

Virtual PTA Board Meeting

Minutes – April 13, 2021

Attendance: Vanessa Simmons, Sandy Whitaker, Barbara Bingham, Jessie Barta, Libby Zadoorian, Leigh Johnson, Susan Stublely

- Approval of March minutes: Sandy, motion; Leigh, 2nd
- Principal's Report – Stublely
 - Doing a modified field day for special Olympics on April 23rd
 - TAW – Grace Church is doing Jason's Deli, School is doing Hotdog truck, Dessert truck, and Tropical Grille.
 - CDC has changed the rule to 3 feet with masks but DHEC has not approved this.
 - McMaster has proposed a bill about 5 days – this change will not affect Gateway greatly, if students do come back it will only be a few in each grade
 - Shirley has retired to take care of Eddie. Had a celebration for her today and the students made cards for her. Drive by celebration with Shirley and Eddie next Wednesday.
 - Enrollment for next year – should have right over 700 students
 - Mrs. Bingham – behavior celebration is planned for the end of May
- Teacher's Report – Zadoorian
 - Teachers really loved Raise Craze
 - Thank you for the shade and benches
 - Is there a timeline for basketball goals?
 - Starting the process with the DFK but won't be done before this school year is over
- President's Report – Vanessa
 - Approval of 2021-2022 Proposed Budget: Sandy, motion; Leigh, 2nd
 - Upcoming board meetings – May 4th @ 8:20
 - All Art's Night – April 26th
 - General meeting for PTA
 - Raise Craze update and thank you
 - Update on basketball goals
 - Moving to the Middle
 - Waiting to find out what the school is planning to do for 5th grade day
 - Teacher Appreciation Week – we will provide Chicken Salad Chick on Wednesday and we will also give pens to everyone
 - Last treat for the teachers will be the last Friday in May – 28th
 - Voting for new officers will be done through Member Hub.
 - This has to be out there for 15 days.
- Special Projects – Sandy
 - Shade and 2 benches have been installed.
 - Starting to work on the DFK for basketball goals