## **AGENDA PTA General Meeting 9/15/16**

- A President's Welcome Winston Burress
  - a. The PTA is important
  - b. Parent participation is key
  - c. It's going to be a magical year
  - d. PTA perks for \$7.50
    - 1. Voting
    - 2. Speakers and engagement
      - i. Sleep doctor
      - ii. Author
    - 3. Way better than a movie!
- B. Principal Report Mrs. Phillips
  - a. Thank you for letting your kids come to school here
  - b. Her background is secondary but happy to be here
  - c. 454 students K-5
  - d Arrival and Dismissal
    - 1. The plan was teacher and parent lead with additions from further parent discussion
    - 2. All kids were picked up within 15 minutes for pickup and 10 minutes by bus
    - 3. Suggestions are welcome but going good now (til snow)
  - e. Approached by 4-H several different formats
    - 1. Some Clubs meet 6 times a year you can choose a new topic and run again or do just 1 round
  - f. Girl Scouts
    - 1. Looking for a helper to help with the program if interested contact her
  - g. No playground assistant for lunch tomorrow
    - 1. volunteers needed 11:45-1:30 pm
- C. Ms VenHekken PBIS
  - 1. 2nd grade teacher for 15 years. PBIS coach for our school.
    - a. Program through GRPS Positive Behavioral Intervention Supports
      - i. At our school we have classroom contracts created by teachers and students.
      - ii. Common language between grades with posters to reinforce iii.Rotations were went through the first week of school to explain and show kids how to behave properly in all common areas lunchroom, in the halls restrooms etc...
      - iv. Student of the Month rewarded with a t-shirt respectful responsible and kind sometimes chosen by classes (depends on teacher)
      - v. First Class tickets for going above and beyond recognised by the principal
      - vi .PBiS Celebration open to creative cheap ideas that get the kids excited some past ones include movie parties, games, dance, snowball target contest

vii. talked about in the classroom for what the expectation is to be able to participateSome do homework being turned in but always talk to your teacher if this is an issue

viii. they identify students with many tier 3 offense

Silent Mentor

Student Success Team

viiii.Keep track of where the violations are occurring to help identify areas where changes might need to be implemented

- D. Diversion Game and Green Team Mandy Redman
- a. Green team meets in Mr Petersen's room after school scheduled that way to allow for easy teacher participation.
  - 1. Need help with composting in the lunchroom
  - 2. Nature Night and Chili Cook Out Green team is providing games and volunteers for the games could use help with that
    - 3. Wildlife Corridor
    - 4. Hoping for funds to purchase water bottle refill
    - 5. Green Halloween look for details soon
    - 6. Terracycle update
    - 7. Junior Ranger Program need a catchy name and volunteers
    - 8. Oddesy of the Mind meeting in October

## E. Fundraising Chair

- a. Mixed Bags SHEONA
  - 1. Winner Winner Chicken Dinner
  - 2. Only order fundraiser for the whole year
    - i. Quality Bags
    - ii. special gifts for teachers for 50-75% participation
    - iii. September 13-27
    - iv Order online
- b. Smencils at Lunch
  - 1 Teachers hate it and we don't care
  - 2. Smelly recycled product
  - 3. \$1 each almost \$.50 profit
  - 4. look for it in October
- c. Family Dance JIM Taylor
  - 1. School DJ via involvement with middle school dances
  - 2. Alternative to a Daddy Daughter Dance
  - 3. Good clean music Casual fun dancing
  - 4. Will be looking for requests via Frost Parents informal
  - 5. snacks drinks
  - 6. Bring Family games
  - 7. \$5 for the whole family September 30 6:30-8:30pm
  - 8. Bake sale to benefit 5th grade for Bake Sale
- d. Nature Night KACEY
  - 1. Chili Cook Off Wares Fair and Bazaar

- 2. Saturday Nov 12
  - a. Makers fair- booths crafts etc...
  - b. Silent Auction
- 3. Nature hike with Mr. Petersen
- 4. Discounts for veterans
- 5. Crafts
- 6. Caramel Apples
- F. 15 more spots for LOOP will be coming soon
- G. Budget Presentation and voting MICHELLE New Treasurer
  - 1. Kickstart is running well
  - 2. Feeling out which fundraisers have the biggest ability to grow Kacey Motions to vote Janna Seconds
  - 3. Unanimously approved
- H. Open PTA positions
  - a. Conference Hostess- Heather Edwards and Christa Carlson
  - b. Membership- Jennifer Zobel
  - c. Adult E-lab- Janna and Amanda Combs
  - d. Big Bag Bingo- Still OPEN
  - e. Restaurant Fundraiser Lead- Tera Griffin