

DELANCO PTO
MINUTES OF April 9, 2018 MEETING

The meeting was called to order by President Cathryn Plum at 7:34 p.m.. There were 12 members in attendance.

Secretary's Report: Secretary Wendy Flanigan presented the March Meeting Minutes for circulation to the members. Minutes are also available on DelancoPTO.org under "News". The attendance sheet was also circulated. Sign-up sheets for various events are on the front table.

Treasurer's Report: Treasurer Kristin Atkinson presented the Treasurer's report for circulation to the members. The balance as of today is \$15,748.98, which is \$8,019.00 in Checking and \$7,729.98 in Gaming. Paid for almost all of the class trips at this time.

OLD BUSINESS

Chick-fil-A Spirit Night: Wednesday, March 21st at 5-8pm – Delran CFA. Cancelled because of snow.

Trenton Thunder: Liz Rottinger. Friday, April 6th. \$11/ticket includes giveaway and students sing Take Me Out to the Ballgame during the 7th inning stretch. 102 tickets sold. This event is during our Spring Break this year. Kids sang. Fun time.

NEW BUSINESS

Spring Fundraiser: Brandi Mochernuk is chairing. Pick-up will be April 12th at 3-4 p.m. & 6-7 p.m. Volunteers Needed. \$2, 805.13 earned. Most from Mixed Bags.

Skating Party: Sunday, April 29th, 5:30-7:30pm, Holiday Skating.

Admin Assistants' Day: Wed, 4/25. We're having flowers sent to Denise, Brenda and the BOE office.

Chick-fil-A Spirit Night: Wednesday, April 25th at 5-8pm – Delran CFA. (Last One) Will try to do the summer one again.

Spring Luau Dance: Shane Lilliston. Friday, May 4th, 7:00-8:30pm, Pearson All-Purpose Room for Pearson students and "Someone Special". 6:00pm set up. Flyers will come home to Pearson students at the end of this week. We will have song requests on the order forms in order to suggest more kid-friendly music.

Teacher Appreciation Week: 5/7-5/11, gift from PTO will be delivered on Tuesday or Wednesday to the teachers and staff. Snack baskets will be delivered to both schools for the teachers on Monday, May 7th. Taco Bar Lunch will be provided to Walnut on Tuesday and Pearson on Thursday.

Other:

Sherry Layman asked whether the school can wear jerseys on April 12th in support of the Canadian Hockey players that died.

WSMS Drama Club presents: "Murder at the Goon Show" – Friday, 4/27, 7-10 pm, \$5 at the door, and doors open at 6:45.

Spring Band and Choral Concert: Wednesday May 16 at 7 p.m..

8th grade dance is June 1st.

8th grade trip is June 15th.

OTHER BUSINESS

Mr. Mersinger: Thank the PTO for the moral support and financial support. Report Cards coming home Friday. PARCC Spirit Week next week. Drastically different from before. Parent Teacher conferences 4/18-4/20. May 11th Hello/Goodbye Dance for 5th -8th grade. Calendar changes due to snow days. Some parents were upset the days were not taken during Spring Break. But it was too close to suddenly add those days back in. May is now filled with school days. BOE Meeting was successful. Not much discussion except for the budget. Only 4 members of the public. Was a question of the Library sign. Sign for district will be digital. Budget is still in preliminary approval state with the county at this time. Budget presentation is May 9th.

Ms. Noble: Absent

Mr. Conti: Absent

Other: Green & White week for WSS may be held June 11th to 14th.

The PTO asked whether we can look into Garden State Transportation to bus the students to their field trips. Since we are paying so much for the trips, we would like the kids to be able to have the time to experience the trips and not have an off the bus/on the bus experience.

Question about the Safety trip. Can the kids stay at Great Adventure if the parent is there and they sign a waiver that they are taking their child home?

PTO Luncheon and the 8th grade breakfast will be 6/22. Last Day for students.

Upcoming Events:

Chick-fil-A Spirit Night - Delran CFA	Wed., April 25 at 5-8pm
Skating Party – Holiday Skating Rink	Sun., Apr. 29 at 5:30-7:30pm
Luau Dance – Pearson All Purpose Room	Fri., May 4 at 7-8:30pm
Teacher Appreciation Week	Mon., May 7 – Fri., May 11
BOE Meeting - Pearson All Purpose Room	Wed., May 9 at 7:00 pm
PTO Meeting - Pearson All Purpose Room	Mon., May 14 at 7:30 pm

The next PTO Meeting will be Monday, May 14, 2018 at 7:30pm in the Pearson Conference Room.

A motion to approve the Treasurer’s report was made by Sherry Layman and seconded by Liz Rottinger. A motion to approve the Secretary's report was made by Tammy Hutchinson and seconded by Liz Bartlett.

A motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Jackie Balliet and seconded by Ann Marie O'Malley. The meeting was adjourned at 8:03 p.m.

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