September 22, 2022

6:00pm

Tara Davis and Kristen Fallen, Co-Presidents

Amber Neal, Recording Secretary

Tracey Post, VP of Ways and Means

Lindsey Partington, Corresponding Secretary

Laura Seidel, VP of Membership

Kelly Lange, Treasurer

Jenny Livingston, Historian

1. Introductions
2. Review of last meeting minutes-motioned by Mandy Palmer and seconded by Kelly Lange
   1. change in Yard Sign discount- 50% to 15%
3. Officer Check-In:
   1. Tara and Kristen- Co-President
      1. change in December meeting date (12/15 to 12/1) due to Dr. Kimbrel’s visit
   2. Laura- VP of Membership
      1. Giveaway information: Next Friday, everyone signed up by Sept 30th will be entered into the Yard Signs give-away drawing.
      2. We have 95 paid members: 31 staff, 5 family/staff, 59 family
      3. District PTA meeting:
         1. Clothing Center really needs help!! They hold a shopping event on Tuesdays. Tara Davis to get more information regarding volunteering at the clothing center. The link will be in the Parent Newsletter.
         2. PTA grant deadlines are coming up soon
         3. Next district PTA meeting is Oct 20th in the morning
      4. Subway is having a national contest to cater lunch for staff at schools. Top 2022 schools get a free catering event. You can vote 1x/day until Sept 30th. Go to cateringforeducators.com and submit 1 entry per day.
   3. Tracey- VP of Ways and Means
      1. Great turnout for Papa John’s Night- $209.63.
         1. The next one is December 1st.
      2. Upcoming events:
         1. Parents Night Out: December 9, 2022; 6:00-9:00pm
            1. Planning to see what the response is from parents/teachers to see how many staff members or A+ members are needing to run this event.
         2. Minsky’s Food Night: gives 20% of the entire day (open-close) for dining in and carryout if Renner PTA is mentioned. November 1, 2022—Looking to change from the 1st through the 7th
         3. River Roll- second semester event
         4. Next Papa John’s Night- December 1st
         5. Amazon Smile—instructions will be going out next Monday. Gives 0.05% of purchases to Renner PTA.
   4. Lindsey- Corresponding Secretary
      1. If you’re not following Renner PTA on Instagram or Facebook, you should!
      2. Staff birthdays: Will combine Aug/Sept birthdays in the next few weeks
   5. Amber- Recording Secretary—no updates
   6. Jenny- Historian
      1. Collecting pictures, will get with Lindsey to see how to post/display
   7. Kelly- Treasurer
      1. vote on budget –motioned by Kristen Fallen and seconded Mrs. Kalis
         1. $14,668—approx current balance
         2. Due to COVID, some restrictions caused money to be re-allocated to other funds. We can always vote to re-allocate funds throughout the year with a vote from the members.
      2. Annual Financial Review Committee volunteers by December 1. We have 3 volunteers, right now.
4. Committee Updates
   1. Class Parties:
      1. Tracy and Lindsey will discuss and establish a plan. Will have a SignUp Genius to PTA members first, then to the school.
         1. Parents will need to sign-in at the kiosk with their IDs. Mrs. Kalis has a plan in place with volunteers/attendees and more information to be provided later.
         2. The party will be October 28th from 1:45pm-2:45pm
         3. No costumes
   2. Homecoming Parade:
      1. we have 10 kids to walk so far. Lindsey will send out a reminder to sign-up.
   3. Renner Role Models:
      1. Trying to get more parents/family members involved. You DO have to be a volunteer and complete associated paperwork/background check.
5. Principal’s Update
   1. Renner Fundraiser is going on now. Will use this money for field trips, grade-level shirts (to wear on early release days and field trips), and supplies. Flat donations are also welcome directly to Renner via check.
   2. Substitutes: provided feedback about how great Renner students have behaved!
   3. Clubs: most started this week. Recycling Club begins Oct 3rd
   4. ID change: now asking guests to show their IDs at the cameras outside versus inside the building. Look for this change next time you’re coming into the building as a visitor/volunteer.
   5. Early Release: Oct 5th. Kids will be doing activities with their Marathon Groups
      1. Marathon Groups are groups of 11-14 kids (siblings are placed together). They go with another teacher in the building and do activities using the curiosity theme or may be community service based activities.
   6. Different events:
      1. Literacy Night: Oct 18th 5:30-6:30pm. Volunteer Packets are coming!
      2. Fall Party: Oct 28th. No costumes, just fall- themed fun!
      3. Book Fair: end of October through Parent-Teacher Conferences.
6. Adjournment

Upcoming Events:

* October 4, 2022- McTeacher Night; 4:00-8:00pm
* October 5, 2022- Early Release; 1:05pm dismissal
* October 7, 2022- Picture Day
* October 20, 2022- End of First Quarter
* October 20, 2022- PTA Meeting; 6:00-7:00pm
* October 21, 2022- Teacher Work Day; No School