not due to space, although it helps with that, too. We will have five 4-5 blends. Amy Lumbreras will teach 6th grade Language Arts and Social Studies, and Tony Clouse will teach 6th grade math and science. Jackie Bidney and Eric Flagel will teach 4-5 blended classrooms. Jessica Doyle is our SES for 3-5 classroom. She will teach with the 4-5 blended team next year. Laura Bullard and Kyle Cooke will teach 4-5 as well.

We will continue to have three Kindergarten rooms, three 1st grades, and we will have three 2nd grades. Adora Arias will be one of the 2nd grade teachers. Miss Mendels is on leave, and she may or may not come back. We have a 0.5 7-8 math position available, a 0.5 drama position available, a 0.5 PE position, a 0.5 language arts / social studies (7-8) position available.

Pam Wilson will fill in for John Horn while he is out for the week after Spring Break.

**Coronavirus:** For latest PPS info on Coronavirus, visit <https://www.pps.net/coronavirus>. In the lunch room, there are two hand sanitizer stations flanking one set of doors, and Britt is spraying hands as students enter the far door. Students are being encouraged to wash hands frequently, like after using school Chromebooks.

We have 3-4 unfilled substitute positions per day. There is a lack of substitutes district wide. It has an impact on our ability to get the work done.

What happens when we run out of hand sanitizer? The kind we put in our dispenser is readily available. It's the small bottles that may run out. If anyone can donate hand sanitizer, 60% or higher alcohol content. We may need more disinfectant wipes, too.

There is a task force who meets daily.

### **Upcoming Events:**

***Note:*** We need volunteers for the clothing closet, March 12. Contact the PTA if you can help.

***Another note:*** Please come to Spring Spruce Up if you can on March 14! Make the school clean and pretty!

Mar. 11: DINE-OUT at Char Pizza | 4-10pm

Mar. 12: Volunteer Day at PTA Clothing Closet

Mar. 13: Kinder School Tour | 8:30am

Mar. 13: FREE Family Movie Night | 6pm - FROZEN II

Mar. 14: Spring Spruce Up of Arleta Grounds | 9am-1pm

Mar. 17: Garden Club Meeting | 7pm in the Library

Mar. 27: DINE-OUT at Fried Egg I'm in Love | 8am-4pm

April 6: DINE-OUT at Off the Griddle

April 10: Run for the Arts

April 26: SAVE THE DATE - Spring Thing: Grown-ups only (FUN)draiser for Arleta | 4-7pm

**Staff Appreciation**: In May, there will be 2-3 potlucks, and other fun stuff, like teacher bingo and raffles. There will be massages for teachers! Reach out to Erin if you can help.

Meeting adjourned at 7:30 PM.

The next general meeting of Arleta PTA will be April 14, 2020.

Attachments: A: Sign-in sheet

Approved as Written - or Amended

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President

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Secretary