

Attendees

Board: Dave Lebel, Robin Taylor, Ross Ingram, Ross McGowan, Joe Moore, Lisa Zur, Tamara Sanders-Woods

Colfax: Asia Mason, Farmer Ian

Community: Sarah, Elizabeth, Brigid

Detailed Notes

- Welcome and introductions
 - Thanks to Dr. Woods and staff for organizing kindergarten introduction night
- PTO Board 22-23 Academic Year
 - Vote to confirm President of PTO board
 - Motion to nominate Dave Lebel
 - Second from Robin Taylor
 - Yes votes: Joe, Elizabeth, Lisa, Ross M, Robin, Sarah, Tamara, Ross I, Ashley, Brigid
 - No votes: None
 - Vote: 10-0 to unanimously confirm the President for next year
 - Call for board members
 - Still looking for special events coordinator and 1-2 positions
- Volunteers
 - Outdoor lunches and recess volunteers update
 - Beach Day event (likely May 20th) will need volunteers
 - Dr. Woods will provide list of volunteer roles needed
- Colfax Garden Report from Farmer Ian
 - Looking for volunteers for summer garden care when school is out
 - Watering, weeding, picking, and eating
 - Kids are welcome to help with the volunteering
 - Reach out to ian@growpittsburgh.org
- Teacher appreciation week
 - Feel free to submit nominations for community shoutouts
 - Donations sought from local businesses
 - Plan to chalk sidewalks on Sunday, May 1
 - Discuss specific activities for each school day of the week (no school on Tuesday)
 - Important to consider non-homeroom teachers and paraprofessionals
- Treasury Update & Report
 - Motion to approve budget report submitted by Dave
 - Yes votes: Joe, Ross M, Elizabeth, Dave, Lisa, Robin
 - No votes: None
- Budget for 2022-2023

- Discussion and Q&A of proposed budget
 - Two expenses we will look to approve in May
 - Expenses to buy materials that may be needed for future fundraising events
 - Expenses related to enrichment activities (musical, garden, field trips, etc.)
 - New line items for K-2 and 3-5 field trips
 - New line item for middle school dance funds
 - Contact Dave Lebel on any new proposed budget items
- Announcements
 - Return of athletics / sports teams update
 - Process for welcoming new families into the community
- Questions and input from community