

**Bloomington Elementary PTA  
August 1, 2017  
General Board Meeting Minutes**

Meeting called to order by President Herschel Hill at 9:50 a.m.

**Attendance:** Herschel Hill, Rochelle Hunt, Holly Harward, Tonja Mast, Jennica Miller, Lynsee McLauchlan, Melissa Lane, Jill Hawkins, Jenna Vaughan, Gail Jensen, Alicia Dunkley, Amber Meyers, Jacie Sip, Kristin Anderson, Cassie Champneys, Tara Coughlin.

New folders were handed out. PTA meetings will now be held on the first Thursday of the month.

**Minutes:** N/A

**Treasurer's Report:** Motion to approve budget by Amber, Alicia 2nd, all approved.

**Committee Reports:** Reading- the theme for this year is Bookaneer Reading Rockstars. The kickoff is August 31st. Jill told us that they want to focus on the kids that don't participate (which is about 150) and send home notes to the parents informing them of their child's progress.

Yearbook- these will be sold at the end of the year. The email to submit pictures is the same, bloomingtonyearbook@gmail.com

Board Openings- Reflections, Spirit(need someone to be the chair) and Fundraising Chair.

White Ribbon Week- will be held in March. The purpose is to help kids empower themselves to say "no" to things that they are uncomfortable with.

Fundraising- Jennica and Kristen need ideas for prizes. We talked about drones, fidget spinners, snow cone maker, and a fit bit. Kristen also talked about possible having Max the Magician come for those who can get a \$50 donation. Walmart is willing to donate \$100 but wants to know the specific item it will go towards.

**Business Items:** This year and next year, the PTA will be helping with a new marquee for the school.

Amber asked about improving the K-2 playground. There is a new portable in that area. Melissa said we will have to see how this is going to work with part of the playground being taken up by the portable. We can address the playground issue at a later date.

All board members need to sign the ethical paperwork. Please talk to Herschel if you haven't yet done so.

Please remember that receipts must be attached to reimbursement form which needs to be filled out completely when turned in to Rochelle.

Turn in all volunteer hours to Holly.

**Next PTA Meeting is September 7, 2017 at 9:30 in the gym.**

**Meeting Adjourned at 10:49 a.m.**

Minutes compiled by Holly Harward, Secretary.