

Cooley PTC

Minutes: September 8, 2020

I. Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 6:35 pm by Angie Counts via Zoom

II. Present

Angie Counts

Laura Zwald

Karen Calkins

Jeff Blanchard

Cindy Mastro

Jennifer Bartee

Madeline Miller

Amy Wilson

III. Motion to Approve Budget

- Amy Wilson approved the minutes and Cindy Mastro seconds.

IV. President Report, Angie Counts

- Angie wanted to give a big thank you to all our Cooley Teachers and Staff, they are doing an amazing job and we could not be more appreciative.
- Our students are succeeding with the new schedule and independent work time.
- Just a reminder that we are still in need of a 2021 Fireworks Booth Chairperson.

V. Fundraising Report, Laura Zwald

- The suggestion to have a virtual or delayed Monster Mile Mash was discussed. We think spring is the earliest that we can hold an in person run.

VI. Budget Discussion

- Not much has changed in the budget. Some checks are being dropped off, and some teacher requests are coming in.

VIII. Membership

- Membership is still open.

IX. Hospitality Report, Jen Bartee

- Look for the sign up genius in your e-mail box for this month's virtual staff appreciation.

X. Dine and Donate

- Stay tuned for how you can support our Cooley Cobras for dining out. Jeanette Palmer has some things in the works.

XI. Website

–Check out our newly redesigned and updated Cooley PTC Website.

XII. Principal's Report, Karen Calkins

- Cooley has 787 students (232- 6th , 284- 7th, 271-8th), 38 teachers with a total of 70 staff
- Mrs. Calkins is diligently working on how we can get our students back safely and successfully to in person learning.
- The staff is very excited and anxiously awaiting the return of our students, they are severely missed.
- Mrs. Calkins discussed with the PTC for funds to help out children with gift cards and rewards for social and emotional learning.
- Karen expressed great appreciation to PTC and all parents through the process of distance learning.

XIII. Other

- In a tragedy we lost one of our own students, 7th grader Tyler Cole was hit by a car and passed away. Please take the time to sign the card for his family.
- Miss Grace is available for counseling for our students during this time. Please don't hesitate to reach out to her.
- Because time does fly, we do need to think that we have some big positions to fill for the next school year.
- If you know of anyone that you think may do a great job, it's never too early to let us know, we will need a Monster Mile Mash Chair, a Fireworks Booth chair, and a Treasurer to name a few.

XIV. Adjourn

- The meeting was adjourned at 7:35 pm by Angie Counts

Submitted by Amy Wilson 09.14.2020