

TAOTS PTO
General Meeting Minutes
Thursday - April 20, 2017
Auditorium – 6:30 p.m
Minutes recorded by Anna Messina

- I. Call to order 6:53 p.m. by Co-Presidents Leslie Tulumello and Sandy Chum-Wu

- II. **President's Report:**
 - **Gala** - PTO is proud & excited about the results of the Gala earnings. Profits were around \$27,000.
 - **Nomination Committee** - Committee members Inga Smolyar and Robert HuDock will be handling nominations and elections. Nomination slips will be going home very soon. Nominations will also be taken from the floor. Anyone running will need to fill out a Willingness to Serve form. Nominations will be returned to school in a sealed envelope and will not be handled by the PTO.
 - **New uniform option through Land's End** - access the Land's End website through the school website or the PTO website. Register each child separately. Land's End has a great return policy even if an item was customized. Sign up for emails on the site and look for sales (50% off sometime in the summer months).
 - **Gently Used Book Sale** – start gathering books appropriate for kids in K-5th grade.
 - **Audit Committee** – Committee members Ana Leon-Roche and Aleksandra Luchyik. Committee will be provided with a checklist and will begin working soon and findings will be reported at the May PTO meeting.

- III. **Treasurer's Report:** presented by Irina Furmanskaya
 - Financial report made available for review and open for questions.
 - Fund balance as of 3/31 was \$85,577.32

- IV. **Principal's Report** (Sandro Grancaric, AP)
 - Many thanks to the PTO for a wonderful Gala. It was a very special event for our school.
 - Math State exams are ahead at the beginning of May.
 - Upcoming Kindergarten and 5th Grade graduations to look forward to.
 - Administration and staff are committed and focused on helping students be successful through the end of the school year.

- V. **Fundraising Update**
 - Box Tops fundraiser was a great success. \$682 collected.
 - April Movie Night – April 28th. Vote for Moana or Zootopia.

VI. Upcoming Events – Volunteers Needed

- April 28th - Movie Night –to benefit Kindergarten graduation
- May 1 - Teacher Appreciation Luncheon
- May 12 - Plant Sale
- Week of May 22 – Relay for Life Fundraisers – funds earned this week will go directly to Pediatric Cancer
- May/June – Chipotle and Paint Night to benefit Relay for Life
- June 2– Gently Used Book Sale
- Tentative –Carnival (6/27) and “Adventurers” Night (6/28)

VII. T-Shirt contest - submit designs to be voted on. Must be submitted by a parent and must meet the criteria listed on the notice sent home.

VIII. Pilo Arts Raffle won by Courtney Scott.

IX. Meeting adjourned at 7:25pm.