

SVE PTA General Meeting Minutes

April 9, 2019

6:30 PM - 8 PM

Welcome - given by Stephanie Malia

PTA Board

- **Executive Board Voted Changes** (vote held by Google Form)
 - President term to 2019-2020, then 2 year terms moving forward.
 - Secretary term to 2019-2021 with 2 year terms moving forward.f
 - Our new board as of July 1st:
 - Jessica Bradley, President 2019-2020
 - Christine Gregorek, Vice President 2019-2021
 - Molly Willard, Secretary 2019-2021
 - Cindy Mitchell, Treasurer 2018-2020
 - Valerie Richmond, 2nd VP / SAC Liaison 2018-2020

Principal's Report – George Boser Principal

- Student led conferences, Staff Appreciation Committee did a great job, the teachers appreciated all the snacks.
- 2019-2020 Staffing Changes
 - Additional .5 SLP hired to join Robin Kessel
 - Additional .5 Mild Mod hired to join Megan & Jen – Emily Steepleton, current SVE Parent
 - New Counselor position has been accepted by LuAnne, currently a long-term sub at SVE
 - 5th Grade position (to replace Courtnee Lamb) has been accepted
- Last day of school will be a full day in compliance with DCSD standards.
 - Kindergarten and 6th grade allowed half day for continuations/graduations per DCSD standards.
- First day of school (August 7th) will also be a full day per DCSD standards.
 - Staff committee working on ideas to replace Meet and Greet, maybe an evening event day before, Back to School Night might come back
 - Parents expressed they want Back to School Night

SAC Report - Valerie Richmond

- Sup. Tucker working on 2nd round of his listening tour
- Focus on academic growth, standardizing UIPs
 - Unified Improvement Plan, based on state ratings, SVE Exceeds
- Last SAC meeting of the year is May 1st at 7:30am

PTA New Business

- 2019 Live the Experience Auction & Spring Fundraiser recap
 - Expecting \$14,000 after expenses, going to host a final pledge drive to raise more
 - Low school participation - maybe passing of 5A/5B, maybe fundraising/auction fatigue, maybe they don't understand the importance of our fundraising dollars
- Changes to the King Soopers reloadable cards program

- Tommie is working on registering SVE in their rewards program, parents will need to select SVE in their King Soopers Reward account
- Teacher Appreciation Week: April 22nd - 26th; Theme is “We think the WORLD of our staff!”
 - Students will have daily theme to give treats to teachers, PTA providing a catered lunch from Sabor Mexican Grille (SVE parent owned)
- Scrip Program
 - Tomie Mailey will be stepping down from Scrips and needs to train someone. Michele Rupprecht volunteered to help. Molly Willard volunteered to help put together “thank you” cards to present to teachers with their gift cards.

PTA Old Business

- Box Tops Update
 - Approximately \$1400 to spend on rollerblades, skates and helmets.
 - Suanne decided we will not do a spring collection as end of year is too busy
- Additional Teacher Grant
 - Reflex Math Program (\$3,295) Used by 2nd, 3rd & 4th grade. PTA purchased the site license (good school wide) that will go through June 2020 so there was no loss of data mid year.

SVE PTA Events Review - Jessica Bradley

- Groove-a-thon
 - Add volunteer instructions at stations such as sack race, carnival games, and flag tag
 - Add More water stations
 - Need exciting incentives for next year like Mr. Briethart’s hair cut
- No suggestions for Morning Muffins
- Chili Bingo / Valentines Dance
 - Main struggle is getting enough volunteers to plan events and manage the event itself
 - Emma volunteered to do the Chili Bingo night again, but also volunteered for Bake Sale
 - No one currently volunteered for dance
- Reading Program
 - Not sure what next year would look like as current chair is aging out of SVE
 - Maybe coordinate with Battle of the Books (only grades 3-6)
- Staff Appreciation Week
 - Well organized and implemented

Treasurer Report - Cindy Mitchell

- Financials provided upon request