

THE CO-OP PIESCHOOL

PARENT BOARD MONTHLY MINUTES Thursday, May 9, 2019

Present:

Kate Gerlesits, Chair Josy Weyers, Financial Advisor Robyn Pike, Co-Treasurer Kate Wise, Purchasing Niki Tinnon, Housekeeping Anne Luzeniecki, Housekeeping Michelle Bauman, Director Kecia Waldschmidt, Fundraising Stephanie Ito, Past Chair Liz Brezinski, Public Relations Denise Dabisch, Vice Chair

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Additional attendees: Carmen Mugnolo, CPA for The Co-Op

Absent:

Samantha Hartmann, Secretary Carrie Khoury, Fundraising Teri Wedel, Co-Treasurer Teri Hatfield, Purchasing samantha.g.hartmann@gmail.com carrie.khoury@gmail.com twedel@gmail.com terisolarz@gmail.com

Meeting called to order at 12:34 PM

I. Approval of Minutes

- a. April 2019 minutes were approved via email (@Sam to confirm)
- b. @ Liz- March & April still need to be posted to website & FB page. And May once finalized, and Board approved.

II. Parents Forum

a. No updates

III. Annual Reports and Tasks Calendar

- a. Monthly Fed Tax & IL Tax done
- b. IL Unemployment- done

IV. Treasurer Report

a. No update

V. Financial Advisor Report

a. EoY funds- still waiting for some May bills to clear but should finish off the year with positive ~\$7,000.

- i. It is suggested that EoY funds got toward one-time purchases (i.e. toys, books, equipment). These funds are at the discretion of the Director with input from the Board.
- b. Budget Audit for 2019-2020 school year- scheduled for Wed, July 17th @ 7 PM @ Josy's house. Executive Committee (current and future) will be asked to attend.
- c. Carmen Mugnolo, CPA- introduced himself to the Board

VI. Housekeeping

a. No update

VII. Purchasing

a. No update

VIII. Fundraising

- a. Potbelly check finally arrived \$44
- b. Suggested El Famous Burrito fundraiser opportunity. Also suggested to combine with park playdate on June 11. @ Kecia to coordinate
- c. DQ fundraiser schedule on last of school (5/15)

IX. Director's Report

- a. Sarah Petiprin (PreK) not coming back next year.
 - i. She will be available to sub next year when she can.
 - ii. Michelle currently in process for hiring replacement.
- b. Summer Dates
 - i. June 11: Park Date 10 am noon @ Commons Park
 - ii. August 22: Orientation Night @ 6 PM @ Co-Op Hatfield Hall
 - iii. August 29: Class Drop In 10 am noon @ Co-Op Classrooms

X. Old Business

- a. By Laws, Policies & Procedures, docs approved over email, officially approved 5/9/19
- b. @ Kate to get all these new documents uploaded to the Google drive docs. And work with Liz to get docs in email account (see below)
- c. @ Liz- set up generic email account for board (i.e. coopboard@gmail.com)

XI. New Business

- a. End of Year Board Party- options May 24, May 30, June 6, June 7 @ Kate to email options to everyone (doodle poll)
- b. @ Niki to make photo booth for 2019-2020 first day of school
- c. Suggested 2019-2020 monthly email from the Director to families- upcoming events, housekeeping link, committee contacts, etc
- d. Lilac Parade- low sign-up this year but going to keep walking, considered good advertising.

Upcoming Events

May 9 – Bricks Lombard Fundraiser May 10- Mother's Day Program

May 15- Last Day of School

May 15- DQ fundraiser

Next Board Meeting

Tuesday, August 6th @ 7 PM @ Co-Op

Meeting adjourned at 1:21 PM