

Center Street PTO Meeting Minutes
May 7, 2019 6:30 PM
HHDS District Student Services Center

We opened the meeting by voting to approve additional funds for staff appreciation. Denise Trondson, Melissa Yearick and Melanie Peden all approved.

Principal's Report:

Last month along with this month was NYS Testing and we are thankful for the snacks the PTO purchased for each of our students. It was greatly appreciated!

Our Art Show is up in running. We want to encourage families to go and check it out at the Arnot Mall. We have so much to be proud of. Our students under the leadership of Mrs. Klossner has created some amazing works of art.

Holly Hamilton, our music teacher, created a wonderful video for a contest that was shared with us – “Say Something!” by Scholastics. It is a delight and the students did an awesome job. We shared it out with our SBT members at our last meeting.

Our Pep Rally for the NYS Math Tests was amazing and our students loved it once again. We had some of our HS Marching Band members and cheerleaders come over to help encourage our students before taking the test the next day.

Coming up this month – our Spring Concert, K Orientation and our Memorial Day outreach by the Student Council.

Site Base Team Updates

- We are discussing our next year's theme and focus along with our thematic book selection for next year.
- We discussed having a summer PTO rep for Site Base meetings on July 9th from 10-3 and July 15th (Melanie Peden can attend as rep) from 8-1.
- Slime Time and Visiting Former Teachers student bills: both bills were vetoed and currently working on 2 new proposals.
- Brainstorming ideas to fill the display case by the bus entrance. There is a possibility of book recommendations or project fair projects.

District Parent Council Report:

(meeting was 05/01/2019) Melanie Peden as rep

- May 2019 district calendar is getting ready to be approved.
- School Budget Update
- Bids for the Capital Project are in negotiations. Some over-bids will be causing some construction to be delayed over the summer.

- Discussions of renting out off site parking spaces to students at GCP plaza.
- Doing away with the Treasures program as it no longer meets the academic requirements of NYS.

Treasurer's Report:

Denise Trondsen reported out on balance, expenses and incomes for Center Street for April 2019

New/Ongoing business:

Our upcoming Fun Run to benefit Juvenile Diabetes will be on Friday May 10, 2019. Registration begins at 6 PM. Volunteers will report at 5 for course set up and registration table organization.

- Spring clothing sale
- CS K orientation will be May 17th, 2019
- Scholastic bookfair volunteers needed
- 2019-2020 Chairpersons needed for some activities.

The next meeting will be Tuesday June 4th, 2019 at 6:30 PM at the HHDS Central School District Student Services Center.