

**WREDLING PTO MEETING**  
**February 11, 2019**  
**Minutes**

**Meeting Attendees:** Lidia Granger, David Jones, Tim Loversky, Jennifer Brosnan-Flores, Lisa Rudd, Kate Bell, Kristin Louis and Janet Ramos

**I. Call to Order** **Lidia Granger**

Meeting called to order by Lidia Granger at 7:01PM

**II. Approval of Minutes** **Jennifer Gaertner**

Approval of 1-7-2019 minutes are delayed until 3-4-2019 meeting

**III. Treasurer's Report** **David Jones**

- Summer Activities Fair has brought-in \$3,832.44 to date
- There was a \$500 donation last month
- Current Bank Balance (not surplus): \$51,000

**IV. President's Report** **Jennifer Gaertner**

No updates

**V. Vice-President's Report** **Lidia Granger**

Many of our committee chairs and volunteers are 8<sup>th</sup> grade parents that are moving on to High School next year. Please begin networking and reaching out to potential committee chairs.

**VI. Teacher/Guest Comments**

None

**VII. Principal's Report** **Tim Loversky, Principal**

- Backpacks and sling bags tend to become a space issue in classrooms. Wredling staff is evaluating the option of providing school-approved sling bags for next year with the goal of reducing larger backpacks and sling bags in the classroom. This would co-inside with instruction to the students on how to reduce the quantity of items carried around. It is estimated that sling-bags would cost about \$2/bag.

**VIII. Committee Reports**

**A. Box Tops** **Danielle Jones**

No updates

**B. Color Run** **Kate Bell**

No updates

**C. Communications** **Cheryl Greenspan**

- Kane County Cougars Event has been set for Sunday, May 26, 2019

- Tickets will be offered to Wredling Family and Friends for \$7.00/ticket in the block that is reserved for Wredling.
- Children 3-10 can receive free drinks and food.
- This is a Fireworks night at the Kane County Cougars Park
- Parking for Kane County Cougars Games is \$10/vehicle
- Work has begun on the New Volunteers Registration Form for next school year.

**D. District PTO Rep**

**Lori Laraia**

No updates

**E. 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Celebration**

**Kristin Louis, Kate Bell, Janit Ramos**

No updates

**F. Lobby Beautification**

**Tiffany Cassata**

No updates

**G. Materials Pick-up**

**Kristin Louis, Brenda Szerlong**

No updates

**H. MYStage Fundraiser**

**Tonya Ditsworth**

No updates

**I. Papa Nicholas Coffee Fundraiser**

**Brenda Szerlong, Debbie Wright**

No updates

**J. Red Shirt Volunteers**

**Aubrey Tripplett**

No updates

**K. STC Education Foundation**

**Kelly Rotella**

No updates

**L. Staff Appreciation**

**Janit Ramos, Justine Detzel**

Committee members requested a budget increase of \$500.00.

Lisa Rudd motioned to approve, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Kate Bell, increase of \$500.00 for Staff Appreciation approved.

**M. Student Recognition**

**Shellei Vosburgh**

No updates

**N. Sponsors**

**Cheryl Greenspan**

No updates

**O. Summer Activities Fair**

**Cheryl Greenspan, Jayme Muenz**

No updates

**P. Wredling Wear**

**Brenda Szerlong**

No updates

**IX. Old Business**

Requests from staff for PTO donations totaling \$22,908 motion to approve by Cheryl Greenspan, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Janit Ramos, donations approved.

Please see attached spreadsheet for a detailed explanation of donations the PTO is pleased to be providing Wredling Middle School for the 2018/2019 school year. The total budget is approved however, in some cases Mr. Loversky will be able to provide savings by purchasing the items through school channels.

**X. New Business**

none

**XII. Adjourn**

Lidia Granger motions to adjourn, Cheryl Greenspan 2<sup>nd</sup>, meeting adjourned at 8:06PM.