



**CRPTO General Board Meeting**

April 18, 2018

Meeting called to order at approximately 9:00 a.m. by Carly Parkhill, CRPTO EVP.

**CRPTO Board Members Present:**

**Excused Absence:**

Jennifer Wetzler, President	Kay Rodgers, Volunteer Coordinator
Nikki Forman, Secretary	Karla Clay, Co Asst. Treasurer
April McCracken, VP Communications	Starr Christ, Treasurer
Carly Parkhill, EVP	Marnee Medress, Asst. Treasurer
Stephanie Halvorson, VP Events	Jenny Shorr, VP Membership
Andrea Behmer, VP Fundraising	
Aimee Nordini, VP, Campus Support	<b>Special Guests:</b>
Rochelle Gabriel, Past President	Mrs. Slover, Principal
	Ms. Waldron, Asst. Principal
	Mrs. Rand, Dean of Students
	Officer Mitchell, SRO
	Scottsdale P.D. Kinder

## **Welcome**

Carly Parkhill, EVP, welcomed everyone to the meeting.

## **Principal Update:**

Mrs. Slover stated we are halfway through the testing season. The testing is going very well. She is very proud of how the kids are taking their time and doing their best. She said placement information for Math for 5th, 6th, and 7<sup>th</sup> graders will be coming out soon.

She discussed the letter that came from district concerning teacher walk outs. She is not anticipating this to happen at Copper Ridge at this time but will keep parents informed as she receives more information. If it were to happen they would make decisions regarding the school day and inform parents as soon as possible.

## **Safety at CRS:**

Mrs. Slover invited our SRO Officer Mitchell and Scottsdale Police Department Detective Kinder to discuss safety at Copper Ridge. Both Officer Mitchell and P.D. Kinder stated how impressed they were with how secure our campus is and said we should feel proud of how concerned our administrators are with safety at CRS. Our very own Ms. Jen Waldron is one of the most knowledgeable administrators on the topic of security. Our staff has been very well trained on what to do in case of an emergency and they have practiced drills that are in place to keep everyone on campus safe. Through ESF, our CRPTO has funded the office remodel, which included building walls and doors that lock so that access to the school is blocked, the Ident-A-kid system that scans all visitor's licenses, purchased security cameras throughout campus, and provides security at our school carnival. More security measures at CRS are going to be met through district as well; in the coming years such as a remodel of the front office, a one touch button that calls a lockdown, etc. CRPTO will continue to work with Mrs. Slover to help fund improved security at Copper Ridge.

P.D. Kinder discussed the incident surrounding Art and Garden night. He stated that what happened at Copper Ridge has nothing to do with why the individual is being investigated. The individual was at Art and Garden night and had a legitimate reason to be at CRS, although the individual was not in the right frame of mind. He was made to leave due to parents noticing odd behavior and reporting it to our security officer. Later in the night the individual was taken into custody, which had nothing to do with him being on campus earlier. The individual has since been given a No Trespassing Order and is no longer allowed on our campus.

There are no firearms allowed on campus except for police officers. Students and parents are encouraged to always speak up when there is a concern. Because our parents spoke up and reported the individuals' odd behavior he was escorted off campus. Kudos to the parents who reported this to our security officer.

Mrs. Slover, Officer Mitchell, and P.D. Kinder led over an hour-long discussion on these topics and we are very appreciative of their time and attention to this matter.

## **Teacher Appreciation Week:**

Teacher Appreciation Week is April 30<sup>th</sup>. Please be on the lookout for information from your Room Mom regarding activities that week. Staff Appreciation Lunch is May 2. Please sign up on the Sign-Up Genius if you are able to help. We are in need of volunteers and gift card donations. Please help us make this a wonderful week for our staff.

<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0e49a4ae2ea4f94-teacher>

### **Rae and Pretty Please Shopping Event**

Our last shopping event of the year will be at Rae and Pretty Please Boutiques on Tuesday, April 24<sup>th</sup> from 10:00 am-7:00 pm. 20% of proceeds will go back to CRPTO. Grab a friend and come to Rae and Pretty Please for some fun mingling and shopping!

### **Step Up to the Tee:**

Thank you to Dawn and her team for doing such an amazing job at our Spring fundraiser! It was a beautiful breezy night and fun was had by all that attended, including our dancing teachers! There are still a few auction items available. Please contact [president@crpto.com](mailto:president@crpto.com)

### **CRPTO Positions**

There are open Committee and Board positions for 2018. Please contact Carly Parkhill if you are interested in joining at [evp@crpto.com](mailto:evp@crpto.com)

### **Spirit Wear FIRE SALE:**

Spirit wear is on SALE! Spirit Wear Storefront will be open Thursday, April 19<sup>th</sup> and 26<sup>th</sup> from 8:15 – 9:00 am. You can also email [spriritwear@crpto.com](mailto:spriritwear@crpto.com) to make a purchase.

**NEXT PTO MEETING IS May 9th at 9:00 AM. PLEASE COME AND BRING A FRIEND!**

### **APRIL**

- 19 – Spirit Wear Storefront OPEN 8:15-9:00 am
- 24 – Rae/Pretty Please Shopping Event 10:00am-7:00 pm, 20% of proceeds go back to CRS
- 25 – Administrative Professionals Day!
- 30- Teacher Appreciation Week Begins

### **MAY**

- 1 – Principal's Day
- 1 – 4 – Teacher Appreciation Week Continues
- 2 – Early Release at 1:15 pm
- 2 – Staff Appreciation Lunch
- 6-12 – National Nurses Week
- 9 – **Last CRPTO Meeting 9:00 am Room 608**
- 17– STEM Showcase
- 17 – AR Celebration 1:30-2:30 pm
- 18 – 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Promotion Party 7:00-10:00 pm The Club at DC Ranch
- 21 – 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Main Event Trip
- 23 – 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Movin' On Up Party
- 23 – 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Ceremony and Rehearsal
- 24 – 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Promotion Breakfast, Promotion Party at 12pm
- 24 – **LAST DAY OF SCHOOL EARLY RELEASE AT 1:15 PM**

Minutes submitted by:

**Nikki Forman**

Nikki Forman, 2017-18 CRPTO Secretary

Approved by:

**Jennifer Wetzler**

Jennifer Wetzler, 2017-18 CRPTO President