



**Parent Association Meeting Minutes
March 8, 2018
9am - 10:30am
Mt. Nebo Campus Student Union**

I. Meeting Called to Order

- * The meeting was called to order by Shawna Haynes.
- * Tom Hughes opened us in prayer.
- * The following were in attendance: Tom Hughes, Shawna Haynes, Vicki Bonzo, Tracy Jennings, Angie Nacey, Kathy Chopp, Christine Kaniecki, Jenna LoDico

II. Budget - Jenna LoDico

- * Current balance of funds is \$1600. This reflects a \$677 purchase made by Jodi Fleishman for additional spirit wear, \$100 spent on teacher treasure gifts, and an addition of \$35 in spirit wear sales.
- * Changes to the budget over the next 2 months may include funds coming in from the current spirit wear sale, minimal expenses for seniors as we head into graduation, as well as the donut purchase for the Elementary Skating Social.

III. Berkeley Hills Update

- * No report given. Confirmed that the Teacher Appreciation Luncheon will take place Thursday, April 19th.

IV. Wexford Update

- * No report given. Confirmed that the Teacher Appreciation Luncheon will take place Wednesday, March 21st. E-mail to homeroom parents to be sent.

V. Mount Nebo Update

- * Rebecca Martelli sent in report via e-mail. About 15 prayer requests were received from students in the prayer jars during Spiritual Enrichment Week. Debbie Balla, Diane Kingan, Rebecca Martelli, and Vicki Bonzo

met on Monday, February 26th to pray over the requests. They then passed them on to the Mom's Prayer Group to continue to pray over them.

- * Suggestion was made to have prayer jars available for students all year by placing them in Upper School Bible classes. Further discussion will continue next year.

VI. Updates on Upcoming Events and Review of Recent Events

- * Spirit Wear Sale ends March 20th.
- * Elementary Skating Social to be held Friday, March 23rd from 10 a.m. until 12 p.m. Flyer went home last Friday. It was decided that the PA would provide 500 Munchkins from Dunkin' Donuts. Last year about \$50 was spent on cookies. This year the cost will be about \$100 unless they offer a discount.
- * All-School Picnic: Although Erin Soza was not present, it was brought up that she had mentioned doing it again next year. This must be confirmed. Joyce Ricci books most of the activities that are available and the PA is charged with lining up volunteers.

VIII. Other Agenda Items and Closing

- * Previously it had been proposed that the Parent Association donate funds to directly support the students attending the upcoming Costa Rica missions trip. After a discussion with the Leadership Team, it has been determined that this is not a direction in which the PA should go. It was suggested that the PA donate something specific to the cause where the Eden students are ministering (e.g. Bibles to be distributed on a trip).
- * The possibility of trying a new Spirit Wear vendor had been discussed recently. It was decided that we will continue working with Red Oak as we have established a good working relationship with them. We will offer another vendor an opportunity to provide a quote when we are looking to pursue other purchases outside of Spirit Wear.
- * The PA meeting will continue to be held in the Student Union rather than the Media Center.
- * Reminder that May's meeting will be held on the first Thursday of the month rather than the second. The date is May 3rd.
- * The next PA meeting will be Thursday, April 12th.
- * Serving opportunities for next year were discussed. They are as follows:
Vice President
Spirit Wear Coordinator
Secretary
- * Discussion was had about the possibility of Spirit Wear becoming a position to be held by someone who is not serving on the Steering Committee. We will be reaching out to the entire Eden body to see if anyone has interest in filling this position for next school year.