

Minutes - PA Meeting 2/24/16 (Submitted by Lynne Yeamans)

Minutes from last meeting approved

President's Report - Indira

- Book fair coming up, 2/29-3/4. Need volunteers. Monday set-up. Need flyer and sign up sheet. Want proceeds in cash as opposed to Scholastic dollars?
- Valentine's Baskets made \$134
- School w/ Love hearts made over \$200. Try to sell more during Family Fun Day
- Indira took President's Council seminar on leadership 2/25.
- Ask Val to show report of any electronic funds donated.
- We earned \$84 through Amazon last month.

Treasurer's Report - Liz

- Review report.
- Liz and Indira worked up a mid-year Financial Report, which was requested by Mary. Liz will share with ~~get~~ the group at the next meeting.
- Restitution money from Dafina is making up for the small profit earned by gift card fundraiser.
- Should we do the Springtime Catalog Sale? It is low-maintenance. Indira to contact catalog company.

Border Crossers - Lavita

- Border Crossers parent workshop scheduled for April 2, 2016.
- How to have conversation w/ your kids about unconscious bias and race.
- Workshop from 10-12:00. Need permit for 9:00am-1:00pm. For 50 people.
- Cost = \$800.

Garden Grant - Liz

- We received a Grow to Learn grant for \$1500.
- Use to rebuild beds in corner by clock tower and acquire grow lights.
- Use for gardening curriculum for science teachers.
- We will be hosting other schools for a Grow to Learn Workshop about outdoor classroom gardening. We will get to keep the benches built.

Summer Slide

- Need a follow-up from administration to determine if we should fund again this year
- Otherwise do a book drive for high quality books.
- How many books were given out and to whom?
- How many books were returned?
- Did those books then go into classrooms rather than back into the summer slide program?
- What was teacher feedback?
- Did reading levels slide or did it help?

New Clubs - Liz

- Approved budget item \$6000 for new school programs.
- Been difficult to get off the ground - Need to hire floater teacher. // MTG ADJOURNED