

Lunenburg PTO

May 8, 2017

In Attendance: Sherry Nolan, Meredith Weiss, Ami Powers, Alix Lind, Maribeth Ford, Lisa Stone, Karen C. Chow, Jessica Frank, Vi-Anne Brown, Corinne Jones, Sarah Call, Lisa Harrison, Allison Melvin

I. Karen Chow made a motion to approve the meeting minutes from April 2017. Jessica Frank seconded the motion, all in attendance approved.

II. 2017-2018 election results:

PRESIDENT: Karen Chow (nominated by Lisa Stone, nomination seconded by Maribeth Ford).

VICE-PRESIDENT: Jessica Frank (nominated by Lisa Stone, nomination seconded by Maribeth Ford).

SECRETARY: Allison Melvin (nominated by Maribeth Ford, nomination seconded by Jessica Frank).

TREASURER: Open

FUNDRAISING: Sarah Call and Corinne Jones (nominated by Karen Chow, nomination seconded by Lisa Stone).

MEMBERSHIP: Open

SCHOOL & COMMUNITY: Ami Powers (nominated by Jessica Frank, nomination seconded by Karen Chow).

PUBLICITY: Sherry Nolan (nominated by Karen Chow, nomination seconded by Jessica Frank).

HEALTH & AWARENESS: Open

CULTURAL ENRICHMENT: Open

Many of these board positions have been filled by the same person for more than one year. Some members are looking for this upcoming school year to be their last in the position. To have the PTO continue to run successfully new members need to become more involved and fill board positions. Karen will draw up a letter to send to the PTO membership describing this issue, which will hopefully encourage members to get more involved. Karen and Jess will discuss this matter at length with Superintendent Calms.

If more involvement doesn't occur by Fall 2017 serious discussions of what direction the current PTO will go. Suggestions of a smaller K-5 PTO or completely dissolve the organization. With the idea of continuing MFM as a separate entity.

MILES FOR MILES: 16th annual!

*Currently on track for what needs to be accomplished in May.

*Next item to do review flyers and (revamped) donation letter which will go out in June.

*Continue with the same shirt company and keep race fee's the same.

*Sherry will set up a MFM Facebook group

*Sarah will send out email about the first meeting May 22nd, 7:30 at the library.

(MFM cont.)

*Push the idea to principals to amp up the school challenge.

*Possibility of HS sport team challenge.

*Add face paint? Games? Food trucks?

SUMMER MOVIES: Host one on a Friday and one on a Saturday. Dates TBD.

TEACHER APPRECIATION: Breakfast foods served at each school on dates selected by school principals.
(LPS 5/2, THES 5/23, LMHS 5/23)

BUS DRIVER APPRECIATION: Gift cards to be handed out at a later day.

OPERATING BUDGET: Lisa Harrison went over the current operating budget and the one recommended for FY 2018. It was suggested to raise it by \$5,000. Karen Chow made a motion to raise the fy2018 operating budget by \$5,000, Sherry Nolan seconded the motion. All present agreed.

NEXT MEETING JUNE 5th